RIDOUT ST. BRIDGE MUST BE KEPT UP, SOLICITOR STATES

Appeal to Legislature Now the Only Way.

USE LONDON CITY BILL

If Ratified, Construction Can Be Carried Out Despite Vote.

Appeal to the Legislature to permit the building of Ridout street bridge in spite of the adverse vote of the people is the only course open to the city. This was the information gained by a committee consisting of Mayor Little and Ald. Moorhead, which interviewed the city solicitor. They will report to this effect at the meeting of No. 2 committee tonight. Owing to illness in his family, Ald. Moorhead will not be able to attend the meeting.

Is Public Highway.

It is understood that the city solicitor advised the committee that Ridout street, being a public highway, must be maintained in a safe condition. This was the contention of several aldermen before the election. They maintained that the project should never have been submitted to a vote.

At present the bridge is not safe for heavy traffic and until considerable results. heavy traffic and until considerable re-pairs have been made, City Engineer Brazier will not declare it safe for traffic of even four tons' weight. Signs stating the condition of the bridge have

vehicle drivers.

It is doubtful, however, whether this absolves the city from responsibility in the event of an accident occurring through the condition of the bridge. A majority of five hundred against the bridge was recorded majority of five hundred against the building of a new bridge was recorded at the last election. In spite of this, however, the proposal can be put in the city of London-bill. If it is ratified by the Legislature it can still be carried out as a matter of public safety, in spite of the very selection. still be carried out as a matter of public safety, in spite of the vote,
Ald, Moorhead asked whether in the event of the Legislature refusing to ratify the proposal the city would still be liable, for accidents occurring through the condition of the bridge. The solicitor replied that he thought this would be the ease.

DR. J. B. CAMPBELL SUCCUMBS TO FLU EXPRESS SYMPATHY

Former Professor of Western. However, III Two Years.

Campbell who had been for the past two years, luenza last week, which death at a late hour last [2nd year. Dr. Campbell elmont, a son of the late a well-known physi-for some years. Dr. ted from the Western afterward going to his father's office. Western Professor.
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M. A., was a great reader, and possessed one of the finest private libraries in London. He was before his illness an active Mason, but for the past two years had been unable to take any part in social affairs. He was a member of dilwinning Lodge. His only surviving relative is Mrs. E. L. Williams of Ongen's avenue. Queen's avenue
The funeral will be held on Thursday
from his residence at 2:30 o'clock, under Masonic auspices. Interment will be made in Woodland Cemetery.

WHO WANTS TO OPEN

TRADE WITH AUSTRALIA?

The secretary of the Associated Press of Australia has written to Gordon Philip, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, asking for a list of all merchants in this city who may desire to open trade relations with Australia and New Zealand. The letter states that the information will be supplied free of charge to the merchants of the two countries. Any local merchants, desiring to open trade relations with the countries, are requested to get in touch countries, are requested to get in touch Icy Streets Cause of Many with Mr. Philip.

THE FIRST WHITE MEN.

Mrs. P. J. McEwan of town. Alice, who was eighteen years of age, was attending the faculty in Toronto, and roves the complexion, it whitens the eath and further acts as a natural and teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic.

It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the most farge, pleasant tasting lozenges, charcoal being mixed with honey, he daily use of these lozenges will need the in a much-improved condition, be general health, better complexion, eter breath and purer blood, and the uty of it is, that no possible harm result from their continued use, but the contrary, great benefit.

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The death occurred here this aftermon of Miss Irene Pridham. Miss Pridham was in her 25th year. Much sympathy is extended to the hereaved family, as about two years ago they lost a daughter, who was in her 18th year.

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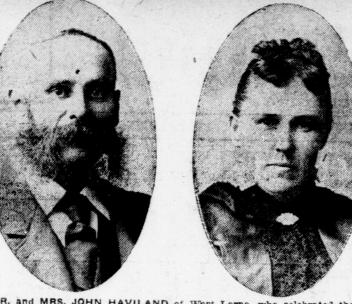
SATURDAY CONCERT.

