

## "U" CONVOCATION PLANS CHANGED

Thursday and Friday, Oct. 16 and 17, Named For Impressive Ceremony.

### HONORARY DEGREES

A revised program of the ceremony of opening the new buildings of the University of Western Ontario were announced today. Thursday and Friday, Oct. 16 and 17, are the dates set for the occasion. The program occupies the afternoon and evening of both days.

Thursday at 1 o'clock there will be a chancery and governors' luncheon in honor of the recipients of honorary degrees. There will be ten degrees conferred.

The formal opening and public inspection of the new buildings will take place at 3 p.m. There will be three-minute addresses by representative delegates in the auditorium, main building.

At 6 p.m. members of the Men's Canadian club will be hosts at a dinner in honor of the recipients of honorary degrees. The dinner will be held at the Tecumseh house.

The honorary degrees will be conferred at a special convocation at the Winter Garden at 8:15 p.m. Sir Arthur Currie, McGill University, Montreal; Prof. H. K. Babcock, University of Illinois; Hon. H. J. Cody, chairman of the board of governors, University of Toronto, will deliver addresses.

Following the convocation, the governors of the university will hold a reception for the students of Western at the Winter Garden at 9:45.

Friday will see the annual university track and field meet in Tecumseh Park. The events will begin at 2 p.m. The unveiling of the Middlesex memorial tablet under the auspices of the Middlesex county council will take place at 2:30.

The first banquet to take place in the new cafeteria at the university will be the general alumni banquet at 6 p.m. the same day. At 8:15 there will be a general alumni and faculty reception in the auditorium in the main building.

## MAN IS REMANDED ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Albert Goodhue Charged With Having Carnal Knowledge With Girl 13.

Albert Goodhue, 30 years old, arrested yesterday afternoon, appeared in police court this morning to answer a charge of having carnal knowledge of a young girl of previous chaste character, contrary to the criminal code.

Goodhue pleaded not guilty to the charge. Magistrate Graydon remanded the man for one week in order that further evidence for the crown can be secured.

Two plainclothesmen were despatched to a more or less deserted section of Richmond street yesterday afternoon, following information received at the police station from a young girl. The girl declared that she had seen a man and girl in the bushes.

The little girl accompanied the police officers to the scene, and upon seeing Goodhue pointed him out to the constables.

Goodhue, and a 13-year-old girl, who was with him, were taken to the police station where they were questioned.

### LOCAL STATISTICIAN FINDS CAR WAITS RUN TO DAYS

The statistician, that man who lives to greet his fellows with great armfuls of figures in massed formation to drive home his arguments, was present on an Oxford car today.

His figures were not as large as usual and he did not place them end to end to make them go around the end. He was in a pensive mood.

When the car stopped on Oxford street siding to wait for the west bound to pass he got out his pencil and pad.

In a moment he turned to his neighbor saying, "I sit on this siding one full day or nearly so out of every year."

"How come?" said the stranger. "We have been here two minutes. I make the trip backwards and forwards four times a day going to work, home to dinner and so on. We always wait two minutes for the other car. That makes eight minutes a day not counting when we go out at night, is 14 minutes a week wasted, practically half an hour. It amounts up enormously in a year," added the statistician gloomily.

### WILLIAM WALLIS HEADS CITY SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

The London public school principals' association was reorganized for the ensuing year at a meeting held yesterday afternoon at Lord Robert's school.

William Wallis, principal of Simcoe street school, succeeds John T. Parkinson, principal of Tecumseh avenue school as president. W. E. Oppel, principal of Lorne avenue school, is the new secretary succeeding James Kirkwood, principal of Victoria school. E. E. Gibbs, principal of Chesley avenue school was appointed as advisory member of the executive.

## IBANEZ NOT TO EVEN SPARE KING ALFONSO IN NEW BOOK

Well-Known Novelist Decides To Write Inside Story of Army Rule.

### SAYS SPAIN GAGGED

Will Show No Leniency in Review of Autocratic Officials.

Associated Press Despatch. Paris, Oct. 8.—Blanco Ibanez, declaring he considers it his duty to make known the truth about his country, is engaged in writing a book against Spanish military dictatorship. The novelist says he does not intend even to spare the king, of whom he remarks: "I never consented to be introduced to him, because I knew that one day I should have to fight him."

