?? WHAT DID YOU SAY ??

Some Airy Persifiage in the Form of Few Line Interviews Secured From Reporters, Dictagraphs and the Little Humming Birds of Gossip.

### Jam in River Has Broken and Cleared Out.

The ice jam at Delaware has broken iter keeping the residents of that sec-ion in a state of nerves for about four reeks. The spring weather accomweeks. The spring weather accomplished what sundry charges of dynamite failed to do. It dislodged the blockade early Sunday afternoon. The ce started to break off in small pieces and soon the whole mass moved out the a rush. No damage was caused. In river is back to its natural course. The district, however, retains a surflus of food momentoes in the form of nountains of ice which were carried on the banks and farms in the vicinity. The river road leading to Delaware

# FINE REPORTS MARK ANNUAL MEETING OF

has recently been appointed to the field be done this year, the council refusing in Mstory, men who have made the lepartment of the International Association, was the chief speaker today of Strafford, March 19—James Wichie.

STRATFORD YOUTH SENTENCED of the real, 18-karat gold article. Altodepartment of the International Assodepartment of the International Association, was the chief speaker today of the county convention of the East Middlesx Sunday School Association in the London Life building.

Mr. Halpenny explained the Canadian Standard efficiency test program for boys' clribs and organized classes. In connection with the physical development tests he laid special emphasis on the group games.

Broadlest Fare Hunt of Lambeth in Proceedings of the realize for a forged check. He with two other boys forged a check for \$175 and securing the money planned to leave the real, 18-karat gold article. Alto gether now Hip! Hip! Hip! Hurrah!

CONDON EDITOR TO BECOME PROFESSOR.

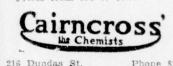
regularity in attendance on part of teachers and pupils, inattention of pupils and unprepared lessons.

Secretary Treasurer Frank Whitehall presented an encouraging financial report, while Mrs. F. Whitehall presented the class is the president, and A. E. Henderson is the secretary of the club. The members report that the class is in a flourishing condition.

SEVENTEEN IN CLASS Members of St. Matthew's Church Con firmed by Bishop Monday Night.

Bishop Williams confirmed seventeen candidates at the confirmation service in St. Matthew's Church Monday evening. A large number of the candidates were adults. The bishop preached from the text, "Ye are the light of the world." He impressed his hearers with the necessity of working for Christ among their associates.

The service was largely attended ad



# NEWS

WILL MEET TONIGHT.—At a meeting of the 33rd Comrades' Club to be held this evening, the members will discuss arrangements for the social work of the organization

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BADGE AWAITS OWNER.—There is awaiting at the 2" war service badge" office, M. D. No. 1, a Class D badge, awarded to W. L. Pinnell, who has removed from the address given when moved from the address given when making his application.

JOSEPH DEAN, President Trades and Labor Council—When I was in Toronto recently I heard a few plugs taking a knock at London. I told 'em I'd rather live in London at a dollar a week than occupy Government House and have a million a month for spending money in

Gunner Leo Jackson of the 63rd Depot Battery, whose leg was slightly injured when he was kicked by a horse Satur-day, is reported as rapidly recovering at

the Military Hospital today.

BLAZE IN KITCHEN.—The fire department was called to the Dominion cafe about 10 o'clock last night. A blaze which had started under a stove from some hot grease was soon put out, and little here. mountains of ice which were carried on to the banks and farms in the vicinity. The river road leading to Delaware from Komoka bridge will not likely be pended for many weeks. It is impass-some years, intends taking up a section of farm land. Mrs. Young will remain of farm land. Mrs. Young will remain and who were wings are too stiff to ity. from some hot grease was soon put out, and little harm was done. opened for many weeks. It is impasssome years, intends taking up a section
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SUNDAY SCHOOL
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SUNDAY SCHOOL PRESENTATION. A MAPLE SYRUP MAKER .- Sure. SUNDAY SCHOOL PRESENTATION.

—Bombardier William E. Pearson of the 63rd Depot Battery, until recently secretary of the Askin Street Methodist Sunday school, was presented this week by the superintendent, on behalf of the school, with a handsome knife, fork and spoon kit. He expects to leave shortly for overseas.

A MAPLE SYRUP MAKER.—Sure. I'm in this game to make money. I have tapped over forty of London's trees, and I've got about five gallons of jude from them so far. There are thousands of trees waiting to be tapped, but the folks will have to get busy soon.

A WRITER GUY.—I wrote a feature like this years and verys ago but I got

Shortly for overseas.

LECTURING ON ALASKA.—An interesting illustrated lecture will be given in Talbot Street Baptist Church on Thursday evening, March 21, on the Grandeur of the Glaciers, or a Trip Through Alaska," by Rev. R. J. Bowen.

Mr. Bowen has traveled all through this country and has secured nearly one hundred colored views.