The Victoria College Glee Club of sents suffering from gas in stomach and owels, and to clear the complexion of purify the breath, mouth and troat; I also believe the liver is greatly better the daily use of them; they but twenty-five cents a box at rug stores, and although in some sense patent preparation, yet I believe I get tore and better charcoal in Stuart's harcoal Lozenges than in any of the rdinary charcoal tablets."

SATURDAY CONCERT.

The Victoria College Glee Club of Toronto will give a concert Saturday evening next in Dundas Centre Methodist Church. All who heard this organization the last time they sang in London will be delighted to know a return engagement has been arranged. Miss Hazel Wharton, elocutionist, is with the club.

CELEBRATED GOLDEN WEDDING



Sinners Walk on

Slippery Places,

Tumbles in Morning

IN HARD CASH FOR **EGERTON ST. PEOPLE**

Friends Voluntarily Subscribe Towards New Church.

That the sympathy of London generally goes out to the congregation of the Egerton Street Baptist Church in the loss of the new building is shown The merchants have worked overtime by the fact that \$1,200 already has been western Professor, mber of years he was prophysiology at the Western and also associate professor and honorary physician to or Incurables. Dr. Campbell, Liberal in politics, was twice the party nominations for but refused to be a candition of fine. He was at one ical officer of the Seventh giment.

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The \$20,000 insurance will just wipe off the remaining debt on the church.

Mr. Bingham said, and it was estimated that it would take \$50,000 to rebuild the edifice. The Adelaide Street Baptist Church took a collection on Sunday night for the purpose of replacing the the hotels, restaurants and tearooms all benefit by this day's trade.

Again this year, the association has taken over the Mysterlous Miss Dollar feature, and is offering the grand prize for her capture. It is a lucky person who makes the capture. In addition to the grand prize, several merchants are offering special prizes providing the capture is made in their stores. Let all London help make this day a big success. Church took a collection on Sunday night for the purpose of replacing the hymn books which were burnt. Tele-grams of condolence to the congrega-

Paris, Brantford, St. Catharines and other places, all hoping for a speedy rebuilding of the Egerton Street Church. SO G. W. V. A. ROOMS **ARE NOW DESERTED**

but Others Fall Secretary Sits Alone, While Members Earn Money.

of the G. W. V. A. on Queen's avenue.

Up to a week ago one could always find a chummy group of ten to fifteen sitting about the fire, discussing all the great political meetings of the day

Tumbles in Morning
The First White Men.
The Thursday evening lecture at the Western University this week will be of particular Canadian interest, the first White Men in Southern Ontario. First Coyne will give an account of the first explorers who came through this part of the province in the middle of the seventeenth century, and will illustrate strategy of the province in the middle of the province in the province

that farmers were already coming to him for men for the spring and summer. Some of them are offering as high as \$50 per month.

"FLU," CRIP, COLDS,

"Increases, for the Brantford fire department were passed by the city council here tonight as follows: First year, \$4.50; captains, \$5.00 per day. Capt. George Kingswell was made assistant chief, at a salary of \$1,90 per year, \$4.50; captains, \$5.00 per day. Capt. George Kingswell was made assistant chief, at a salary of \$1,90 per year, \$4.50; captains, \$5.00 per day. Capt. George Kingswell was made assistant chief, at a salary of \$1,90 per year, \$4.50; captains, \$5.00 per day. Capt. George Kingswell was made assistant chief, at a salary of \$1,90 per year, \$4.50; captains, \$5.00 per day. Capt. George Kingswell was made assistant chief, at a salary of \$1,90 per year, \$4.50; captains, \$5.00 per day. Capt. George Kingswell was made assistant chief, at a salary of \$1,90 per year, \$4.50; captains, \$5.00 per day. Capt. George Kingswell was made assistant chief, at a salary of \$1,90 per year, \$4.50; captains, \$5.00 per day. Capt. George Kingswell was made assistant chief, at a salary of \$1,90 per year, \$4.50; captains, \$5.00 per day. Capt. George Kingswell was made assistant chief, at a salary of \$1,90 per year, \$4.50; captains, \$5.00 per day. Capt. George Kingswell was made assistant chief, at a salary of \$1,90 per year, \$4.50; captains, \$5.00 per day.

