QUALITY IN DRUGS

Quality is the first thought in every Drug that we sell. It does not matter whether you need a package of Epsom Salts or a very Complex Prescription.

YOU RECEIVE, ONLY

THE PUREST DRUGS

THAT THE WORLD PRODUCES.

When Purer Drugs are made Cairncross' will sell them.

Cairncross' the Chemists

Four Graduate Druggists.
216 Dundas St. Phone 880.
"Experts in KODAK Photography."
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WOULD REGULATE SELLING OF STOCKS

Trade Boards Following Lead of London Chamber of Commerce.

Following the example of the local chamber of commerce the boards of trade at several points throughout Western Ontario will consider the advisability of petitioning the Ontario Government for legisaltion regulating the sale of public stock within the province. The executive of a large number of the organizations have written the local chamber of commerce for data on the question.

At least four communications have given the assurance that steps would be taken along the lines adopted by the local organization. The letters received give indications of a growing feeling that steps must be taken to protect the public from all fake stock deals.

Discontinuance of Grand Trunk Steamboat Train Between Toronto and Sarnia.

Steamboat train now leaving London, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 1.15 p.m., for Sarnia (Point Edward Dock), and leaving Sarnia (Point Edward Dock), 9 a.m., on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, arriving London, 11:05 a.m., will make last trip westbound, Saturday, September 10th, and eastbound, Monday, September 12th. After discontinuance of these trains, passengers for Northern Navigation Company's Steamer will use train leaving London, 11:57 a.m., arriving Sarnia, 1:27 p.m.
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COWAN'S MONEY SAVERS

Hardware of "quality" at "right" prices. If it is hardware we have it. We pride ourselves on our large stock of all lines of hardware material.

Fair visitors make our store your headquarters. Leave your parcels with us while visiting in the city.

Special for the Painter

Fifty only, one-gallon size, Sherwin-Williams Brown Paint, just the thing for outdoor painting. This week, per gallon $2.99

VALSPAR VARNISH

King of all varnishes; absolutely water and heelproof; will not turn white.

Gallon, $9.50; Quart, $2.60; Pint, $1.50; Half-Pint, 80c.

JAP-A-LAC

Used from cellar to garret. Stains and Varnishes—Oak, Mahogany, Walnut colors, etc.

Quart, $1.85; Pint, $1.00; Half-Pint, 55c; Quarter-Pint, 30c.

HAND SAWS

Guaranteed steel 26-inch. Sale price $2.09

RAZORS.

Gillette Razors $5.00
Auto-Strop Razors ... $5.00
Straight Razors (English) ..... $3.50, $5.00 each

ROOFING

BIRD NEPONSET PRODUCTS

Our own brand, "Cowan's Colossal" fireproof.

1-Ply $3.00
2-Ply $3.50
3-Ply $4.00

COWAN HARDWARE, LTD.

125-127 DUNDAS STREET. PHONES 3461-3462.

SOMEONE WOULD LIKE TO GET A BOUQUET FROM YOU.

Here's a Special Week-End

ROSE SALE

CHOICE FRESH ROSES THAT CHEER

40c and 90c Dozen

Not less than a two-dozen order of the 40c variety delivered.

DICKS FLOWER SHOP London, Ont.

DISTRIBUTION OF MEDALS CRITICIZED

Veterans Injured in Canada Allege Unfair Discrimination Made.

Several local men have been complaining of the treatment accorded them in the distribution of service medals, in that they have been informed by officials at Ottawa that since they did not serve in the Canadian army outside of Canada they are not entitled to them.

The cause for complaint, however, does not lie in this statement, but the fact that they joined up in an averseas battalion and while waiting for orders to proceed overseas were injured in various ways or taken sick, with the result that they were pronounced physically unfit for active service and discharged out of the army and issued with a Canadian service button as the only means of showing outwardly that they had done their bit.

As one local veteran put it to a representative of The Advertiser: "I don't care personally for the medal or ribbon, but if I return to my former residence in the States my old friends there will say: 'Oh, that button doesn't show that you have served in an active service battalion because the home guards are issued with the same thing.'

"If I had joined up in a home guard unit, it would have been a different matter altogether, but I enlisted for overseas service, and I think, and lots more in the city who have received the same notice that I got from Ottawa think the same, that there should be some distinction made between the members of the militia and defence, and the active service members."

261 BODIES CARRIED ON FUNERAL TRAIN

Remains of American Soldiers Killed in France Are Brought Home.