HOTELS MUST PAY.—The standard hotels will be compelled to pay taxes on real estate this year. The Government has by statute remitted the business tax, and last year the city remitted an amount equal to the business tax, amounting to about \$2,900. This will not be done this year, the council refusing

Ezra Hunt of Lambeth, in MEMBERS DECORATED SUNDAY s opening address, dwelt upon some of e discouragements met in Sunday hool work, which he outlined as ir-

report of the development of element-ry work in the schools, of which de-artment she is superintendent.

RENOVATING CHURCH.—Contracts have been let for the renovating of the A nominating committee was appointed, as follows: Messrs. Knapton and Patterson, London Township; Kaiser, ated, an electric organ blower will be Delaware; Smale, Westminster; Miss Duffin, Nissouri, and Mr. Whitehall, the Sunday school room in the meanter of the church will be reopened in

time. The church will be reopened in An exceptionally large class, over thirty young people is being prepared for confirmation in St. LARGE CONFIRMATION CLASS .of Huron College, who has been taking

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\$20,000 NOW.—A building permit has countrymen at the Tecumseh today.

len during the St. Patrick's masked Monday night. Some novel coses were worn by the masqueraders, and those to receive prizes were Fred loward Smith and Edna Baldwin, carried off the prizes for the best nile costumes. The prize for the ladies' costume was divided between the prize and Fred Options Special

### BODY OF LIEUT REG. SANBORN, WHO MET DEATH FLYING IN ENGLAND, REACHED LONDON AT NOON TODAY

Will Be Buried Here With Full Military Honors - Funeral Will Likely Be Held on Thursday From Parents' Residence On Du fferin Avenue.

THE FIRST SPRING ROBIN .-- I

The body of Flight-Lieut, W. Reg.
Samborn, killed while flying in England about four weeks ago, reached London at noon today on the C. P. R. It was taken to Smith, Son & Clarke's undertaking parlors, and later to the parents' home at 379 Dufferin avenue. The time of the funeral had not been decided on early this afternoon, but it was said that it was altogether flikely that it would be held on Thursday afternoon.

Brig.-Gen. Shannon has advised the parents of Lieut. Sanborn that a military funeral will be held. Mr. and Mrs. Sanborn are also in receipt of a letter written by the keeper of the privy purse expressing the sorrow of the King and Queen over the death of Lieut. Sanborn.

The young Londoner was a chum of Lieut, Somerville, word of whose death from wounds was received yesterday.
The remains of the young aviator reached St. John Sunday, and C. P. R. Agent McCallum of this city notified his parents that the C. P. R. officials had a man at the dock looking after the transfer of the body.

Lieut, Sanborn's parents are very grateful to the secretary of the war largest ever held here.

Office in London for his prompt response to Mr. Sanborn's cable asking that the body of his son be sent home for burial. Following the cable from the war for cable from the war folice advising the body was being held for conveyance to Canada, the matter was taken up with A. P. Price, general manager of the C.P.R., who gave the matter his attention and within two hours instructions were cabled to the C.P.R. in London, England, to take full charge of the body and attend to its conveyance to London, Canada.

Letters have lately been received by the parents from friends in England, giving particulars of the accident. One was from Fred Matthews was in London. England, at the time of the death of Lieut. Sanborn and wrote that there were very peculiar conditions of the air on the day of the accident. One was from Fred Matthews, assistant inspector of the postal department here in London. Mr. Matthews was in London. England, at the tim

## TWO CASES SETTLED **BEFORE CALLED FOR**

Petit and Grand Jurors Had Initial Step in District Re-

Nothing To Do. Settlements in two cass were analined by Rush were the result of a gas from the hospitals complete on the defendant's gas line on militia department was the Wortley road in July last. The laintiff at the time was employed by the laintiff at the laintif

AT GUELPH O. A. C. Takes Chair of Animal Hus-Wade Toole, managing editor of the Farmer's Advocate, this city, and one of the best-known livestock experts in Canada, will, on May 1, assume the declare the defendant's rights under a certain agreement forfeited, was settled by allowing the plaintiff's claim as duties of professor of animal husbandry at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. The announcement of his appointment to succeed Prof. George E. Day, was made from Guelph on Monday night. Prof. Day, who has held the chair for many years, has resigned to become secretary of the Shorthorn Breeders' Association.

Mr. Toole is a graduate of 1911 of the O. A. C. In June of that year he joined the Farmer's Advocate staff as livestock editor, and in October, 1913, became managing editor. He was born and raised on a livestock farm at Whitevale, Ontario County, and is considered.

raised on a livestock farm at Whitevale, Ontario County, and is considered by agricultural experts as one of the best posted livestock men in Canada. His ment in the Rush vs. Southern Gas ment in the Rush vs. Southern Gas

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### HOSPITAL FORMALLY TRANSFERRED FROM HEARING AT ASSIZES COMMISSION MONDAY

organization Taken. The initial step in the change of orounced this morning at the opening of the second day's sittings of the supreme and convalescent soldiers will be handled in this district, was taken on Monday when the Central Military Concourt assizes now in session at the court house.