DOES NOT WANT TO LIVE VERY LONG, SO **GETS WILDLY DRUNK**

Joe Knoskey Springs Brand New Excuse.

AIRS FAMILY TROUBLE

But Magistrate Is Inclined To Believe Word of the

It has been said that there is nothing new under the sun, but this was disproved in police court today when a perfectly new excuse was handed over to the court for consumption by Joe Knoskey MR. and MRS. JOHN HAVILAND of West Lorne, who celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding at their home in West Lorne last week, surrounded by their children and grandchildren.

If Power Supply Increases, But Demand Still Leads, What Shall Commission Do About Extension?

General Manager Will Present Plans For More Sub-Stations and Underground Wires—Some Believe Shortage of Power Is Permanent.

Extensive building plans, involving and underground to abolish the unsightly poles will be laid before the utilities commission by the present before the demand for power. Even all the Manager Ev. Ruchanan summer way at the present this, they said, will be laid before the utilities commission by demand for power. Even all the Manager Ev. Ruchanan summer way at the way silve be austrictent to meet it. Manager's Argument. General Manager Ev. Ruchanan summer way at the present this, they said the demand for power. Even all the Manager's Argument. General Manager Ev. Ruchanan summer way at the present this, they said the demand for power available or even part of the work done this will not be done with the idea of having a cover part of the work done this will not be done with the idea of having a cover part of the work done this way in the beautifelent to meet it. The members an opportunity to make preparations now to meet it. The members an opportunity to make preparations now to meet it. The formation of the situation this way. "Supposing the have twice as much power available or the situation this way. "Supposing the hard additional power is available? The demand may be greated the members an opportunity to make preparations now to meet it. The members an opportunity to make preparations now to meet it. The members an opportunity to make preparations now to meet it. The members an opportunity to make preparations now to meet it. The members and proportunity to make preparations now to meet it. The members and proportunity to make preparations now to meet it. The members and proportunity to make preparations now to m

man.
"He left his first wife and married me in Chicago last year," she said. "I been married nine months and ever since I marry I cry all time. He no treat me right."

February 12 Is

Date Set for

Dollar Day

Merchants Have All Worked
Overtime To Have Every.

thing Ready.

London's first Dollar Day for 1920
will be field on Thursday, February 12.

The merchants have worked overtime

The service of the service

CITY GARBAGE.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Just a few lines to protest against the unsatisfactory system adopted in collecting the above, in the outlying districts.

In the first place, each householder is warned to have a series of covered receptacles, each of which is supposed to contain the garbage allotted to it, but yet when the collector does pay a "freak" visit to collect, the whole of the contents of the cans are dumped into the one cart indiscriminately, hence where is the sense in having separate receptacles. Again, how long do those cans serve their purpose under the cans serve their purpose under the gen-tle usage of the collectors? Probably tle usage of the collectors? Probably they may survive three or four handlings, after which they show unmistakable signs of collapsing in the middle; result, your hand down again for new years.

new cans. I. for one, would sooner pay for a team to take my rubbish away, than to be waiting daily for a garbage cart that never comes. have complained about the non-I have complained about the non-collection, and presume may still keep on doing so. I have not had a collec-tion from my place since Christmas, and probably there are other citizens in the

same boat.

Fancy, taking movie pictures of the back yards, which will show nothing to the credit of the garbage system.

Why does not the garbage superintendent hitch a trailer on to his auto, as while, and bring in an odd tendent hitch a trailer on to his auto, once in a while, and bring in an odd load now and then. It would be good exercise, and would certainly please quite a few. Besides it would show that he took an interest in his work.

In conclusion, I respectfully ask our that he took are the services and the services.

CREST OF EPIDEMIC PASSED, SAYS M. O. H. OF BRANTFORD CITY GUELPH TEACHERS

Firemen Put On Same Pay Scale As the Police Department.