Disclaiming that he sought either fame or pecuniary profit, the writer added:

"Spain is like a great lady held in duress—securely gagged. Before the dictatorship, one thing had always been respected: one might write what one would. But the times have changed. There is now a visa on all books, every text book of geography, history, mathematics and philosophy."

"It was the last existing liberty, and it had to go. The question is to know if it is possible to write with impunity to make light of the spirit, life and interests of the people. x x x I intend to write pitilessly on Spanish militarism, with facts, examples and anecdotes, and the materials are not lacking."

## INTER-CHURCH DEBATES SCHEDULE COMPLETE

First Round Will Be Completed by November 15, According to Plan.

At a meeting of the executive of the Presbyterian young people's union of the city held last night in St. Andrew's church the schedule for the inter-church debates was drawn up. The first round is to be completed before November 15, the second round before December 15, and the third round before January 15. The finals will be held some time in February.

The churches will debate as follows: Knox against St. Paul's, New St. James against Chalmers, Hamilton road against First Church, King street against Knoxwood church, and Chelsea Green against St. Andrew's. St. George's church will not enter until the second round.

The executive is planning a rally of all the Presbyterian young people's organizations of the city to be held in St. Andrew's church on Oct. 20. Arrangements are being made to secure Prof. and Mrs. Lyons of India as special guests of the occasion. Prof. and Mrs. Lyons have some very fine exhibits of their work.

Notice is being sent to every young people's organization with the Presbyterian churches, asking that they devote one meeting before Oct. 23 to the discussion of the temperance question.

Miss M. H. Kelso was appointed delegate to attend the meetings of the Ontario religious education council in Kitchener on Oct. 27, 28 and 29.

### ACTION TAKEN AGAINST STRATHROY HOSPITAL

Thomas Pierce of Caradoc township and his daughter Jean Pierce under the age of 21 are suing Strathroy General Hospital, Dr. A. S. Thompson, Strathroy, Isabella McCurdy and Fanny Birch, two nurses, for \$5,000 damages and an hospital bill of \$206.15.

The plaintiffs claim the defendants were guilty of negligence in connection with an operation Dr. Thompson performed on Miss Pierce in January 1922. They claim that after the operation a piece of rubber tubing was left in the body of the plaintiff and that she has not been in good health since that time.

The defendants deny any negligence of any description.

McEvoy and Henderson for plaintiff and A. W. Bixel for defendant.

### INQUEST WILL BE HELD INTO DEATH OF GIRL

A coroner's jury impaneled by Dr. J. C. Wilson viewed the body of a thirteen-year-old girl who was killed yesterday, when run over by a motor car on Waterloo street, at Logan's funeral home, and adjourned to meet at the police station on Tuesday night for an inquest.

### DETAIL IS EXPECTED TO RETURN SATURDAY

The detail of eleven men who have been absent from the Royal Canadian regiment ranks at Wolsely barracks since June employed in routine work at the small arms school at Ottawa will likely return Saturday.

It is expected that Capt. H. P. E. Phillips, M.C., will accompany the detail on the return trip. The men have been performing the usual duties attached to the camp life at the Connaught ranges. The work consists of marking targets, and other duties of the small arms school.

## Mother Badly Burned Trying To Save Her Child From Fire

In a brave attempt to save the life of 3-year-old Amy Brock, who died yesterday at Victoria hospital from burns received when her clothes became smolderingly ignited, the mother of the child, Mrs. Thomas P. Brock, 16 Josephine street, Chelsea Green, was herself severely burned about the hands.

Mrs. Brock, when she saw her child run out into the open with her



KATHLEEN LOUGHREY, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loughrey, 339 Simcoe street, who died in Victoria hospital last night after she had been accidentally run over by a motor car on Waterloo street in the afternoon.

## UNKNOWN MAN IS KILLED BY TRAIN

Several Factory Time Cards Found in Clothes of Victim.

Special To The Advertiser.

Chatham, Oct. 8.—An unknown man was instantly killed by an eastbound C. P. R. passenger train near Rindgold shortly after 3 o'clock this morning. The body was brought to the city in the train, and lies in a local morgue pending identification.

