# LONDON FAMILY HAS SEVEN RELATIVES IN HALIFAX DEATH LIST

## Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ward May Have Others Also.

One London family has felt keenly the results of the Halifax explosion. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ward of 7 Oxford street have already word of seven near relatives among the dead Mrs. Ward has yet to hear from her sister and family, her brother's wife and family, and her son William, his wife and two children.

Mr. Ward has a sister and family also in Halifax. All these relatives are living in the danger zone. Mrs. Ward's family that are in London are as follows: Susie, Elsie, John and Russell at home; Aubrey and Joseph at 622 Talbot street; Mrs. A. L. Jackson, London East; Mrs. J. Truechell, London West; and Mrs. James Murphy, Winnipeg; and Thomas of Wakefield, Mass. The family held a reunion this summer in London.


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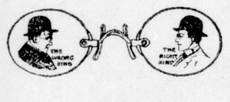

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## Employees of City Purchased $14,500 In Victory Bonds

### Showing Made by Different Departments Considered Good.

So far as can be learned 129 civic employees took Victory Loans for an approximate total of $14,500.

Fifty employees of the utilities commission took $5,200 in bonds. Thirty-four employees at the city hall took $5,300 in bonds. Fire Chief Aitken estimated that 45 members of the fire department took bonds, totalling about $4,000.

This is not a bad showing, conditions considered. City Treasurer Bell is preparing information on the subject.


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DIED IN 86TH YEAR.

Miss Mary A. Hall, aged 86 years, died Saturday at her late residence, 137 Duchess avenue. The funeral, which will be private, will be held Tuesday afternoon from her late address. The services will be conducted by Rev. J. G. Stuart, and interment made at Woodland cemetery.

Miss Mary Hall was a sister of the late Austin Hall.


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# LADS INSTANTLY KILLED BY TRAIN CRASHING INTO SLEIGH AT DORCHESTER

DORCHESTER, Dec. 10.—Wesley and Leonard Tinnegar, the eight and twelve-year-old sons of Luther Tinnegar, were instantly killed about five o'clock this afternoon, when the handsleigh in which they were riding was struck by a westbound wayfreight at the station crossing. The horse which they were driving was also killed.

The two boys, whose home is about a half mile east of the village, were driving alone in the large handsleigh, drawn by the horse, and they, apparently, did not notice the approaching train, and were struck by the engine with full force.

The bodies have been removed to the undertaking parlors of R. Logan, where they will be viewed by Coroner Dr. Doan, of Harrietsville.

An older brother, Richard, and two sisters, Ethel and Nellie, survive, in addition to the parents.

The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

# CITIZENS HAVE MONEY BUT UNABLE TO SECURE COAL THOUGH MONEY IS SPENT IN THOUSANDS ON 'CONTROL'

## Absolute Lack of Fuel Control Clearly Demonstrated to Londoners Through Cold Snap, Which Left Many Homes Fireless.

"Go out into the open market and buy coal."

This advice by Deputy Fuel Controller Harris, Toronto, is creating quite a bit of interest in London these days, where there is considerable suffering from the cold snap.

Mr. Harris told the utilities commission that the highly-paid, highly-organized fuel controller's department could do nothing at all to relieve the situation in this city.

Mr. McCue, the expert, is being paid $25,000 per annum out of the pockets of the people of Canada, many others are given salaries well up into the thousands, but the people get no coal. They have tried to go out into the open market and buy fuel.

They have the money, but where is the coal? They would like to know.

One citizen Sunday had to carry basket after basket of coal for several blocks to keep his mother from freezing to death. He had only a small amount for himself, but he had to share some with his mother. He had the money to pay for the coal, but he cannot get it.

The fuel controller told him to go out into the open market and buy coal.

"Vote for the Borden Government when it appoints a fuel controller that can't control?" he asked. "Well, I should say not. I have been a Conservative all my life, but I am through. My mother would have frozen yesterday if I had not carried her a few peach baskets full from my small store. I thought a fuel controller would control, but he seems like the rest of the gang—more interested in the salary than anything else."

That is the story all over the city. Suffering is keen, and there is no coal. And the people are asked to forget.

"I am convinced that no municipality can get coal," declared Philip Pocock. "It is a matter for the Government to take up in a large way. If there is no machinery to deal with the situation, there should be some. We can do nothing."

