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HUNT STOLEN BOND SALE IN CITY

Just Today

One Man's Views.
To Help Somerville.
A Woman's View.
East Middlesex.

EDITORIAL

IT happened at one of the committee rooms, where the C. R. Somerville workers had gathered. The man making the remark is the head of a home typical of many in London. There has been honest endeavor all through to make expenses and income meet and lap over a little. The ambition of the family was reached when one of the boys went through Western University.

And speaking of this university, the man in question said:

"I am out to help C. R. Somerville all I can in this election. He has done more for Western University than any other one man. And the fact that some of these men have stayed with the idea of such a school for London has meant that my boy has had a chance for a schooling such as he would not have otherwise had."

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NOT much of a speech, perhaps as speeches go. No fireworks about it, and not given for publication. Just one of those little incidents that are talked about on the day following.

It shows a sense of gratitude that is well placed just now.

C. R. Somerville has given of his time, his money and his every assistance to London and to Western University.

Through his persistency, in season and out of season, the grant to Western has been increased time and time again, and when the new buildings stand completed, no man will duly and deservedly receive more credit for the accomplishment than Mr. C. R. Somerville.

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MRS. GRANT NEEDHAM is a good speaker on political topics. Old-time political speech-hashers admit that her address to the women of London on Tuesday night was an entertaining success.

She was direct, forceful and fair.

She did her one, two, three and in conclusion in a snappy way that held attention.

It did not take her long to tell why she was opposed to the Meighen party.

(1) It has not kept its pledges.
(2) It has been autocratic.
(3) It has been inconsistent.
(4) It has been extravagant.

Moreover, the speaker proved every charge right up to the hilt.

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MAJOR DUNCAN C. ROSS is making a hard fight got into the campaign at a late hour, but there have been no idle moments for the candidate since.

Duncan C. Ross went overseas with the 135th Middlesex, but went to the front with the 47th.

He won his M. C. at Cambrai.

He knows what the soldier has had to face since coming back to Canada.

He knows the problem of the farmer and of the smaller centers of his riding.

He is essentially fitted to represent the riding of East Middlesex, which takes in rural and small center districts, as well as some 8,000 voters in the outskirts of London.

And Major Duncan C. Ross is building up a splendid army of volunteer workers that is in the future of this country are the reasons why men and women workers are coming to his assistance.

He was a real campaigner in France, and he's a real campaigner right here and right now.

SUES APPIN MAN AS RESULT OF ACCIDENT

The first case on the jury list of the county court sessions which will be held before Judge Talbot Macbeth at the courthouse on Dec. 6, was set down for trial Wednesday morning.

Lee Fonger, a commercial traveler of this city, is suing Walter McMaster, a farmer residing near Appin, for $500, as a result of a motor accident on the Pipe Line road on the 12th of July. Fonger alleges that as a result of carelessness on the part of McMaster his car was struck and badly damaged, so much so that its value has been greatly decreased, and that he suffered much inconvenience while repairs were being made.

The defendant alleges that the plaintiff was to blame and has put in a counter-claim for $500.

Meredith & Fisher for the plaintiff, and Ivey, Elliott & Ivey for the defence.

Denounces St. Lawrence Ship Canal As 'Wild Dream'

N. Y. GOVERNOR SAYS EXPENSE UNWARRANTED

Miller Declares Project Would Mean the Waste of Millions.

CALLS IT EXPERIMENT

Claims Montreal As a Winter Port Cannot Serve Middle West.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 16.—Governor Nathan L. Miller of New York, in an address before the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Convention today, denounced the proposed St. Lawrence ship canal project as involving an unwarranted expenditure of $200,000,000 by the United States, as "criminal foolishness" in wasting millions sadly needed for other improvements and as an attempt to realize an "impossible dream."

The governor declared that the tax burden would be increased in order to promote what was only an experiment, and asserted that the prime necessity was to improve first our own ports and waterways instead of promoting a project in a foreign country. He affirmed that the New York state barge canal could, if properly utilized, carry all the 10,000,000 tons of grain which annually would seek a water outlet from the West.

He asserted that no unprejudiced person competent to speak on the subject believed that ocean-going vessels would ever navigate such a waterway as the proposed St. Lawrence ship canal. The governor declared that a threat had been conveyed to him that opposition to the St. Lawrence canal would result in retaliation of the eighteen states composing the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Association. It might seem a waste of effort, he said, to speak in opposition to the project, as the association had announced that if the eighteen states approved the project favorable action would be taken on it by congress this year.

