CUT OUT RED TAPE TO GET HELP FOR DISTRICT FARMERS

Miss Harvey of Toronto Will Assist in Production Campaign.

MEN ARE NEEDED AT ONCE

Up To Present Time Response To Appeal Has Not Been Encouraging.

Miss Harvey, Toronto, connected with the department of agriculture for the province, arrived in the city last evening, and this morning opened an office with R. A. Finn, agricultural commissioner for this district, to secure help for the farmers of this district.

She has had considerable experience in this line of endeavor, and expects to have some success here. The idea is to deal directly with the farmer, cutting out all red tape.

Direct Action Needed.

"We must get the farmer and the help together with the least possible delay," said Miss Harvey. "Help is wanted now, and we hope to bring the farmers and the city men together at once."

She is confident that there can be many men secured in Hamilton for this district. There is a surplus of help there, and Miss Harvey will make efforts to have some of the men come to London, in order to relieve the situation in Middlesex.

Response Not Encouraging.

There will be a meeting of the manufacturers and the Greater Production Committee this afternoon, to discuss ways and means of getting the men needed. So far the response has not been as numerous as anticipated. Efforts will be made to mobilize the city employees first. There are at least 20 men who can do good work on the farms, and they will be sent out at once. The city will pay 25 per cent of their salary while doing this patriotic service.

SQUADS WILL QUESTION ELIGIBLE YOUNG MEN

Lists Have Been Prepared and Work Will Commence at Once.

The work of interviewing the eligible young men of this city with a view to getting them to sign up with one of the overseas units now recruiting in this district, is to begin at once, and to be carried on energetically and in a systematic way.

Using both the lists prepared by the national service commission and the lists more recently compiled by the civic recruiting committee in this city, each unit will have small squads of men, and these will work under the direction of Capt. Irvine, officer in charge of the mobilization centre at the armories, and will report the results of their work to him. He will divide up the city into sections, and allot to each unit a certain section in which to work.

It was expected that the work would begin some time ago, but some little time was necessary to prepare complete lists, and now that these have been completed, the sergeants will begin to interview men at once, and the men obtained will be for the Canadian Expeditionary Force. Recruiting for the Canada defence force has not as yet begun, but it is expected that the names of the commanding officers and their staffs, for the home defence units will be announced shortly, and that the work of recruiting for home service will then be put under way.

EASTER MUSIC AT TALBOT ST.

The following program of Easter music was given by the Talbot Street Baptist choir, under the capable direction of the organist, Mrs. McHardy-Smith:

Anthem—"Who Is Like Unto Thee." Solo—"Hosanna," Granier ..... Miss Boasi
Anthem—"Who Shall Roll Away the Stone?"
Anthem—"We Declare Unto You Glad Tidings."
Solo—"For I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," Handel.....Miss Boasi
Anthem—"The Heavens Are Telling."
Solo—"The Pilot Song"....Miss Boasi

The solo parts in the anthems were taken by Misses Thom and Evison and Messrs. Brown, Greenslade, Love, Norfolk and Robertson.

The soloist for the day, Miss Marcia Boasi of Toronto, displayed splendid interpretation and possesses a voice of exceptional range, with uniform evenness and good quality of tone. Her numbers were much appreciated.

BRADSHAW RENOMINATED.

Prince Albert, Sask., April 10.—Lieut.-Col. J. E. Bradshaw, M.L.A., was renominated here yesterday at a provincial Conservative convention to contest Prince Albert at the next election.

A SPRING TONIC

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25 DICTIONARIES IN ONE.

All Dictionaries Published Previous to This Year Are Out of Date.

"WE HAD CHARLIE CHAPLIN IN OUR SUNDAY SCHOOL TODAY"

This Was What the Kiddies Said After a Comic Reel Got Mixed Up With the Bible Stories.

Charlie Chaplin has appeared in many roles in this city. Probably his most novel and unexpected has been "Charlie Chaplin in Sunday School." Charlie, the immortal, wasn't billed in advance on that occasion, but when he wandered in by accident, the youngsters welcomed him with the same old exuberance of joy, even though the rector and the superintendent and the Sunday school teachers and all the other officials were filled with consternation, not to say horror.