One hour before last midnight a funeral train of eleven baggage cars and one coach bearing the bodies of 261 American soldiers who gave up their lives on the fields of France passed through the city via the G. T. R., westbound. The train had come from the Atlantic seaboard and was en route to Chicago and points west, where relatives and friends awaited the remains of their loved ones. Accompanying the bodies was an escort of five American soldiers.

4 BIG SPECIALS

Real Live-Wire Bargains for those who appreciate saving money. It pays to read this ad.

A $5,000.00 Shipment of

HATS

From A. A. Allen & Co., including all fall samples of the Moore's, Wakefield, James E. Mills, Sackville's and the Metropole, all standard English makes, all colors and sizes; values up to $9.00. Your choice for

$2.95 EACH.

OUR BIG

PANT SALE

is still attracting the thrifty buyers. Come and see them piled high on the tables. Thousands of pairs, from the Tolton Manufacturing Company and the Crown Pants Company. Every time you buy a pair of Pants you save from $2.00 to $6.00.

Pants worth $4.50....$2.50
Pants worth $6.50....$3.50
Pants worth $8.00....$5.00
Pants worth $10.50...$5.95
Pants worth $12.50...$6.95
Pants worth $14.50...$7.95

OVER 100 DOZEN

Overalls

ON SALE

Including the best Canadian makes. You save 50 cents on every pair you buy HERE.

ENTIRE STOCK OF

MEN'S SUITS

Has been divided into four lots for quick sale, at less than half price—$15.00, $19.50, $25.00, $29.50

Wegner Clothing Co.

The Heart of London.
Famous For Their Little Prices.
371 TALBOT ST., (Opp. Market)

City Briefs

REPORTS BICYCLE STOLEN.—Mrs. Harper of 483 Colborne street, reported to the police that her son's bicycle was stolen from the veranda of their house about 7:30 o'clock last night.

COURT OF REVISION TO SIT.—A court of revision to hear appeals on assessment of property, income and statute labor tax from War 2 will be held in the city hall this evening, commencing at 7:30 p.m.

MEN'S CLUB FOR ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL.—The men of St. Paul's Cathedral will be entertained at Cronyn Hall on Monday evening, September 19, when the men's club will be launched. Supper will be served at 6.30, followed by a free discussion on the aims and objects of the club with election of officers. The musical program will be under the direction of H. T. Dickinson, and the address of the evening will be delivered by a speaker of outstanding ability.

ST. ANGELA'S COLLEGE OPENED.—The formal opening of St. Angela's College High School took place yesterday, Father Mahoney of St. Peter's Seminary staff officiating at the services. The classes are reported to be much larger this term, more than 115 girls having registered. The matriculation classes are double those of previous years. The musical and physical culture classes are also large.

PETER WRIGHT TO SPEAK HERE.—The London branch of the Navy League of Canada have completed arrangements to have Peter Wright, leader of the Seamen's Union, address a meeting at the Allen Theatre on Sunday, September 18, at 8:30 o'clock. Mr. Wright was Labor mayor at Newport, Monmouthshire, and during the war, in conjunction with Havelock Wilson, was called by Lloyd George to assist in managing the mercantile marine. Mr. Wright is now touring Canada lecturing on behalf of the merchant marine and what it means to Canada and the Empire.

ASST. CHIEF SUPERVISOR FOR 1922 PLAYGROUNDS

That an assistant chief supervisor will be appointed for city playgrounds in 1922 is regarded as practically certain by members of the playgrounds committee. This will be in accordance with a recommendation submitted by Chief Supervisor G. Mel Brock, who points out that such an assistant should be a young lady, to have full charge of girls' work in the city playgrounds.

Hours for supervisors next season will be: Men, 9:30 a.m. to noon, 1:30 p.m. to 5 p.m., and 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.; girls, 10:30 a.m. to noon, 2 to 5 p.m., and 6:30 to 9 p.m. Major Brock also recommends standard equipment for all city playgrounds.

The equipment used in recreational centers of London this season is now being stored away for the winter by employees of the public utilities commission.

INGENIOUS INVENTION TO FOOL BURGLARS

An ingenious method of protecting jewels in shop windows has been evolved in Paris. If the window is broken, invisible wires stretched behind the glass make an electrical contact and the whole showcase immediately falls into a steel recess. This arrangement was made to protect Perfect Blue-White Diamonds, such as are sold by John A. Nash, My Jeweler, 182 Dundas street, "where you will eventually buy." b

WILL DOUBLE CITY'S POPULATION DURING WESTERN FAIR WEEK

Many Exhibits Are Already Safely Lodged in Their Quarters.