To Promote Campaign.

Nearly $100,000 had been appropriated by the states in the tidewater association to promote the campaign and bring pressure to bear on congress, he said. He added that the Charleston and Jacksonville chambers of commerce had suggested lining up with the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Association on a principle of reciprocity. The governor pointed out that there was danger to the country on the promotion of public undertakings on a basis of reciprocity between sectional interests, and declared such a method precluded a fair consideration of any undertakings on its merits. He declared that he regarded the cost of the St. Lawrence project as a mere bagatelle compared with the evil of introducing in congress the method ffeting legislation by combination of groups or sectional blocs.

"I trust that the time has not yet come when the trading of support for local improvements can commit the treasury of the United States to a vast project for the improvement of a waterway in another country, regardless of its merits," said Governor Miller.

Governor Miller said that he sympathized with the desires of the Middle West for better and cheaper transportation, but that the industries of the country already were staggering under excessive taxation and excessive cost of transportation.

"It is unthinkable," he went on, "that the burden of taxation will be increased at this time by a vast expenditure

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U. S. CITIZENS TO HELP PROHIBITION AGENTS

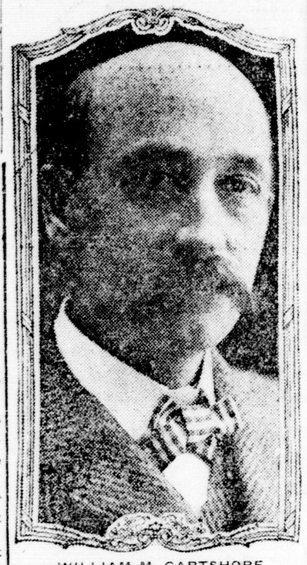
Detroit, Nov. 16. — Suggestions for the organization of a national association of citizens to assist prohibition agents in enforcing the Volstead law were considered at a conference here yesterday of R. A. Haynes, federal prohibition commissioner, and leaders of the Anti-Saloon League, civic bodies and state and city liquor officials.

The proposal embodied a plan to mail blank complaint cards to members of the organization which would be returned to federal agents upon detection of prohibition law violations.

Mr. Haynes discussed with state and city officers means of combating rum-runners operating over the border. A more careful check on liquor permits was decided upon.

Tells Civic Needs

Advocates New City Park at "The Coves" as Western Fair Site.



WILLIAM M. GARTSHORE.

LONDON'S MILK SUPPLY MAKES GOOD SHOWING

Test of Samples Collected Results in Best Report Ever Presented.

STRENGTHEN BYLAW

A general discussion on the milk supply of the city, dealing with the subject from various angles, marked the meeting of the board of health Tuesday afternoon. No definite action resulted, and it is not likely that any will be taken by the present board, but certain recommendations will be sent on to the 1922 board.

City Clerk Baker in presenting the report of Dr. Slack of the Institute of Health, on the examination of milk samples submitted by Dr. C. S. Tamlin, said that he had never before seen a report as favorable. There was only one case of impurity and he considered the findings remarkable.

When informed that the report showed that the large percentage of the milk contained but 5,000 bacteria, Dr. Downham, M. O. H., said that milk containing 10,000 bacteria is considered certified milk.

Dr. Tamblin said that in gathering his samples he took many of them off milk wagons, and that some of it had been handled two or three times.

Chairman Cunningham, who remarked that he noticed by a report, that he had been won over to pasteurized milk, said that clean milk was better than pasteurized.

The discussion then turned to testing herds for tuberculosis. Dr. Tamlin said that the herd of the dairyman supplying Victoria Hospital had just been tested, and four reactors were earmarked. The milk tested up well. Dr. Tamlin expressed the opinion that London's maximum for bacteria should be made more strict. Dr. Downham thought that it had been placed at 100,000.

Chairman Cunningham asked if 100,000 bacteria milk was a drastic regulation in these days.

Dr. Downham answered that milk with 500,000 is considered good milk.

Educate the Farmers.

Dr. Tamlin stated that Dr. Fairwell of the federal department of agriculture, was stationed in the city, and suggested that he should address the board at its next meeting on the "Federal Policy of Testing Herds for Tuberculosis so that the owners may sell their milk as certified. In this way, he said, owners of grade herds are placed in the same class as the owners of thoroughbred herds. It would educate the farmers and the result would benefit the city. Like good roads, he thought it was a good thing to get while it was going. He contended that it was the duty of the health department to see that children get the best milk.