Among the up-to-date Sunday schools which have installed moving picture machines for the purpose of illustrating lessons and lectures, and also, on the right and fitting occasions, affording entertainment, is the Cronyn Memorial. The grand debut was to be made on a Sunday afternoon in Sunday school at the close of the regular lesson hour. The rector, the superintendent, and everybody else in authority was most particular that everything should be entirely seemly.

Takes Every Precaution.

"You are quite sure everything is all right and that no films have wandered in by mistake that could cause any offence?" was one of the last warnings of Mr. Norwood before the school hour.

"Quite sure," was the reply, at which the rector and others sighed in relief.

The lights were turned low, and all went in a perfectly proper Sunday school manner for a time. The rector even dared to turn his head, easy in mind.

Suddenly there was an outburst of applause which brought his attention back to the pictures with a jerk. There on the screen, funny and large as life, was Charlie Chaplin. Several feet had been unreeled before the machine could be stopped.

Of course, the rector and the superintendent made it very plain that Charlie's entrance was all a mistake, and that it was nice Bible stories and things like that which were really intended for presentation. And, of course, numbers of the kiddies did exactly what might be expected, went home and told their fathers and mothers, "We had Charlie Chaplin at our Sunday school today."

OFFER TO DELIVER NATURAL GAS FOR 20 CTS. AT LIMITS

Southern Ontario Co. Submits Offer To Commission.

FOR INDUSTRIAL PURPOSES

Contract Would Run For 20 Years, and Company Would Sell Pipe To City.

Negotiations are under way between the Southern Ontario Gas Company and the utilities commission for a supply of natural gas for the manufacturers of London.

Chairman Philip Pocock has received a written offer from the company, offering natural gas from Tilbury at the city limits for 20 cents per thousand cubic feet.

The contract is to run for a term of years, 20 in number, and the Southern Ontario Company will supply the pipe at a reasonable figure to the city. It is probable that the deal will be closed in a short time.

The utilities commission has not received the proposition from R. L. Brackin, Chatham, for a supply of domestic gas from the Tillsonburg field. He sent the offer to the council some time ago, but as the utilities commission must deal with the distribution of natural gas, the proposition will have to be considered by the latter. It is expected that Mr. Brackin will be asked to come to London shortly, and explain his offer.

OUT-OF-TOWN MEN TO BID ON DOWNTOWN STORE

Cronkheit Property Sold by Auction Today.

The Cronkheit property on Dundas street, the Brunswick pool rooms, is being offered at auction by the executors this afternoon. Several purchasers are ready to make bids. Among them are several out-of-town men from Stratford, Kitchener, Toronto and other places.

It could not be learned today what disposition is to be made of the property, but it is rumored that the most likely purchaser will continue to run it as a pool room.

START AT ONCE TO BUILD HYDRO SHOP

New Legislation Permits Commission to Build Out of Surplus.

The utilities commission, at the next meeting, will decide to start at once on the construction of the new hydro shop. The hydro electric act has been amended, giving the commission power to build an office building out of surplus revenue. The commission has enough money to start the work, and carry the construction through the first year. The plans have been approved and the contract awarded to Sam Willis on the basis of 10 per cent for overseeing the work, on the understanding that authority would be given for the payment of the cost out of revenue. Now that this has been granted the commission will go ahead with it.

24 ARE SIGNED ON BY ARMORIES' STAFF

Recruits have been coming to the mobilization centre at the armories quite briskly during the last few days, and among those who have passed through and been attested are the following twenty-four: F. W. Herbert, C. Miller, H. J. O'Hara, E. G. Jones, G. G. Whitefoot, J. W. Brook, W. A. Restorick, W. L. Kelch, J. Newman, H. P. Fincombe, F. Needham, J. G. Morgan, A. A. Johnson, F. Cameron, V. J. Truckle, C. J. McIntyre, R. A. Davey, C. K. Edward, W. J. Clark, W. G. Lovelace, C. E. Miller, V. McMillan, R. T. Ramsay and J. E. Easton.

DR. DOWNHAM ALREADY HAS GIVEN UP POST

The board of health will meet this afternoon, to receive the resignation of Dr. W. S. Downham, assistant to the medical officer of health. He has quit the post, following a reduction in salary by the council, and is now assisting at Byron Sanatorium. The session promises to be rather interesting, as some objection will be made to the action of the council in reducing the board's estimates. The appointment of temporary health inspectors, to look after the backyards, will probably be discussed.