# ENUMERATOR FORGOT TO ADD NAME OF HIS WIFE TO THE VOTERS' LISTS; BOARD PUTS IT ON BY APPEAL

## Amusing Incidents of Compiling London Records Revealed in Sessions yesterday—Many Names Added at Night Hearings.

The night session of the board of appeal proved popular and more than two score persons were present at the court house. There were three sessions again today, beginning at 10 o'clock a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 8 p.m. Only the claim of Harry Fountain, 1246 Trafalgar street, was dismissed at the night session. He had been in Detroit for some months, he said, with the intention of bettering his position. During that time his house here had been turned over to his son-in-law, and Mrs. Fountain had been supporting herself.

The right of Frederick McVean, 491 York street, to vote in London was questioned by Finley Perrin, representing the Union Government. Mr. McVean's brother made the appeal. He stated that his brother had been born here about sixty years ago, and had resided in the city since. For the past fifteen years he had been spending the summer months at Port Stanley generally, going early in the summer and returning in November. Occasionally he remained later. He had this year. The house at Port Stanley was furnished, but he regarded London as his home.

**Against Contention.**

The board gave a unanimous decision against Mr. Perrin's contention, basing it on the fact that Mr. McVean considered this city his home. If, they said, the election had come a few months earlier, all the summer colony at Port Stanley would be disfranchised, if Mr. Perrin's view were taken.

A peculiar appeal was made at the afternoon sitting of the board when H. Lance, who acted as an enumerator, told the members that he had neglected to place his own wife's name on the voters' list. She was enfranchised, because her son is with the Royal Flying Corps, undergoing winter training in Texas.

The claims allowed at the night session were: G. P. Stockton, 92 Oxford; W. E. Mea, 307 Horton; Joseph A. Sharpe, 582 Oxford; Joseph E. McKenna, 595 Princess; John Price, 928 Waterloo; Angelo T. Cortese, 13 Fullarton; William C. Deacon, 1485 Fullarton; A. D. Berryman, 363 Hamilton road; H. E. Hey, 572 Pall Mall; Isaac Markle, York street; Joseph Charlebois, Joseph Chevier, Alphonse Labouereichiere, York street; Fred H Kenny, 597 King street; William LeDuc, York street; Elizabeth A. Marshall, 27 Euclid; Austin Mass, 425 Ridout; Sarah H. Williams, 945 Trafalgar Raymond D. Collins, 9 Blackfriar street; William H. McKee, 370 Ontario street; Robert J. Fletcher, 8 Horton street; William P. Paulile, 28 Orchard street; Thomas Barnes, 515 Maitland street; Mrs. Fanny Marsh, 787 Lorne avenue; Edward Axt, 249 Wortley road; Martha E. Knowles, Frederick McVean, 491 York street; Arthur E. Irwin, 780 Richmond street; George Aiken, 415 Dundas; Arthur Murlest, Elizabeth Murlest, 546 Pall Mall street; Stanley P. Anderson, 305 Piccadilly; John A. Mossop, 255 Cheapside; Martha E. Knowles, 244 Queen's avenue; Walter Crossland, 75 Bathurst street; Frank Nopper, 484 Pall Mall street; Roy Nopper, 238 Wellington; Fred W. Winn, 362 Horton; John Redman, 189 Queen's avenue; Dan McKellar, 362 Horton street; Guy Brigila, Pasqualia Briglia, 126 Fullarton street; Ernest Cortese, 131 Fullarton street; Nellie Ashman, 832 Princess avenue; John S. Teams, 540 Colborne, Peter Monagle, 55 Miles street; Maurice Shirley, 502 Elizabeth street; Edward Whitehouse, 394 Waterloo street; John H. Howard, 251 Dundas street; Maurice Apple, 427 Bathurst street; William R. Seawright, 425 Dundas street.

**Must Get Papers.**

Decisions were reserved until naturalization papers were produced in the cases of Paul J. Mascari, Thomas Mascari, 641 Dundas street; and Julias Siskind, 261 Clarence street.