Dr. Cunningham said that if it was not possible to get good clean milk, pasteurized milk was better. He said that tests made in the United States has

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Hindu Maidens Wear "Buns" On Necks, Declares Missionary

"The only difference in the manner in which Hindu and Canadian women wear their hair is that the former wear the 'bun' on the neck, while the latter wear the 'bun' on the ear," declared M. L. Orchard, M.A., of India, addressing the Ladies' Mission Circle of the Egerton Street Baptist Church on Tuesday night. The occasion was the annual thank-offering by the members of the congregation.

In India, Mr. Orchard explained, there live forty times as many people as there are in Canada, while the country isn't half the size in area. The Hindu, he said, is of the same race as the Anglo-Saxon. He has the same brain and blood. If there is any difference it is due to the gospel of Jesus Christ.

It has been claimed, the speaker continued, that Christianity has failed in this country because certain classes seem to have far greater privileges than others. In India, however, he asserted, there are men who receive salaries as high as $300,000 a year, while the next highest wage is but $300 a year, and the ordinary workingman receives about $30 a year.

In conclusion, Mr. Orchard claimed that ancestoral worship was the greatest hindrance to the spreading of Christianity, and cited the caste system of India as the curse of that country.

A splendid attendance was noted at Wednesday's gathering, and a substantial sum was realized as the thank-offering, a novel feature of the latter undertaking, being that each lady brought her donation in a fruit basket.

HOW I'D MAKE LONDON BETTER FOR POSTERITY

Col. Wm. Gartshore Wants City To Plan New Park at "The Coves."

WOULD BE SITE OF FAIR

Deplores Lack of Elevated Railway Crossings and Station Accommodations.

BY HELEN McMILLAN.

On the upper floor of the McClary Company's office on Wellingtonn street, is located a small bay window which juts out over the street. To a casual observer this window appears a very ordinary window, indeed, but were it able to talk, it could perhaps tell stories which concern the history of not only a big industrial concern, but of the city itself.

It is located in the private office of Col. W. M. Gartshore, and is easily accessible by means of a steep flight of little old stairs.

"When I went there to interview him on the subject, "What Is the Matter With London?" I found two chairs conveniently placed by the little bay window, and there, overlooking the street, below, we had our talk.

Col. Gartshore delights in telling a story, and he tells an excellent one, at that. So when he digressed from the subject of London's needs, I was delightfully entertained by his wit.

Mr. Gartshore has a very fine plan for a new park at "The Coves," South London, and would make such a park an economic possibility by locating the Western Fair grounds there. The present location of the fair grounds at Queen's Park, East London, is yearly becoming more and more overcrowded, while the city is creeping in upon the site there.

Must Have More Room.

More room will have to be secured, and Col. Gartshore thinks the city could make no better move than to begin a new park at "The Coves," one of the most beautiful spots in London district.

"The city of London has a splendid asset in Springbank Park, but its approaches to the city should be made to conform," the colonel says. "The coves could be made into a very beautiful park by a little dredging of the river. And no better spot could be secured for the location of the Western Fair, which would occupy the park for but two weeks of the year. For the rest of the year it would be a model pleasure park."

Mr. Gartshore believes that the city is making a big mistake by allowing itself to become so spread out.

"London should be more concentrated. Such possibilities as Knollwood Park, Manor Park and Oxford Park, instigated by speculators, should be eliminated. Such schemes are launched in districts where there are no building regulations or sanitary arrangements. People throw up rude little shacks not fit to live in, and they give the city a bad appearance. Toronto has suffered in the same way by its 'Shack Town,' which also should never have been allowed.

Would Regulate Building.

"It would be a splendid thing for London if the city would undertake to direct the types of buildings erected in certain areas. Many European cities are built on that plan, and the result is very fine. It seems to me a shame that such a fine building as the old Bank of Montreal should be torn down to make way for a hotel of poor architectural design in comparison with the old building.

"London should never have let pass the opportunity for getting elevated railway crossings and better station accommodation. The G. T. R. offered to raise the tracks through the city about ten years ago, but the city fathers at that time put such restrictions on the scheme, in their efforts to make capital for themselves, that the proposal fell through. London will never get such an opportunity again. The next time the railway comes to the city to propose subways and raised tracks, if it ever does come again, the proportion which the city will have to pay will be something like a quarter of a million dollars.