BAR OF JUSTICE GETS MONEY IF OTHER BARS DON'T

This Morning's Receipts On Whiskey Charges Total $470.

HOTEL'S WINE TOO STRONG

"Bones or Whiskey in the Box?" Is Theme of Another Police Court Case.

Six charges laid under the Ontario temperance act, two cases of theft, and two of desertion, constituted the largest police court docket that Deputy Magistrate Graydon has had to deal with since his appointment to the bench.

Two $200 fines, one of $50, and two of $10 were imposed.

Frank Henry and Henry Walsh, proprietors of the Queen's Hotel, were charged with selling blackberry brandy, a temperance drink, which showed 5.72 per cent of alcohol, the percentage allowed under the act being only 2½. Magistrate Graydon, in imposing the $200 fine, said he would fine each of the one member of the firm, the conviction being registered against Walsh as the first name of the firm. The fine was paid.

Inspector J. E. Keenleyside testified that he had taken a sample of the drink from a bottle, sealed it before taking it from the hotel and had sent it to Toronto for analysis.

Guaranteed By Makers.

Both proprietors testified that the wine had been guaranteed by the manufacturer to be not over 2½ per cent alcohol. They had not tampered with it in any way, and thought that if the wine had reached them as guaranteed air leakage might have resulted in fermentation that produced greater alcoholic percentage. Magistrate Graydon said there was no alternative under the act but to impose the fine, although he regarded it as unfortunate under the circumstances.

John Donahue, 648 William street was fined $200 and costs or in default of payment will spend the next two months in jail. He was charged under section 41 of the Ontario temperance act with having liquor in his possession at a place other than a private dwelling house. Patrolman McCullough testified that he had searched Donahue when he found him in a back room of the Richmond Hotel and found the bottle of whiskey in his possession. Donahue did not deny the offence but said he was not selling or giving it away, but drinking it himself.

No Other Alternative.

Magistrate Graydon informed him he had no option but to impose the penalty under the act. At a late hour today he had been unable to secure money to pay his fine.

Two other men were charged with the same offence under the act. One pleaded guilty and was fined $50 and costs. The case against the other was withdrawn, 30 days having elapsed from the time he procured the whiskey until the information was laid.

Among three persons charged with intoxication, two pleaded not guilty and the third admitted he had been drunk.

Two were fined $10 and costs each or 10 days in jail.

The third, a well known young man around town, was discharged, the evidence Magistrate Graydon considered being insufficient to have justified his arrest.

Three patrolmen testified he had been intoxicated, but Sergt.-Major McGuire and Detective Nickle considered that the young man when they seen him in the police station, was capable of going home without assistance.

Grateful to the Court.

"Thank you very much, your worship; that's what I consider justice," he said as he left the courtroom.

Charged with the theft of a case of whisky containing ten bottles the property of Webber P. White, of 348 Thames street, Ethbert Able, 348 Thames street, pleaded not guilty.

Mrs. White, wife of the complainant, was the first to testify, and she said that the ten bottles of whisky in a wooden box, had been left behind the door of a bedroom at the rear of the house. She had seen Able carrying away a box, and later had missed the whisky.

"The baby was in the front room and the whiskey at the back of the house," said the witness.

"Never mind the baby, stick to the whiskey, we're discussing whiskey not babies," said the magistrate.

White, the complainant, said he had also seen Able carrying away a box from his (White's) home and had later missed his whiskey and then notified the police.

Able, the defendant, went on the stand in his own behalf. He started to explain about the box he was charged with carrying.

Bones for the Dog.

"The box they saw me carrying away, your worship, was a box of bones for the dog that the fertilizer man gave me," he said.

"I see, a box of bones, not a case of whiskey," commented the magistrate.

"I heard White's baby crying and I went over to try and stop it," said Able.

"Now you're talking about babies, too. Why don't you stick to whiskey. You are charged with stealing whiskey not babies, so stick to the subject; we will talk about babies some other day," reserved until Friday and Able granted bail to appear then.

Herbert Sinclair and Calvin Smith were charged with stealing coal from W.C.R. cars on the track. Both pleaded not guilty and were remanded to jail until Thursday for trial.

Charged With Desertion.

George Garnet Whitefoot, a former member of the 142th Battalion and Daniel Bennett of the 24lst, were charged with desertion. Both were remanded to jail for one week in order to get military information concerning each.