Knowledge of the fatality resulted from a hunch of the engineer, George Dowling of London. As his locomotive raced over the fatal spot, he caught a glimpse of a flare. His hunch that the engine had struck an object proved correct, when he and a brakeman investigated. A search of the body later disclosed the fact that more than a hundred matches, stuffed in a belt worn by the man, had burned. It is believed that the matches were ignited when the body was struck by the engine.

The body is that of a man of about 25 years of age, and was clothed in a black shirt, a great overcoat, and a pair of trousers. There was no money in the pockets.

Several factory time cards were found in one of the pockets, and the name of the man was written on a name which appears to be Eddie Charn. A hunking peg and some tobacco were the only other articles in the pockets.

## THAMES GOLF COURSE DEFENDED IN YARN

Report That Caddies Sell the Highland Club Balls Is Branded as Gossip.

The story appearing in the Free Press yesterday afternoon that golf balls bearing the initials of members of the Highland golf club were being sold by caddies at the Thames valley course, was characterized this morning by Manager E. V. Buchanan as a "trumped-up piece of gossip" and "absurd."

Mr. Buchanan told The Advertiser that he had called on William Keen, chairman of the golf committee of the Highland club, and that Mr. Keen had given a positive denial to the story, stating that there was nothing about it, and that he had heard nothing about the matter.

Mr. Buchanan expressed the opinion that in such matters it was only fair to the people charged that a specific charge should be made and not an anonymous one through the columns of a newspaper.

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## "TECH" PRINCIPAL ASKS MORE PERFORM

Vocational Committee to Hear Recommendations Tonight From H. B. Beal.

### TAXED TO LIMIT

Principal H. B. Beal will recommend to the advisory vocational committee at its meeting this evening that additional accommodation be provided for the 70 students attending the Technical school.

As Principal Beal points out, the present attendance, with more coming in each day, is already 160 students in advance of the largest number attending the school at any period last year. Not only is the capacity of the class rooms taxed to the limit but use is being made of the library and two lunchrooms to accommodate the "packed house."

It is the opinion of Principal Beal that the board of education should prepare now for next year. Not alone is the classroom accommodation crowded at present, but there is no auditorium in which the students can all be assembled at the same time. Such a situation is keenly regretted by the principal.

It is pointed out that half the cost of additions made to the "Tech" is borne by the province. An addition, costing \$20,000, and therefore to be built by the city providing \$50,000 for the work. When first erected, the school was so built that there would be no room for expansion, and in regard to heating, ventilating and lighting of any future additions. Space was set aside also for an auditorium, the completion of which requires but a roof and a floor, besides, of course, the furniture and equipment for the hall itself.

Echoes of three weeks of overtime on the provincial voters' lists have not yet died away at the office of the city clerk. But on top of all the rush of business to look after the government's wants in checking over a new list, the city clerk has his assistance now start preparation of an entirely new list for the municipal elections.

last year's municipal lists, together with revisions and the addition of part III (provincial voters only), are being used at the polls on Oct. 23. They will then be discarded and will be of no use in the coming city elections.

Preliminary lists, taken from the assessment rolls, are ready, and will be printed in a day or two. They will be placed at City Clerk Baker's office for inspection. The staff will have to go through the same procedure as during the provincial revision and revision court will be held after appeals are entered.

City Clerk Baker is now checking up on polling booths and making appointment of deputy returning officers. Schools and churches are used almost exclusively for polling stations, with several polling subdivisions centered at each station.

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## City Churches

The circle of home industry of Southern Congregational church met last evening at the home of the president, Mrs. M. Todman, Maitland street.

Plans were made for a bazaar, which is to be held on Dec. 4. The committees in charge are as follows: Ice cream, Mrs. L. R. Anderson, Mrs. D. Fonger; fancy work, Miss E. Parry, Mrs. W. Adams.

Plans were also made for a Halloween social on Oct. 30. The program committee includes Miss F. Osborne, Mrs. B. Wherry, Mrs. W. Powell.

A presentation was made to Mrs. W. Adams, a recent bride, from the circle by little Miss Lillian Watt.

After the business light refreshments were served by Mrs. Todman, assisted by Mrs. Westhead.

## REGIMENT ARRANGES MAGAZINE EXCHANGE

Will Provide Soldiers With a Review of Work in Britain.

The Royal Canadian regiment has arranged to exchange magazines with the regiments of the imperial army. This means that the "Connecting File," the R. C. R. monthly, will go into seventy regimental libraries in Great Britain, while the soldiers here will have the opportunity of reading the news of the other regiments of the empire.