London will soon add another fifty thousand to its population for at least a week, when the Western Fair gets in full swing. The grounds are already putting on an appearance of a very flourishing little city, and where a bare sweep of ground was noticeable in the first part of the week is now covered with tents and booths of all descriptions and sizes.

One carload of swine arrived at the grounds last night and two more put in an appearance at an early hour this morning. Several mixed cars of cattle, horses, sheep and swine are expected to arrive today, and the barns and pens have already been bedded in anticipation of their arrival and to prevent any last-minute confusion and rush.

The material for the dog catalogue is already in the hands of the printers, and the catalogue will be issued on Tuesday. The matter for the live stock is also being prepared and printed as fast as possible. Two machines are at work turning out the copy, and it is assured by the printers that it will be ready for issue in plenty of time for the judging, which will take place Tuesday.

Distinguished Visitors.

Word was received this morning by Secretary Hunt, that E. S. Rich, secretary-manager of the Calgary Exhibition, will visit the Western Fair on Thursday or Friday, and J. A. Brown, president of the Birmingham, Alabama, Exhibition, will be here on Monday or Tuesday. Several other distinguished personages are also expected to be here during the exhibition week.

Several local people have offered their services for making children's day, Monday, September 12, one of the most successful of the Fair, and Ray Lawson of the firm of Lawson & Jones, has offered to supply all the milk from his dairy farm to the child welfare department for distribution on Monday.

Dr. George Ramsay has secured the services of the W. O. R. Pipe Band, consisting of 20 members, and they will play in front of the grandstand Monday night for the benefit of the kiddies, free of charge.

The management of the Western Fair is desirous of getting in touch with any person or persons who may have anything in the form of amusement to offer the children on Monday, so that all may share in a general good time.

WILL NOT SEEK THE MAYOR'S CHAIR

Ald. F. R. Watkinson Makes Definite Announcement To Stop Rumors.

Although his name has been mentioned several times as a candidate for mayoralty honors at the next municipal election, Ald. F. R. Watkinson, representing ward three on the city council, definitely informed The Advertiser today that he will not be in the race. However, he stated that he will once more contest ward three as alderman.

"I think I am better where I am," said Ald. Watkinson to The Advertiser, when asked if he would seek the mayor's chair. "The people have stood behind me, giving me more votes every time I contested in ward three, and it is up to me to stand by them."

Ald. Watkinson is chairman of No. 1 committee of the city council this year.

S. A. ORPHANAGE IS NEARLY COMPLETED

Ronald-Roy Gray Home To Be a Well-Equipped Institution.

The old Taylor estate on Emery street is rapidly putting on a new appearance through the efforts of builders working under orders of the Salvation Army in renovating the whole building and making it ready for occupancy by the orphans of the city.

Men have been busily engaged on the work for the past three weeks, and it is expected that it will be ready for use by the end of October.

When the renovation is complete one of the finest and most modern orphanages in Western Ontario will be added to the city.

Several bungalows will also be erected on the grounds adjoining the present building, and will contain all modern facilities.

These will be kept as dwelling places and sleeping quarters, the main building being set aside for the dining room and offices.

In some parts the old floors are being torn up and replaced with new material, and partitions are being cut in several walls, thus making much larger dining-rooms, reading-rooms and offices.

A large veranda, which will occupy the front and east sides of the building, is being erected, and will probably be fitted up as a sunroom for the kiddies.

Sewers are being laid, furnaces installed, archways cut, rebricking being done in some sections, and in a general way everything is being done to make it the most up-to-date institution in this corner of the Dominion.

When completed it will be known as the Ronald-Roy Gray Memorial Home and the present home, which is now situated on Evergreen avenue, adjoining the Bethesda Hospital, will be turned into a nurses' home.

WANT AUDIT OF GAS CO.'S BOOKS STARTED

In compliance with a motion passed by the city council at its last meeting deputing Ald. F. R. Watkinson to take steps to have an audit of the City Gas Company's books made under special legislation, City Clerk S. Baker today wrote to the Ontario Railway Board requesting that body to make the audit at once.

This audit was made conditional by the Legislature in session early this year when permission was granted to the City Gas Company to increase its rates from 90 cents to $1.25 per 1,000 cubic feet of gas.

"The city clerk is writing today asking the Ontario Railway Board to start the audit at once," Ald. Watkinson informed The Advertiser this afternoon. "The city council referred this matter to me, and I took it up with City Clerk Baker this morning."