Doubts Great Growth.

"I don't look to London to become a tremendously big city. But I do think that it can become the most desirable city in Canada in which to live, if, as it gradually increases in size, improvements are made to keep pace with its growth.

"London is the hub of this section of the province, and as such is logically the educational centre of the district. The Western University attracts students, the Medical School and London's seven hospitals attract specialists in surgery and medicine, and because of their presence here, patients.

"London's theatres and conservatories bring many more people to the city. And for this reason London must see to it that the roads leading into the city from all parts of the province are of the very best. The city must be made easily accessible, because over these roads come many of the people who make for her prosperity.

"London can be the center of culture in Western Ontario, attracting the very best of talent to her doors. There must be a center of this sort for the people of the western part of the province, and here is an opportunity for London to measure up. If London does not seize this opportunity Toronto will act for the west, as well as the center of the province."

ROBERT McLAUGHLIN ILL.

Oshawa, Ont., Nov. 16.—Robert McLaughlin, founder of the McLaughlin Carriage Company and the McLaughlin Motor Car Company, is seriously ill at his home here. He is in his 85th year.

Can't Beauty and Brains Go Together?

EDITH MAE PATTERSON.
[Exclusive Staff Special.]

PINE BLUFF, Ark., Nov. 16.—Boy, page the scientist who said a girl can't be born beautiful and intellectual.

We want him to meet Miss Edith Mae Patterson, 19-year-old teacher of the fourth grade at the Lakeside public school here.

Miss Patterson recently won a prize as the most beautiful girl among 7,000 who were entered in a national beauty contest. And as for her mental equipment—

She was a real prodigy in school, and at 16 was graduated from Pine Bluff, Ark. At 17 she started imparting her knowledge to others as a school teacher.

When the beauty contest started, Miss Patterson's aunt sent in the little "schoolmarm's" picture without her knowledge. A few weeks later came word that she'd won.

So she received a $3,500 cash prize and—

Scores of flattering offers from movie producers and—

Was dined, photographed and feted and—

Christened the first of three big Arkansas dams!

Then someone asked her what she'd do next.

"Why, go back to my school and kiddies!" she replied.

And she did

LONDON LEADS IN HYDRO WORK

Bulletin Shows City Is Away Ahead in Electrical Department.

OTTAWA FAR BEHIND

According to the latest bulletin issued by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario which reached the office of the Public Utilities Commission Wednesday morning, London is shown to be more up-to-date and far in advance in electrical development than any city of the province, not excepting the city of Toronto.

The bulletin presents the figures of all hydro-using municipalities giving the volume of business and profits for a year.

The following reveals London's remarkable showing as against the largest community in Ontario:

London—$333,863 in business turnover, with profits at $25,361.

Toronto—$214,499 in business turnover and with profits at $21,374.

Ottawa—$71,534 in business turnover and profits at $10,555.

Hamilton—$31,337 in business turnover and profits at $10,555.

Toronto Less Than London.

The Hydro-Electric Commission points out that Toronto with ten times the population of London has a turnover of $38,697 less, while Ottawa with almost double the population is some $15,000 behind.

The report also presents some interesting comparisons of bills in the various cities and towns. "The average bills," it is said, "in 'hydro' towns for all classes of consumers and for all sizes of plants is less and in most cases, considerably less, than the average bills of other places not served with hydro-electric." "The average bill," the report continues, "in all 'non-hydro' towns ranges from 22 per cent to 526 per cent greater than the average bill in a 'hydro' town. In all but two of the 49 cases taken the highest hydro bill was less than the average bill for other towns in same class, and in 21 of the 49 the highest hydro bill was actually less than the lowest non-hydro bill in other places."

Serves 270 Municipalities.

The Hydro-Electric Commission points out to the people of Ontario that there are 270 municipalities with a combined population of 1,600,000 and reasoning on the assumption of five persons to the family and an ultimate equipment of $300 per house there is roughly a possible sale of $96,000 worth of hydro service a year, the benefit, it is emphasized being eventually reaped by the consuming public.

SELECT CIVIC SLATE MONDAY

Electors May Have a Wide Choice of Candidates For Mayoralty.

EXPECT LABOR ASPIRANT

Nominations for municipal officers for the coming election take place on Monday next, but it will be a week, Wednesday morning next, before it will be known just who will be standing for the various offices.