The interchange of thoughts and ideas which will result from the exchange of regimental news will be productive of much good, it is expected. The Royal Canadian regiment is the first Canadian unit to link up with the old land in this manner.

Col. C. H. Hill, D.S.O., A.D.C., commanding officer of the R. C. R., has been in touch with the editors of all the magazines. They have expressed their desire to see the exchange take place.

Several lively magazines have already been received. Among these are: The Tiger and Sphinx, official organ of the Gordon Highlanders, published at Fort George, Inverness, Shire, Scotland; The Red Hackle of the Black Watch, Queens barracks, Perth, Scotland; The Caber Feidh, Seaforth Highlanders, and the Royal Tank Corps Journal, published at Bovington camp, Wareham, England.

The books will be placed in the library at Wolsely barracks. After the soldiers have perused them they will be sent to Westminster Hospital for the benefit of the soldier patients there. Dr. T. L. Towers of Westminster staff has expressed his appreciation for the magazine which will be of interest to the patients.

SPETTIGUE DAIRY CASE IS TAKEN TO MAYOR

R. H. Sanders, city sanitary inspector, has written Mayor Wenige concerning the Spettigue dairy case, which has bothered up in municipal circles time and time again since last spring. Mr. Sanders points out in his letter that sanitary conditions exist at the dairy at its present location. Under no other statute than sanitary bylaws has the inspector any authority to pass on the dairy premises.

Some sympathy for the Spettigue brothers is expressed in aldermanic circles. The elder brother served overseas and is credited with being an industrious worker, while the younger one is putting himself through a course of training in dairy in the early hours of the morning.

The door of his private office stood slightly ajar, and from beyond came the occasional burble of the office boy and the one clerk left behind to guide the progress of the business during the lunch hour. Suddenly through the open window behind him came voices.

"I'll trade you one of my Marmors for a Ford."

In these days of big business deals and over-night fortunes, one is not surprised at anything but—

In the peaceful quietude of the noon hour recess from the bustle of business, the boss of a big commercial establishment was enjoying the fragrance of his after-lunch cheroot.

There was his business to be sure—but there must be a catch somewhere. The business man rubbed his eyes. He was dreaming? But the reply was even more astonishing.

"I haven't got a Ford to spare, but I tell you what: I've got two Hudsons and a Studebaker. I don't want, and I'll swap you for a Chevrolet."

Here was his business with a vengeance! The commercial man decided he must get a look at the perpetrators of such hectic bargaining. He tip-toed to the open window. Below him on the sidewalk was his office boy with a telegraph messenger. They were swapping cigarette cards in an effort to complete a series.

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SIR ROBERT HORNE, Conservative leader in the British House of Commons, who introduced this afternoon the Tory motion of censure against the MacDonald government's policy in connection with recent treaty negotiations.

## VOTERS' LIST RUSH HITS CITY OFFICE

Municipal List For Oct. 23 Will Be of No Use in Local Elections.

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## Jake Daubert Thought Dying

Fear Veteran Will Not Recover From Operation.

Associated Press Despatch. Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 8.—Slight hope is entertained for the recovery of the veteran first baseman and captain of the Cincinnati Nationals, who is in a hospital here suffering from complications, following an operation for the removal of his appendix.

## GULLS DOUBLE AS SHIPS INCREASE ON LAKE ERIE

Owing to the numerous boats which have been in Port Stanley lately and the rough weather, the seagulls have increased to nearly twice the former number.

These ravenous scavengers will follow a boat across the lake, securing all the refuse which is cast overboard. A flock of nearly 500 followed the Bosmer, the coal boat from Cleveland to Port Stanley daily, never resting and always keeping up with the ship.

The gulls remain at the ports on the north shore of Lake Erie all winter. On account of their ability as scavengers the government passed a law a few years ago butting it a criminal offence to purposely kill or injure one of these birds.

### PROPOSAL TO MOVE STATION IS OPPOSED

U. S. May Move Immigration Office From Montreal to Newport, Vermont.

Associated Press Despatch. Washington, Oct. 8.—Decision on the proposition to remove the United States immigration station from Montreal to Newport, Vermont, will depend upon an investigation now being conducted by the department of labor here, it was announced at the White House yesterday.