SAYS NEW ONTARIO IS GOLDEN LAND OF OPPORTUNITIES

Mining and Farming Important, Professor Russell Tells Kiwanis Club.

The vast possibilities that are held in store in that magnificent country to the north, New Ontario, were strongly emphasized in a short but extremely interesting address by Professor J. W. Russell of Western University, before the Kiwanis Club at noon today. Directly opposite to the popular views long maintained by the people of Old Ontario are the potentialities of the big domain beyond the main line of the C. P. R., the professor asserts, and the latter's long, varied, and close acquaintance with New Ontario qualifies him to speak on this subject as few others can.

The attitude of the people of the remainder of the province has been gradually changing, he says, with reference to that country. It is fast becoming realized that farming and mining as the big undertakings have already surpassed the lumbering activities of the north. At one time, he explains, it was a general belief elsewhere that lumbering was the one and only feature, and the people of old Ontario did not desire that the vast virgin forests of New Ontario should be rapidly settled. This was one reason, he stated, that the trend of immigration was diverted west to the prairies along the C. P. R.

Homes for 1,000,000.

"Oor slogan should be, however," he declared, "a million popolation north of the C. P. R., and the natural resources of that country are quite capable of achieving this. There has been a marvelous change within the past few years. The early settlers were largely people who failed in the older sections of Ontario, a few Europeans and a few Americans. At this moment, however, it is altogether different. The north has children of its own, those who will regard the north country as theirs and will find nothing to attract them elsewhere. They will realize that there is in store for them a secured future in Northern Ontario."

Entering upon the mineral possibilities of New Ontario, the speaker stated "that there was no place in the world that possesses the most promising land formation conducive to minerals than New Ontario. Development, of course, has been difficult and as yet not more than five per cent of the area has been actually touched. Despite this, there has been produced the greatest amount of nickel produced in the world, the richest silver deposits, and the beginning of what promises to be the biggest gold finds in the world."

In the course of his remarks the professor referred to many interesting phases in the development of the silver and cobalt and other mines of the north and related the romantic circumstances attending their discovery. He regretted incidentally that through unfortunate manoeuvring Americans contrived to get in on the ground floor, as it were, and secured some of the choicest mineral claims of the country. He explained that although the Canadians did not lack in the same brains and initiative as the Americans, they had not at that time the same experience.

Lots of Cobalt Yet.

Replying to recent statements that had been made, he said that the cobalt mines were not exhausted. The professor predicted that if certain undertakings, including those of his own, were successful the life of Cobalt would be lengthened at least another 25 years. "There has been a wonderful expansion in this and other districts," he said, and pointed out that the tremendous growth of Toronto was contemporaneous with that of Cobalt.

President W. Foss of the Bay City Baseball Club and John Dearney, also of Bay City, and an old London boy, and former employee of Hyman & Co., made brief addresses.

TOTAL ATTENDANCE AT PLAYGROUNDS IS 99,511 FOR MONTH

Visitors Include Parents to Number of 11,012 For Season.

An interesting feature of the report of G. Mel Brock, chief playgrounds supervisor, on the activities of various recreational centers here this summer, is the revealing of a device put into practice to prevent kiddies using city bathing suits at supervised "swimming holes" from forgetting to return the bathing suits utilized.

Major Brock points out that in every case of suits being loaned a portion of each boy's clothing was retained until the suit was returned. Each youth was provided with a brass check to redeem his garments, the authorities having experienced difficulty in maintaining a supply of bathing suits during previous seasons.

"In this way very few suits were lost this year," says the report. "Between June 20 and August 24 of this season attendance at the eight city playgrounds and two bathing camps totaled 99,511 youngsters, and 201,694 children participated in games, but this large number is explained by the fact that several hundred participated in more than one game each day."

Parents to the number of 11,012 visited the city playgrounds during the season. There were eight picnics staged at the north end bathing camp businessmen of the city co-operating by providing motor transportation for the kiddies to and from their respective playgrounds. Attendance at these outings totaled 1,076. The supervisors took the children of variousp arts of the city on 439 short walks, which added greatly to the fun provided at local playgrounds.

L.R.C. WON CITY BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIP, 37—36

The London Rowing Club fours were one up on the Thistles at the end of the two games of the finals played last night, the score being 37-36.

It took the 21st end of the game between W. Hynd and C. B. Bluett to decide the issue, as the two clubs were tied, 36-36.