BRANTFORD, Feb. 9.—Dr. W. L. Hutton, M.O.H., announced today that unless the unexpected happened within the next week the crest of the Ontario influence the creation in the contact of the Ontario influence the creation in the cre in the next week the crest of the On-tario influenza epidemic would be passed, and it would not be necessary to open up an emergency hospital here. Although many cases of influenza were reported here today, there were only a few cases reported of a virulent type.

INCREASE FOR FIREMEN.

Mid-Winter

Our February Sale of Furniture has become a recognized sales event of tremendous importance to our many friends who look forward to it each year with renewed interest. Never have our preparations for a similar event been made on a more extensive scale. Of the results we believe we are justifiably proud since in spite of the present-day difficulties and lack of material in the furniture world, we are able to announce an all-inclusive selection from all the leading makers. Whether a complete set or just a beautiful single piece, you will find

it here in our regular standard quality at prices notably low. Every group or article in the sale individually confirms our statement that you can buy more profitably here at this or any other time.



Bedroom Furniture in February Sale

the tops, fronts and panels are genuine mahogany and the posts, rails and toilet frames are birch, finished standard red mahogany to match the balance of suite, Napoleon bed. dresser, chiffonier (with mirror), and dressing table complete this suite. February sale special \$289.00

One only Vanity Dresser and Bench to match, genuine walnut. February Furniture Sale, Wednesday, one-quarter off. Sale \$113.75

One only Bedroom Suite, Colonial design; One only Walnut Dressing Table, three mirrors. February Sale Special, Wednesday \$43.75

> Two only Somnoes. ivory enamelled, half price. February Sale, Wednesday \$6.75

One only Cheval, ivory enamelled, the mirror is best British beveled plate, size 20x56 inches. February Sale, Wednesday. . \$34.00

One only Walnut Dresser, the top, front and ends are genuine walnut, the mirror frames and posts are walnut finish. February Special, Wednesday \$47.50

New Shipment of Upholstery Tapestries \$2.50 to \$5.50 Per Yard



We have just received a new shipment of Upholstery Tapestries that are very scarce, and have been for the past six months. We are very fortunate in securing this shipment, and those who have furniture to re-cover would be very wise to secure sufficient of these tapestries, even if work is done later. These are mostly verdure designs, and very attractive color combinations. Prices are, per yard \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50

WORN FURNITURE RE-COVERED.

We also do the work of reupholstering, and employ only thoroughly experienced upholsterers on this work, who can upholster to your satisfaction any piece of furniture that perhaps is stored away and which will certainly repay you to have made over like new at very little cost, compared

Window Shades Made to Order

MODERATE PRICES-PLUS SATISFACTION



Every/shade and roller is tried and tested before it leaves our workroom; materials of good quality only used, and only experienced workmen employed. We will appreciate the opportunity to furnish an estimate for shades for your new home, and will measure up your windows and furnish price estimate, without charge or obliga-

A phone call or post card will bring our man promptly.

Best Quality Shade Cloths are stocked in cream, ivory, putty, dark green, terra cotta, buff, plain colors; duplex colors in dark green and white, dark green and cream, terra cotta and cream; also shadowproof cloth in cream and white, as well as the famous King's Scotch Hollands in white only.

Hartsborn Rollers are the only make used by us. We carry these in all sizes. No order too large and none too small for us to handle.

FEBRUARY FURNITURE SALE 10 to 50 Per Cent Off.

Cortese Orchestra - Restaurant, at Noon Luncheon, 12 to 2,



FEBRUARY VICTOR RECORDS NOW ON SALE.

Grill Service, Restaurant-Planked Steaks, etc.

ARE GRANTED BIG **INCREASES OF SALARY**

Lady Teachers Given Increase of \$200 Each This Year.