At the afternoon session the following appeals were allowed:

Geo. J. Baker, 704 York street; Mary Ann Baker, 704 York street; Minnie B. Baker, 704 York street; John D. Baker, 704 York street; Elizabeth Lance, 1093 Richmond street; Joseph C. Broadbent, 58 Central avenue; George Pollick, 75 Adelaide street; Fred Ball, 582 Oxford street; May E. Catlin, 392 Dundas street; Rose M. Sullivan, 654 York street; Sam A. Cooey, 10 Hyatt avenue; Geo. Murray, 424 Park avenue; Neville A. Gibbs, 8 Euclid avenue; Stephen E. Cook, 8 Victor street; Wm. Lovell, 64 Grand avenue; J. Beattie, 240 St. James street; Lily A. Atkinson, 174 Langarth street; Charles L. Wood, 168 Wharncliffe; Walter G. Gary, 365 Hamilton road; Geraldine S. White, 4 Riverview avenue; Claude E. White, 4 Riverview avenue; John Ellis Slater, 16 Picton street; F. T. Trebilcock, 365 Richmond street; Charles Veed, 435 Ridout street; Harvey Wilkins, 172 Briscoe street; Alfred A. Alexander, 213 Queen's avenue; Robert S. Gridley, 335 King street; Walter S. Gale, 5 Marmora street; R. Wallese, 706 Nelson street; Thomas Geen, 578 William street; Florence Fletcher, 56 Euclid avenue; Alfred Jackson, 502 Oxford street; John Wm. Cox, 28 Blackfriars street; John M. Cox, 28 Blackfriars street; Wm. Zoellner, 512 William street; Dan C. McNamara, asylum; Raymond Cabrera, 23 Mount Pleasant avenue; Francis C. Dalton, 666 Lorne avenue; Albert E. Dalton, 666 Lorne avenue; George Dammond, 12 Arthur street; Stella Cowherd, 218 Clarence street; Sophia Ellen Gidley, 3 Cherry avenue; Ethel Dwyer, 3 Cherry avenue; Martha E. Leonard, 359 Dundas street; Mary Regney, 812 Dundas street; Elizabeth Harding, 768 Dundas street; George R. Holmes, 345 Glebe street; Capel Tempelman, 243 Queen's avenue; Will Wylie, 370 Piccadilly street; Will Parker, 443 Ridout street; George A. Arnold, 334 Piccadilly street; Earl Thomas Phaine, 390 Wharncliffe road; Harold Caughlin, 19 McDonald; Mabel Caughlin, 19 McDonald; Mary L. Robins, 124 Wortley road; Mina L. Crookes, 24 Beaconsfield avenue; Joseph Harrison, 5 Grafton street; Florence Cattle, 247 Simcoe street; Clara Dawson, 467 Hamilton road; Edith Askew, 756 Walker; Ethel Tudman, 467 Hamilton road; Eiten Lansbury, 372 Lyle; Fred J. C. Lewis, 397 Salisbury; Grace Lewis, 397 Salisbury; Josephine Clues, 189 Bathurst street; James N. Taylor, 336 Adelaide street.

Decisions were reserved in the following cases: Mrs. Luella Tolmie, Alex. Tolmie, 998 Lorne; Mrs. Mary Atkinson, John Atkinson, 1002 Lorne; Charles Dawe, 868 Dundas; Mary A. Mills, 1041 King; Sadie James, 2 Wharncliffe; Walter Vare, 10 Connaught.

The following appeals were dismissed: Nell Baynes, 13 Oxford; John Stewart Hayck, 9 Maryboro; Malcolm Fowler, 2 Oxford.

# GET EXEMPTION BY APPLICATION TO "UNIONISTS"

Latest machinations of the Conservative workers in North Perth are reported in a special message from Stratford to The Advertiser Monday. It is declared on irrefutable testimony that special messengers are drumming the whole riding of North Perth in an effort to gain votes for the Borden nominee. Every farmer's son who has been refused exemption by the local tribunals has been visited and assured THAT IF HE GOES TO THE CONSERVATIVE COMMITTEE ROOMS IN STRATFORD HIS EXEMPTION WILL BE INSURED.

The dual tactics policy of the Unionists is shown up in this instance in true light. The Unionists, while in some ridings are flaunting their desire for recruits as the reason Borden's supporters should be returned, are at the same time making promises of WITHDRAWING EVERY RECRUIT SECURED UNDER THE M. S. A. in other ridings.