Nominations for the utilities commission, hospital trust and board of education and mayor will take place at noon, while those for the aldermen will be held at night in the different wards. Thus it will be late Monday night before the slate of nominations will be completed, and all those placed in nomination will have until Tuesday night to qualify for office, or in other words declare whether or not it is their intention to stand. Past experience has shown that nominations are generally heavy, and only after the qualifying hour is it really known who are seeking office.

Talk about the municipal contest is beginning to warm up. Names by the wholesale are being put forward, but it is found in many cases that the man mentioned is the last one to hear about his prospective candidacy.

Three Seek Mayoralty.

The mayoralty fight is full of possibilities. Three are now in the field. Labor will likely add another. The present mayor, E. S. Little, is still a possibility, and there is also some talk of a dark horse. It may wind up with a field of five or six starters. Two contested the mayoralty last year.

The aldermanic fight is just about as hazy. Ward 1 will have Ald. Watt and Brighton again in the running. Ald. Wenige has abandoned this field to run for the mayoralty.

In ward 2 only one of this year's council is satisfied to stand for re-election, Ald. W. A. Wilson, the other two, Ald. F. E. Harley and J. C. Wilson, being two of the mayoralty contestants.

Ward 3 will find its three present representatives, Aldermen Watkinson, Drake and Ashton, back in the field. Ald. Ashton wil likely be the Labor choice for this ward, when it picks its slate on Thursday night.

Labor To Have Slate.

In Ward 4 the situation is not quite as clear. Ald. Childs is sure to stand. Aldermen Bridge and Boss are said to

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"OPEN DOOR" IN FAR EAST NOW ARMS PROBLEM

U. S. Expects Borden To Aid in Promoting Canadian Trade Channels.

NAVAL ADVISORS BUSY

Sift Practicability of Plan To Scrap Monarchs of Sea.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 16.—With the Hughes arms reduction proposal referred to a committee of naval advisors of the five great powers as the accepted fundamental policy on naval armaments, the Washington conference turned its attention today to the other big subject of the meeting, the Far Eastern situation.

Apparently none of the nations was ready to present a comprehensive plan of settlement of the questions involved at the outset, and delegates of the nine interested powers seemed to have adopted a waiting attitude as they prepared to meet in executive session this morning, as a committee of the whole, to take up this phase of the conference work.

Meanwhile the work of preparing a report on the United States proposal for reduction of naval armaments, involving consideration of the modifications to be suggested by Great Britain and Japan under the reservations with which the plan was accepted by them in principle and in spirit, along with France and Italy, at the open session yesterday, will go forward in the committee of five technical naval advisers appointed by the delegations of the big five powers in their later executive session.

Beatty Acts for Britain.

With Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, as chairman and representative of the United States, others composing this committee are Admiral Beatty for Great Britain, Vice-Admiral Dehon for France, Vice-Admiral Acton for Italy and Vice-Admiral Kato for Japan.

There are, it is said, two principal points in the policy of the United States in regard to Far Eastern affairs.

One is for a demand for the "open door" in China—real equality of trade opportunity there for all nations.

The second is opposition to the Anglo-Japanese alliance.

In both of these the United States delegation is likely to find Canada behind them. The Dominion's declared policy in regard to the alliance is opposition to its renewal in any form unsatisfactory to the United States, and it is anticipated that Sir Robert Borden will firmly maintain this stand.

In the matter of trade opportunity Canada is anxious for an equal chance with the other nations in the Orient, and on this point also, it is expected, Sir Robert's influence will be exerted for the assurance of a "real open door."

Japan Dissatisfied.

Japan wants more than the sixty per cent as compared to the United States and Great Britain, which the original proposal of Secretary of State Hughes would allow her.

France and Italy want to be taken into consideration at the outset and not wait for disposal of the question as it affects the big three. Moreover, both France and Italy feel that they should be permitted to increase rather than decrease their sea forces to bring them up to a figure comparable with what is being allowed the others.

Great Britain, as previously outlined, wants the replacement program spread over a period of years, rather than taken up at the end of a ten-year holi-

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FIVE WOMEN ON ARBUCKLE JURY

San Francisco, Nov. 16.—Roscoe Arbuckle's trial entered in its third day this morning, with the jury nearing completion, and local interest in the case, as evidenced by the empty seats in the courtroom, wanes.

After two days spent in examining fifteen members of the venire, eleven of them, including five women, have been accepted tentatively. The charge against Arbuckle grows out of the death of Miss Virginia Rappe, motion picture actress, as a result of injuries received during the progress of a party in Arbuckle's apartment early in September last.