GUELPH, Feb. 9.—Substantial salary GUELPH, Feb. 9.—Substantial salary increases were granted to, the teachers of the collegiate institute and public schools by the board of education at the regular meeting held this evening. The collegiate teachers received in-

The Army of Constipation Is Growing Smaller Every Day CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

are responsible. Not only relieve constipation, but correct biliousness, sick headache, indigestion tallow skin low skin they never of regular habits tollow. Furely

Small Pill-Small Dose-Small Price DR. CARTIN'S IRON PILLS, Nature's and blood tonic for s and Female Weakness.

crases ranging from \$100 to \$300 from \$1,800 to \$2,500 per year, the principal receiving \$200 of an increase. The public school teachers will receive a minimum of \$1,200, with the exception of fourth book teachers, which shall be \$1,250; lady principals to receive \$1,300. All lady teachers received an increase of \$200 this year and \$50 a year thereafter until the maximum has been reached. The commercial teachers' salary is advanced to \$1,700, and the manual training instructor to \$1,800. Minimum salaries for male teachers was fixed at \$1,200 per year, and the maximum at \$1,800. Male principals will get an advance of \$150 per year.

A resolution to provide free textbooks to all the pupils of the public schools was left over until the next meeting. The chairman, Wm. Buskin, in his inaugural address, favored the sholishing of entrance examinations

meeting. The chairman, Wm. Buskin, in his inaugural address, favored the abolishing of entrance examinations and all homework.

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TO GO OVER TOP.

The great Forward Movement got under way in real earnest in Guelph today, the canvassers in the various church and denominations starting out with plenty of enthuslasm, and so far have been exceptionally well received. While it is altogether too soon to give figures which will adequately indicate how the campaign is going those who while it is altogether too soon to give figures which will adequately indicate how the campaign is going, those who have charge of the work are full of confidence in the ultimate success of their undertaking, and it is generally conceded that Gueiph will go over the top. Chalmers Presbyterian Church, with a membership of over 1,000, and an objective of \$16,500, will not put on its campaign until April on account of the condition of the country roads, many of their members residing in the country. The Anglican churches of the city report tonight that something over \$6,000 is the result of their day's work. The Methodists had a good day, Norfolk Street, \$4,000; Dublin Street, \$3,000; Paisley Memorial, \$1,500; Elora, \$1,050, and Erin, \$605. These are all the Methodist figures available tonight. Knox and St. Andrew's Presbyterians' total is something like \$6,000, but it is impossible to obtain accurate figures from either the Congregational or Baptist.

PAID \$700 AND COSTS TILLSONBURG, Feb. 9.—As the re-

Sends a Message of Cheer to the Thous ands of Canadian Women Who Carry a Load of Pain and Weariness Through Their Dally Work. Pre. Ste. Marie, Sask., Feb. 9 .- (Spe. cial) .- "I have used three boxes of

Dodd's Kidney Pills and one of Diamon Dinner Pills for backache. "They cured me." This short message that goes direct to the point comes from Mrs. M. Lafont, a well-known and highlyrespected resident here. It must bring cheer to that great army of Canadian

women who daily go about their household duties weighed down by that curse of womanhood, dreary dragging pain in the back. The relief that Mrs. Lafont found moisten the hair with water has come to thousands of other Cana-in. It makes an abundang dla women through the use of Dodd's creamy lather, which rinses

Kidney Pills. That shows that the ache removing every particle of is caused by the kidneys. For Dodd's Kidney Pills are purely dries quickly and evenly, a and simply a kidney remedy. For more the scalp soft, and the h than a quarter of a century Dodd's silky, bright, lustrous, fluff Kidney Pills have been a household to manage. remedy in thousands of Canadian You can get Mulsifled co in the family medicine chest by the cheap, and a few ounces good work they have done. Ask your every member of the family f neighbors about Dodd's Kidney Pills. —Advt.



Hair Often Ruined By Careless Washing

Soap should be used very carefully, you want to keep your hair looking best. Most soaps and prepared poos contain too much alkali. dries the scalp, makes the hair and ruins it.

sified cocoanut oil shampoo pure and greaseless), and is be anything else you can use. One or two teaspoonfuls w the hair and scalp thoroughly dandruff and excessive oil