## DR. MUGAN'S FUNERAL LARGELY ATTENDED

The funeral of Dr. P. J. Mugan, one of the best-known East End physicians of this city, who died Friday morning, was held from his late residence, 720 Dundas street, to St. Mary's Church, Monday morning. Solemn requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Forrestal. Assisting Father Forrestal were Rev. Father McKeon and Rev. Father Corcoran, Right Rev. Bishop Fallon and many local and visiting clergy were in the sanctuary. Prayers for the dead were conducted by Bishop Fallon. The board of education and the Knights of Columbus, both bodies of which Dr. Mugan was a valued member, walked to the church.

Vice-President Sutherland and Grand Trustee Stock, of the C. M. B. A., attended the funeral, representing the grand council of the C. M. B. A.

Interment was made at St. Peter's this morning that the provincial Hearst, premier of Ontario, announced Cemetery. The pall-bearers were Philip Pocock, Major T. J. Murphy, Dr. Tillmann, J. F. Nolan, Joseph J. Callaghan and J. Laughlin.

## GRAND PRESIDENT TO INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

Mrs. Moore of Toledo, grand president of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the O.R.C., arrived in the city last evening and this afternoon will attend the installation of the officers of the local branch of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the O.R.C. This evening she will speak at a joint meeting of the O.R.C. and Ladies' Auxiliary, to be held in the I.O.O.F. Hall. While in London Mrs. Moore is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Crooks of 729 King street.

# DISTRICT CASUALTIES

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## Specific Instructions Issued to Deputy Returning Officer of East Middlesex by Wire.

## ALLOWANCES ARE MADE

### Imperfect Record of Women's Names Will Not Bar Them From Vote.

Returning Officer William Boler, R. R. No. 1, London, the official in charge of the election in the electoral riding of East Middlesex, was on Monday given further specific instructions from General Returning Officer O'Connor. These instructions, three in number, were forwarded by wire.

The first of these makes allowance for mistakes in adding the names of women voters in the rural districts; the seecond, is official prohibition of the last-minute addition of any voters who may have moved into the riding since the last municipal lists were compiled; the third makes provision for the vote of Indians.

The second message is most important in the riding as the charge was made in West Middlesex and in less degree in the east riding of the county, that some enumerators were intending to add, by certificate, on the day of election, a number of voters names of men who had come into the riding later than the prescribed time.

The messages were:

"Instruct deputy returning officers that women, whose names are imperfectly written on lists, with or without prefix Mrs., or described by the Christian name of their husband, may nevertheless vote, identifying themselves on demand of an agent, by means of Oath Z, No. 1."

"Enumerators who think that male persons whose names are not on basis list, referred to in Section 65, "A," paragraph 2, can nevertheless be added to list or be given certificates under Section 62, are plainly wrong and contending for that which Section 65 "A," paragraph 2, expressly forbids. Instruct them that unless they follow plain terms of act as expressed in official instructions and this telegram they will make serious trouble for themselves."

"Please notify all your deputies that under Section 10, Sub-Section 2, of Part 4, of elections act, honorably discharged soldiers, including female military nurses, who comply with that sub-section, may vote at proper civil polls, even though under age, and that by order-in-council of the 27th of November, discharged soldiers of any age, who are Indians, may vote under same sub-section at civil polls, of polling divisions within which they reside, on polling day or at polls nearest reservations on which they reside."

## TWO ARE SERIOUSLY ILL WITH BLOOD-POISONING

Frank Griffiths, of East London, and John F. Faulds, of South London, two of this city's well-known lawyers, are very seriously ill at their homes with blood poisoning. Mr. Griffith's eye is infected, and owing to his age, considerable alarm is felt regarding his condition. Mr. Faulds' condition has been very serious for several days.

## VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

WOMAN IN PUBLIC LIFE.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

I, Mrs. Burgess, beg The Advertiser to correct the statement issued in Friday's paper regarding the fracas at the Lyceum. It was not on account of politics that the quarrel arose. It was on account of this female approaching me and calling me a name which cannot be repeated. I struck her with my muff, and said I would slap her face, and she stood at the back and side of my chair and undertook to pound me on the head, and as I arose to defend myself she knocked my hat off and caught hold of my hair with both hands. Then I handed her one or two good ones. What has a woman but her reputation?