WESTERN RECRUITING POOR.

Winnipeg, April 10.—After six days of futile recruiting last week, seven candidates presented themselves for enlistment in the home defence companies being raised by the 106th and 90th Battalions yesterday, but none of them has as yet passed the medical board.

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AS TO WASTE IN MEAT-BUYING.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

The article in Saturday's paper on "Waste in Meats" is no doubt true to a certain extent. I feel sure that much of the high cost of meats is due to women and their actions and remarks. While some are complaining of not being able to get necessaries on account of high prices; others come along and turn up their noses at 30 cents per pound for sliced ham and say: "That isn't good enough for me. I'll take some of this at 35 cents," and the prices rise. When another housewife of economical carefulness displays to her neighbor a sample of choice meat costing about 18 cents per pound, which can be made into a delicious dish with little trouble, and very little extra expense, she is met with an insult: "Oh, dear, my folks wouldn't touch that cut at all; it isn't good enough." The only thing to bring these people to a humble and thankful frame of mind is to transfer them into conditions and surroundings such as our allies are enduring. One would think these people were living in a strange, distant land, where such a thing as war and its attendant miseries and shortage is never heard of. The papers urging economy, thrift, production, sacrifice, falls upon deaf ears, unmoved hearts and criminally indifferent characters. Could not, however, our butchers organize an exchange, by which the poorer districts could get the chance to purchase the cheap cuts, and leave the choicer, higher-priced ones to those in more favorable circumstances? The get-together spirit would do wonders, but, alas! when folks get together they are at sixes and sevens as a rule.

ECONOMIZE.

WOMEN TO BE ADMITTED TO VOTE IN VESTRIES

Action of St. Paul's Last Night Will Have Widespread Effect.

In view of the fact that the Synod of the Diocese of Huron four years ago quashed "votes for women" in vestry meetings, the action taken last evening in the matter by the vestry of St. Paul's Cathedral, the leading church of the diocese, is interesting and significant of changing sentiment.

The resolution of Henry Macklin, St. Paul's vestry, at the Easter meeting voted in favor of the admission of women to the vestries of the church, a recommendation to this effect to be submitted to the synod.

Prominent Anglicans of the city, after hearing of the decision last evening of St. Paul's vestry, expressed the opinion that the action of the cathedral vestry in the matter of admission of women to vestries will exercise considerable influence in a number of the smaller churches throughout the diocese.

SENT HOME, BUT IS DETERMINED TO FIGHT

Pte. G. A. Boynton of St. Thomas, a young soldier returned from England because he was under age, is determined to get overseas again. He is 17 years of age but will be 18 years old in a month or two, and declares that he will get across the ocean and engage in the fight.

Young Boynton enlisted in the C. A. M. C. in January, 1916 and went overseas in August last. He worked in England, but was sent back to Canada, when the facts about his age were learned.

"I will be 18 years old in a couple of months, and then I will go back," he declared. "I am going to see this thing through."

The boy has seen much of the tragic in life. His father was killed by a railway engine in New York, and his mother went down on the Empress of Ireland.

It is expected that he will be given employment here until he becomes 18 years of age, when he will again enlist.

IF YOU WANT EVIDENCE

That Hemorrhoids, or Piles, Can Be Completely Cured, Read These Letters—Both Are Sworn Statements.

Toronto, Ont., April 10.—Next to personal experience the sworn statements of reliable people is the strongest evidence obtainable. If you have any doubt that Dr. Chase's Ointment will positively and completely cure piles, these letters should convince you.

Mr. Samuel Parker, fruit grower, Grimsby, Ont., has made the following declaration before M. W. W. Kidd, notary public, of the same place: "I do solemnly declare that I was troubled with bleeding piles and was advised to go to the hospital to have an operation performed. My wife said: 'No, get a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment.' I did so, and have used it according to directions while living in Manitoba and obtained a complete cure, for I have never been troubled with piles since. I am now 70 years of age, and want to recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment to all sufferers from piles. My wife has used it for itching skin and obtained complete cure."

Mr. Donald M. Campbell, Campbell's Mountain, N. S., writes: "I have used Dr. Chase's Ointment with great success for hemorrhoids or piles of fifteen years' standing. After trying all kinds of so-called pile cures, three boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment gave me a complete cure. I have also used Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and there are no others so good. You may use this letter, if you wish, for the benefit of others who may suffer as I did."