The only jury case to have been heard, that of John Rush against the Southern Gas Company, for \$15,000 for injuries sustained by the plaintiff, was the first to be settled. Rush agreed to accept \$2,800 and withdraw all further claim against the company. The injuries sustained by Burk was the result of a gas a carried to the company. The injuries sustained by Burk was the result of a gas a carried in the transfer were the buildings, equipment and personnel, The accuracy of the organization of the carried passing over of the organization. was formally taken over by the militla department from the Military Hospitals Commission Command. Included in the transfer were the actual passing over of the organization from the hospitals commission to the milltia department was the culmination of conferences and discussions extendthe utilities commission, and it was while at work on a water main laid a few inches from the gas pipe that the latter exploded. His injuries have resulted in his being since incapacitated from work.

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It is expected that the committee will then meet the London Street Rail-

### HIS 70TH BIRTHDAY

Harry Merritt, sergeant-at-arms for the city council, and one of the real fixtures at the city hall, is observing the 70th anni-versary of his birth today. The officials took occasion to individu-ally and collectively congratulate him. He declares that he is going to stick to the old ship for many years.

### **COUNCIL EXPRESSES** ITS SYMPATHY TO FAMILY OF MAYOR

Passes Resolution of Condolence On Son's Death.

The city council at its session Monday evening passed the following resolution of condolence to Mayor C. R. Somerville on the death of his son, Lieut, Kenneth Ian Somerville, in ac-

tion in France: Controller Merryfield, seconded by Alderman Wilson, moves that Whereas the council of the corporation of the city of London learns with deep and sincere regret of the decease of his Worship Mayor Somerville's son, Lieut. Kenneth I. Somerville, from wounds received on the battle-field of France. The toll of the great war comes heavy upon the hearts of Canadians, high and low. The fame of the gallant deeds of Canada's youth will make a most wondrous story in the his-

deeds of Canada's youth will make a most wondrous story in the history of this land. For King and country our young men have flocked to arms in defence of the flag and their country, and the annals of their deeds have not been eclipsed by the story of the past. While the hearts of the fathers and mothers have all they can bear, the fact that the manner of their death was so glorious helps to soothe the sorrowing heart. This council desires to express to his Worship Mayor Somerville and Mrs. Somerville their admiration for the heroic sacrifice of their son, and deeply sympathize with them in their hour of sorrow. May the all-wise Father in Heaven cheer and comfort them and enable them to bear this sore affliction; Be it resolved that the council of the corporation of the city of London place on record this expression of its sincere sympathy with his Worship Mayor Somerville and Mrs. Somerville in their deep sorrow in the decease of their son, Lieut. Kenneth I. Somerville, on the battlefield of France in de-Lieut. Kenneth I on the battlefield of France in de-fence of the country which he so

### REFUSE TO TALK ON KITCHENER'S SHOOTING CASE

Be it also resolved that the clerk of the corporation be instructed to forward a copy of this resolution to his Worship Mayor Somerville and Mrs. Somerville.

Military Authorities Remain Mum Pending Probe.

stances, the military authorities have no statement to make regarding the oc-

GALT.—H. Cumming, 78 Chalmers day. street; N. G. Kinsman, 44 Beverly street; W. Middleton, 1 Borden street; linter

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### Or at the Door. **NEAR TRAGEDY WHEN** POLICE OPEN FIRE ON

SUSPECTED DEFAULTER Kitchener Soldiers Discover

They Captured "Wrong

Man."

KITCHENER, March 18 .- That it is foolish thing to try to run away from the military police was discovered to day by Clinton Shantz of Waterloo, who narrowly escaped being shot as a resul of his attempt to evade officers w have been in this district rounding up defaulters since Friday last. Shantz was driving home on Erb street, Waterloo, after midnight, when he heard a revolver shot which whizzed by his carriage and was followed by another which pierced the buggy top. His horse became frightened and ran away, turning into Shantz's yard, closely followed by the military police. When Shantz was rounded up it was discovered that he was the wrong man. The military police claim they shouted to him to halt and he claims that he did not hear them.

Later reports on the condition of Philip Nowak, military deserter, who was shot accidentally by P. C. Blevins on Sunday afternoon, are that he is improved, and will in all probability recover. It has been determined at the hospital that the bullet glanced off Nowak's hiphene and logged in his nave been in this district rounding

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

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FUNERAL MONDAY.

264 Oxford street, Monday after a long illness. He is survived by his parents and one brother. The funeral will be held from the family residence Wednesday. The services will be conducted at 2 o'clock by Rev. Dr. James MacKay of New St. James Presbyterian Church, Interment will be made at Woodland Cemetery.

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and Mrs. James Booket of Lake
O'Dessa, Mich. The body arrived in
London from St. Thomas today, and
the funeral will be held from the undertaking parlors of Smith, Son &
Clarke Wednesday morning at 10:30.
Interment will be made at Mount Pleasart Cemetery. druggist now. Apply a little of this trils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream

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