The investigation is being made to determine whether removal of the station would cause serious public inconvenience. It was explained that the department of labor originally proposed the removal of the station as a matter of economy. Transportation and other companies, however, protested that the change would cause much inconvenience and suffering in travel that the government ought to hesitate in removing the station from Montreal. The investigation was then ordered to determine whether the protests were well founded and whether the change would be made.

DECISION IN FEW DAYS.

Ottawa, Oct. 8.—Intentions of the dominion government with regard to the reopening of the British Empire exhibition at Wembley next year, probably be announced in a few days. It is officially intimated.

## DETROIT YOUTHS FACE CAR THEFT

Robert Fraser, 17, and Young Brother, Appear in County Court.

### ARE REMANDED

Robert Fraser, 17, and his juvenile brother, who are charged with the theft of a motor car from George Kilbourne, Delawares township, on Sept. 30, appeared before County Magistrate Hawkshaw at the court house this morning. Robert was remanded to jail for a week, while his younger brother will be turned over to the juvenile court.

The boys, who were brought back from Chatham last night by High Constable Wharton and George Tusin claim to live on Clinton street, Detroit. The high constable took their pictures and fingerprints and will look up their Detroit record, if they have any.

Orville angford, a farmer near Thamesville, noticed the young men having difficulty with Kilbourne's car and offered them help, which was refused. They said they were out of oil and would go for it themselves, starting out in the wrong direction.

This aroused the farmer's suspicions and he notified High Constable Peters, who put them under arrest. Both lads told Mr. Wharton that they did not steal the car, but were merely riding with a man who had abandoned the machine when trouble arose.

The boys stated that they had been following the races and were trying to get home. They had come from Toronto tracks, they said.

A ondon lawyer, returning from Toronto on Sept. 30, is said to have given the two alleged auto thieves a lift as far as this city.

## DEFENDING ARMY HOLDS POSITION

Chekian Forces Check Heavy Onslaughts of Invading Troops.

Associated Press Despatch. Shanghai, Oct. 8.—Forced to give ground during three days of fighting in the Sunghuan district, 28 miles southwest of Shanghai, the defending Chekian armies fought through the night and continued the grim battle this morning by withstanding attacks of the invading Kiangsu forces.

The Kiangsu troops are attempting to cut the railway line between Shanghai and Sunghuan, but the Chekian army, reinforced last night, held the railway with forces extending along the rails for a distance of about three miles in the environs of Sunghuan.

WILL ATTACK.

Mukden, China, Oct. 8.—Replying to a recent diplomatic note protesting against the use of aircraft on undefended towns, General Chang Tso-min-chur of the Kiangsu army declared that his forces must attack Peking because that city is the headquarters of the enemy. He added that the only way to insure safety of the capital is to remove the headquarters of his opponents from the city.

## HUSSEIN'S SON ASKING REJECTED BY CALIPHS

Indian Moslems Now Believe Republican Government Is Sanest.

Associated Press Despatch. Delhi, India, Oct. 8.—Replying to a cablegram from the national society of Hedjaz, proposing that Emir Ali, eldest son of former King Hussein, succeed his father, the central caliph committee has replied that Ali is not acceptable because of the misfortunes of Islam during the last eight years. This misfortune was said to be due to Shereefian family.

Indian Moslems believe, the reply stated, that the Hedjaz, the center of the Moslem world, should not be governed by sultans or by kings, but should be in charge of a republican government.

This statement of the committee is looked on as significant here, as heretofore Indian Moslems have always urged that the caliph alone should be the guardian of the faith.

It was believed to indicate that the Moslem minds are now moving in the same direction as those of the Angora government.

## SPANISH PRINCE MAY MARRY.

Associated Press Despatch. Madrid, Oct. 8.—Rumors current in Spanish aristocratic circles are to the effect that Prince Jaime of Bourbon, pretender to the Spanish throne, may marry his cousin, Blanca Bourbon de Leon, daughter of Don Bourbon Castelvain, a direct descendant of Prince Henri of Bourbon, who was killed in a duel with the Duke of Montpensier in Madrid.

Are you in favor of the continuance of the Ontario Temperance Act?

Are you in favor of the sale as a beverage of beer and spirituous liquor in sealed packages under Government control?

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