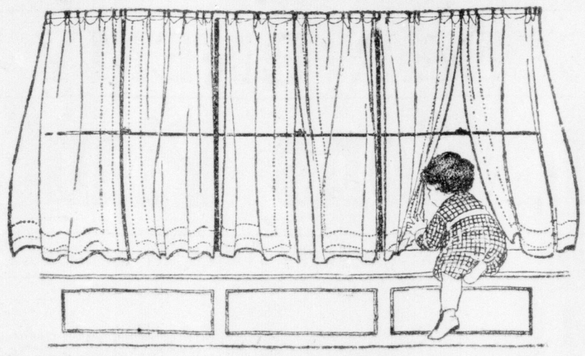
Sworn before me, Murdoch Gordon Campbell, J.P., in the county and for Inverness County.

If you would like to try Dr. Chase's Ointment at our expense, send a two-cent stamp to pay postage, and we shall mail you a sample box free. Full-size box 60 cents, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

NOW FOR THE HOUSECLEANING
New Curtains and Housefurnishings

This annual housekeepers' event means a sale of efficiency and helpfulness. Its function is to make the coming spring cleaning easier, by featuring a great many articles that will be needed, and most of them at a special price. To broaden the sale we have included almost all articles of household necessity, such as mops, floor polish, house paints, kitchen and cleaning utensils, draperies, curtains, sheets, bedding, etc.

Special Sale of Curtains, Scrims and Nets



The values listed below on sale this week will be obtainable only while present stocks last, as these specials cannot be duplicated at present, and coming at the very time when needed you may take advantage of same and profit by the very special prices quoted below:

BORDERED SCRIMS, 14c YARD.

400 yards Bordered Scrims, both sides, hemstitched and fancy drawnwork effects, in white, ivory and ecru shades, all 36 inches wide, made of good yarns, just the thing for inexpensive curtains. Special sale price.....**14c yard**

BUNGALOW NETS, 17c YARD.

325 yards Bungalow Nets, 36 inches wide, in neat designs, shades of white, ivory and ecru. While they last **17c yard**

LACE CURTAINS, 85c PAIR.

A shipment of Lace Curtains in white only, bought over a year ago, which we have marked closely at the above price, size 45 inches by 3 yards, with overlocked stitch edge; a limited stock to sell. At .....**85c pair**

LACE-EDGED SCRIM CURTAINS, $1.65 PAIR.

Several styles in Lace-Edged Scrim Curtains, dainty and effective edgings, some hemstitched also, and hemstitched Marquisette Curtains, in ivory or ecru, 2½ yards long. At .....**$1.65 pair**

CRETONNES, 25c YARD.

Washable Cretonnes and Chintzes that were much higher in price and which we have decided to close out, both light and dark grounds, in colors of blue, brown, yellow, pink, etc., combinations; also a new shipment of new goods, which we have added to this lot, making it one of the best assortments at one price we have ever shown, and particularly good value. At .....**29c yard**

Housecleaning Necessities

Bissell's Vacuum Cleaners.....$12.50, $9.50 and $7.50 each
Domestic Vacuum Cleaners.....$15.00 and $12.50
Bissell's Sweepers .....$4.25, $3.75 and $3.25
Liquid Ronuk $1.00, 55c
Ronuk Wax .....10c, 35c and 65c tin
Lino-Shine and Varnoleum for old and new linoleums. Per tin .....90c, 65c and 35c
Brass Stair Rods .....$2.25 and $1.75 dozen
Stair Plates .....20c dozen
Stair Pads .....$1.20 dozen
Cocoa Mats .....95c to $3.75 each
Rubber Door Mats .....87c to $2.50 each
Wire Door Mats .....$2.50 each
Rubber Stair Steps .....50c each
Oriental Carpet Soap for cleaning rugs and upholstered furniture .....35c cake

THIRD FLOOR.

Special Prices This Week
House Paints, Enamel, Varnish, Lacquer, Etc.