Says Jail Officials Not To Be Appointed Until After Election

"YOU can take it from me that there will be no sheriff appointed nor a governor of the county jail appointed for Middlesex County until after the elections," said Dr. Hugh A. Stevenson, M. L. A. for London, in an interview on Wednesday.

Dr. Stevenson stated that he had been in touch with the attorney-general's department on the matter, and that he had been told that no appointments would be forthcoming until after Dec. 6 next.

The resignation of Governor James Carter from the county jail took place on the 1st of November. Deputy Sheriff B. F. Watterworth is carrying on the duties recently relinquished by Sheriff Donald Cameron.

DETECTIVES ON TRAIL OF LOOT IN BANK CASE

Shillington Believed To Have Sold $5,000 in Bonds To Local Firm.

LOSS MAY TOTAL $70,000

Search For Missing London and Western Accountant Still Futile.

That Harold Shillington, missing accountant of the London and Western Trust Company, disposed of bearer Victory Bonds in the city to the amount to $5,000 is a report that has gained considerable credence in financial circles, as have also rumors that the amount of bonds missing from the vaults of the financial institution is close to $70,000 mark.

It is known from unimpeachable sources that Victory Bonds which now are known to have been the property of the trust company were actually sold in London by Shillington previous to his disappearance, and although the exact amount of money that changed hands over the deal cannot be authoritatively established, it is said to be $5,000.

This amount in cash would undoubtedly give any alleged embezzler a wonderful opportunity to do the vanishing act in double quick time.

The London firm alleged to have received the stolen bonds innocently disposed of them before anything was known of the alleged defalcations at the London and Western Trust Company.

When interviewed on the matter officials of the concern declared that so far as they knew they had sold no bonds belonging to the Trust Company, but declined to affirm or deny rumors that they had bought bearer bonds that had been stolen, as they did not have any numbers to go by.

Sold Bonds in September.

It is also said that other bonds emanating from the same source were disposed of as early as last September.

Bearer Victory bonds are looked upon

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MEHARG TO HANG ON JANUARY 18

Collapses When Sentenced to to Death at Hamilton.

Hamilton, Nov. 16.—There was a dramatic scene in court today when Sir William Mulock, chief justice, sentenced Wilfred Meharg to hang on Jan. 18, gave two other men who rode in the death car seven years each and withheld sentence on the other two occupants of the car.

The judge was much affected as he ordered the prisoner to stand up and receive the sentence of the court. Previous to this, the prisoner's father, who came from Vienna, Ont., to attend the trial, and was was in a state of collapse, was removed from the court.

Meharg, quavering his face ashen white, thanked the judge for the kindness shown him, and said that he had receieved a fair trial.

"I wish to say I never intended to kill the doctor," he said. "I thank God I have been able to tell the truth throughout this trial."

Meharg completely colloapsed when sentenced.

Clarence Spaulding, found guilty of conspiracy to rob, and Edward Dickenson, who was with Meharg in the Laidman store at Binbrook the night Dr. Whitworth was murdered, received seven years each.

Lloyd Martin and George Horning, who were in the car the night of the crime, were remanded until the January assizes for sentence.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following are the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 38; lowest, 28.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 31; lowest, 28.

BAROMETRIC STANDING.

Tuesday—8 a.m., 29.46.
Today—8 a.m., 29.36.

THURSDAY—COLDER.

Toronto, Nov. 16—8 a.m.

Forecasts.

Today—Increasing southeast and east winds: rain or sleet in most localities tonight.

Thursday — Northeast and north winds; becoming considerably colder by night.

Temperatures.

The highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	44	38	Rain
Calgary	28	10	Snow
Winnipeg	28	26	Cloudy
Port Arthur	32	24	Snow
Parry Sound	36	32	Cloudy
Toronto	42	31	Fair
Kingston	40	32	Fair
Ottawa	32	18	Fair
Montreal	32	26	Clear
Quebec	32	22	Cloudy
Father Point	30	24	Cloudy
St. John	36	26	Fair
Halifax	52	30	Clear

Weather Notes.

The Atlantic coast storm, which has been heavy, has passed to the east coast of Newfoundland.

A disturbance from the Southwest, which will probably prove important, is rapidly approaching the Great Lakes, while in the Western Provinces the barometer is high and the weather quite cold.

Cautionary signals are displayed at lake ports.