Yours truly,

MRS. BURGESS.

PREMIER BORDEN THE GREATEST FIDDLER OF THEM ALL.

To the Editor of the Advertiser:

Nero fiddling while Rome burned is being used by Tory politicians as illustrating Sir Wilfrid Laurier's plan of taking a referendum on military conscription. The illustration more aptly fits Sir Robert Borden, who has been fiddling with win-the-war plans for three years and a-half while the world has been on fire, and who continues to fiddle, when men, food, ships and airships are urgently needed to help win the war.

Political trickery and humbug has characterized the Borden administration all along, while he has been playing on the one string of loyalty to the Empire till people are tired of hearing him play it. Premier Borden is the greatest fiddler of them all.

I imagine I see the kaiser and Satan chuckling in fiendish glee, as Mackenzie & Mann pocket the money derived from the Victory Loan. If ever a government deserved to be turned out of office, the Borden Government should.

WM. E. DE FOREST.

Springford. Ont.

HELPED THE SAILORS.

At the annual meeting of Trafalgar Lodge, I.O.D.E., the members donated $100 to the Navy League for the sailors. During the meeting the lucky coupon was drawn for the tea cloth donated by Mrs. Walker, Cheapside. The duplicate, No. 113, was held by Mrs. Walker, William street.

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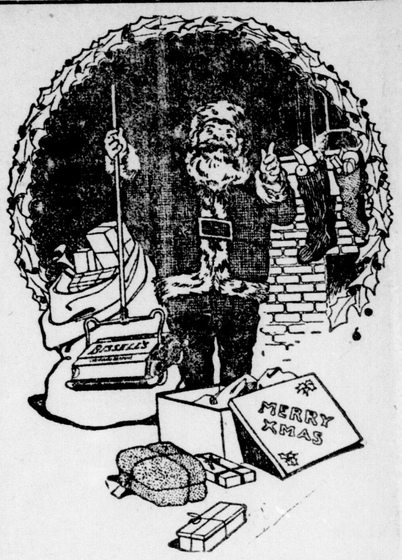


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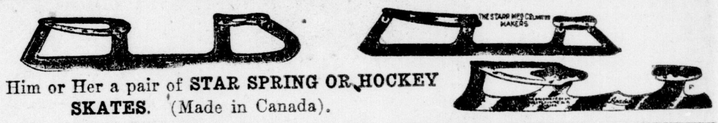

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## DRIFTING LIFEBOAT MAY HOLD FROZEN SAILORS

Dunnville, Ont., Dec. 10.—Capt. Ross of Port Maitland, reports a lifeboat with eight or nine men in it, seen off Port Maitland today, and three tugs are out now searching for it. It is thought they are frozen to death.

The tug Archie W., of Port Dover, went on the Tecumseh Reef on Sunday forenoon and broke up in the storm. No survivors landed, the crew likely being in the drifting boat.

## MANY BOMBS DROPPED ON GERMAN BILLETS

London, Dec. 9.—(Delayed)—The official statement on aviation activities, issued tonight, reads:

"On Saturday rain prevented flying until the afternoon, when a certain amount of artillery work and scouting was done. Our airplanes dropped bombs on hostile billets and fired many rounds at ground targets. Two of our airplanes are missing."

# NO TRACES FOUND OF STEAMER SIMCOE

## Last Heard of Was in Distress Off Magdalen Islands.

Quebec, Dec. 11.—The officials of the marine department here have received no tidings of the seamer Simcoe which was reported sinking off Magdalen Islands last Friday. Word was received from Charlottetown, P. E. I., that the steamer Aranmore had returned after patrolling the waters in which the vessel was last reported, but had seen no trace of the vessel or crew.

CHARITY BAZAAR.

In aid of the orphans and aged, the annual charity bazaar will be held at the Sacred Heart Convent today. A large assortment of fancy and useful articles will be offered for sale and supper will be served from 5:30 to 8 o'clock. The public is invited.


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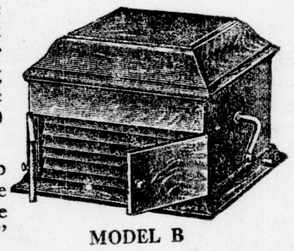

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