S. & I. Ready-Mixed Paints for inside and outside painting, stocked in 50 colors, put up in pints, quarts, half-gallon and gallon tins. Made from the very best and most-lasting pigments combined with pure linseed oil and dryers. This week only. **Pints, 35c; Quarts, 70c; Half-Gallons.....$1.40**

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VENUS HOUSEHOLD ENAMEL

For woodwork, furniture, etc., in white or ivory colors. This enamel flows easy, dries hard and retains its color. Next week .....**Pints, 60c; Quarts, $1.10**
Sani-Flat Wall Finish, in white, cream, ivory, buff and green colors .....**Pints, 40c; Quarts, 75c**
C. & B. Floor Wax .....**50c lb.**
Special prices on Varnishes, Shellac, Floor Paint, Brushes, etc.
We carry Virtalite and Satinette Enamels in stock at all times.
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Housecleaning Utensils In the Basement

Here you will find tried and tested utensils to make your work easier, labor-saving devices for kitchen use, as well as housecleaning.

CEDAR OIL MOP AND POLISH OUTFITS.

Large Mop with pint of oil $1.25
Medium size with 4-ounce bottle 85c
Dusting Mops, two sizes... .....69c and $1.15
Dusters with handle **25c each**
"Cedar Oil," 4-ounce bottle, for 10c
"Cedar Oil," **Pints, 25c; Quarts, 45c; Half-gallons 85c**
Re-nu-all Furniture Polish, a bottle 19c
Sanitary Brushes, each..19c
Carpet Beaters 10c
Clothes Props 20c
Clothes Baskets, **30c to $1.50**
Fibre Pails 40c
Clothes Pegs, 3 dozen....5c
Curtain Stretchers....$1.85

Mops, self-wringers, **50c each**
Stepladders, three sizes, each .....**70c, 80c and 90c**
Clothes Bars, each, **60c, 70c**
Washboards, zinc rub...**35c**
Fibre Washtubs**$1.30 to $1.75**
Wire Clothes Lines **30c to 50c**
Brooms .....**50c to $1.00**

BASEMENT.

AFTERNOON TEA SPECIALS.
Cucumber and Lettuce Sandwich, Cup of Tea or Coffee 10c
English Muffins, Maple Syrup, Cup of Tea or Coffee 15c

SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED

AFTERNOON TEA SPECIALS.
Tomato and Lettuce Salad, Bread and Butter, Cup of Tea or Coffee 15c
Strawberries and Cream 15c

ERIE AVENUE RESIDENTS PLAN STREET BEAUTIFUL

Want Wires Underground and Will Erect Ornamental Lights and Entrance.

Residents of Erie avenue are signing a petition for presentation to the city council, asking that all wires on the pretty one-block street be placed underground.

It is expected that if the petition is received favorably ornamental lights will be erected and ornamental gateposts placed at the entrance to the street.

WOMEN SILENTLY SUFFER

There are sufferings which only a woman knows and about one woman in every four goes about her household duties while suffering actual pain. If a man had to endure as much pain he would stay at home and let his work take care of itself. But there is nobody to do the work of a wife and mother. Her household work cannot be neglected, and so she works on and silently suffers.

In nearly every case her suffering takes the form of backaches and pains in the side. Her appetite is poor, and the least exertion leaves her breathless, and yet she heroically struggles on with her manifold daily tasks. The whole trouble lies in the blood, which is either scanty or impoverished, so that the food she does take does not carry nourishment, to the nerves, the brain and the body. Anaemic is the medical term for this condition, and unless steps are taken to increase the blood supply, the sufferer may pass into a hopeless decline. To enrich the blood and increase its supply there is no medicine equal to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Every dose helps to make new, rich, red blood, which fills the veins, strengthens the nerves, aids digestion, and stimulates the whole body. Through the fair use of these pills, backaches and sideaches and splitting headaches disappear, and the former sufferer has new energy and new interest in life.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by dealers in medicine everywhere or may be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

FIREMEN CONSTANTLY INSPECT BUILDINGS

Search Out Possible Fire Sources and Prevent Losses.

That the fire loss for the last three months has been the smallest for that same period at any time in the city's history can be attributed, it is claimed, to the thorough and systematic methods of building inspection used by the department.

Last Semptember a new system was inaugurated, and that it has been successful is demonstrated by the light financial loss as shown by the fire records.

The department is operating upon the principle that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.

Two fireman are constantly at work at inspection, and every cellar, room, closet and garret in every building in the business district is inspected.

Everything that might lead to a fire is removed, and suggestions made to owners and tenants of buildings that will assist in preventing fires.

Careful search is always made for defective wiring, and any time insulation is found to be bad a recommendation is made that the trouble be immediately corrected.

At this season of the year Chief Aitken advises citizens to guard against the building of bonfires in back yards.

It is better and safer to let the garbage man collect the rubbish and take no chances on bonfires.

EASTER WEDDINGS

LYTTLE—HEASLAP.

A quiet church weddings took place on Saturday afternoon when Janet Elizabeth Heaslap became the bride of Alexander Lyttle. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. C. Bingham at the Egerton Street Baptist Church. The bride was supported by Miss Rose Hodges and the bridegroom by W. Heaslap. The couple left for Buffalo on their honeymoon tour.

ELLIOTT—COLEMAN.

ILDERTON, April 9.—A quiet marriage was celebrated at the Methodist parsonage, Ilderton, on April 3, when Albert Augustus Elliott and Miss Isabelle May Coleman was united in marriage by Rev. Thomas E. Sawyer at 6:30 p.m. After the marriage the bride and groom returned to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Coleman of the 13th concession, London Township, where a sumptuous repast was served.

The bride looked charming in blue silk. The bride's going-away suit was oriental blue serge with hat to match.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Elliott will reside on the groom's farm near Birr.

DONATES HIS SAVINGS TO HOME BEFORE ENLISTING

Barnardo Boy's Kindness Brought to Light by Recruiting Officer.

Endeavoring to discover the age of a prospective recruit for the cycle corps here recruiting officers discovered a remarkable act of generosity on the part of an 18-year-old Barnado Home boy. The lad applied at the armories to become a member of the cycle corps, and although he stated that he had reached the required age of eighteen, the examining officer did not think he looked to be that old. Accordingly he wrote to the Barnado Home authorities in Toronto to obtain a certificate of the boy's age. It was received and with it a hearty letter of recommendation.

Although but eighteen years of age, he had managed to save $50, and instead of keeping this for his personal use, he had donated it to the home before attempting to enlist.

PRACTICAL LESSONS IN SEED PLANTING

The meeting to be held this evening in the public library, under the auspices of the London Horticultural Society, to be addressed by Park Superintendent Smith, will be of unusual interest in those engaged in the production of garden stuff this summer and also to all lovers of flowers, especially the amateur rose grower. Practical lessons in seed planting and rose pruning will be given by Mr. Smith who is an expert in the art, and as he will answer any questions relating to food and flower production a very profitable time will be enjoyed by those who attend. The public is invited.

GUNS OF 63RD BATTERY BEING OVERHAULED

Quartermaster-Sergt. Milner, armament artificer, of the Royal School of Artillery, Kingston, is at present in the city, overhauling the guns of the 63rd Battery, making the necessary repairs and getting the guns in shape for "active service" at Port Stanley. Major Cameron, officer commanding the battery, expected to send detachments from the 63rd to Port Stanley to practice gunnery at the lakeside last week, but owing to the necessity of some minor repairs the guns could not be taken away at that time. It is expected that the repairs will soon be completed, and that the trip can be made in the near future.

OPPOSED TO EMBARGO.

Regina, Sask., April 10.—The Saskatchewan sheep breeders, at a recent meeting, went on record as being opposed to any embargo being placed on Canadian-grown wool going into the United States this year.

SHE SUFFERED FOR EIGHT LONG YEARS

Then Dodd's Kidney Pills Came to Her Relief.

Mrs. E. S. Thompson Is Telling Her Many Friends What Caused the Great Improvement in Her Health.

Minahico, via Sleeman, Ont. April 9—(Special).—Mrs. E. S. Thompson, an old and respected resident of this place, is telling her numerous friends that her recent wonderful improvement in health is the result of using Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"My sickness dates back about eight years," Mrs. Thompson says. "My sleep was broken and unrefreshing, there were dark circles under my eyes, my appetite was fitful and I suffered from backache. I had frequent headaches, I felt heavy and sleepy after meals, and I was depressed and low spirited. Rheumatism and Bright's disease were soon added to my afflictions.

"I was far from being well when I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. I only took two boxes of them, but the results are so good that I am recommending them to all my friends."

All Mrs. Thompson's troubles came from sick kidneys. Dodd's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys. And sick kidneys are responsible for nine-tenths of the pain and weariness suffering women are heir to.