The London Rowing Club and Thistles are now tied for the Free Press shield, emblematic of the city championship. Both have won it three times.

The scores:

Thistles.		London R. C.	
C. B. Laur,		F. H. Hindmarsh,	
A. M. Trick,		H. V. Nichols,	
N. H. Keene,		A. McLaren,	
C. K. Bluett ..	24	W. Hynd	17
Thistles ..	030 130 101 310 310 000 340—24		
L. R. C...	202 003 020 011 001 122 001—17		
R. D. McDonald,		W. J. Ashplant,	
L. E. Barrie,		W. Turnbull,	
G. Nightingale,		Dr. J. M. Wood,	
F. A. Brown ..	12	McDougall ...	20
Thistles ..	010 010 020 100 021 200 011—12		
L. R. C. .	202 202 101 013 200 012 100—20		

Total score: London Rowing 37, Thistles 36.

WANT NEW DATES FOR TROUT FISHING

Anglers Would Close Season Month Earlier Than at Present.

Trout fishermen in Western Ontario are initiating steps to have the opening and closing dates for trout fishing changed, and they will ask the provincial department of game and fisheries to amend existing legislation in that direction. The season now opens May 1, and some fishermen think it might be all right to open it two weeks earlier, or April 15, but it should close much earlier, preferably August 15, or at latest not after September 1. The present closing date is September 15.

Many of the streams north of London abound in trout. One trout angler has written to The Advertiser, pointing out that although the season does not close till September 15, he found a lot of spawn in trout which he caught a week ago. He estimates that every spawn-bearing trout caught now means 500 or more young trout less for next season's angling.

Spawn-bearing trout become sluggish and easy to catch, and besides being wasteful, the sport becomes tame and uninteresting. The angler closes his letter by saying:

"This eight-hour-day idea should be extended to the banks of the trout streams."

LATE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Sept. 9—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Shorts continued to press their advantage of yesterday at the heavy opening of today's stock market. Standard rails, as well as food shares, were singled out for attack, notably Northern Pacific, American Sugar and United Drug, at declines of 1 to 1½. Oils also were lower, Mexican Petroleum's slight initial advance soon being cancelled. National Cloak and Suit preferred was weakest of the specialties, falling 5¾ points on two transactions. Foreign exchange, including the German rate, was comparatively steady.

1:30 p.m.—Continental Can fell 3 points at midday on suspension of the dividend, but the balance of the list strengthened. Equipments, particularly American and Baldwin Locomotives, American Car, Pressed Steel Car and Railway Steel Spring rose 1 to 3 points. Motors and oils also were substantially higher.

[Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company for The Advertiser.]

New York, Sept. 9.

	Open.	High.	Low.	1:30
Trunk Lines and Grangers—				
Baltimore & Ohio.	37½	38¾	37½	38¾
Erie, com.....	13⅜	..	..	..
Great Northern...	73¾	74¾	73¾	74½
New York Central	71¼	71⅞	71¼	71⅞
Rock Island.....	32⅞	33½	32¾	33⅜
St. Paul.....	26½	26½	25½	26⅜
Wabash, com.....	7⅝	..	..	..
Wabash, A.....	21	..	..	..
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Atchison, com....	84½	85⅞	84½	85⅜
Canadian Pacific.	112¾	112¾	111½	112¾
Col. Southern....	25½	26½	25½	26½
Kansas & Texas..	1⅝	1¾	1⅝	1¾
Northern Pacific..	74½	76⅛	74½	76⅛
Southern Pacific..	77⅜	77⅞	77⅜	77⅝
Southern Railway	20⅞	21	20⅝	21
Southern Ry., pfd.	47	..	..	..
Union Pacific.....	119¼	120⅛	119¼	120
Cealers—				
Ches. & Ohio.....	54¾	54⅞	54	54⅞
Lehigh Valley.....	52¾	..	..	..
Reading Railway	68⅜	69¾	68⅜	69¾
Tractions—				
Brooklyn Transit.	10¾	11	10¼	11
Interboro, com...	2⅝	3	2⅝	2⅞
Industrials—				
Allis-Chalmers....	32¾	33¼	32½	33¼
American Can....	27	27	26⅞	27
American Car....	127¼	130¼	127¼	130¼
American Hide..	9⅞	..	..	..
Am. Hide, pfd...	49¾	50	49¾	50
Am. Locomotive..	88	90½	88	90½
American Sugar..	60¼	62½	60¼	61⅝
Am. Smelters....	35¾	36⅞	35¾	36¾
American Steel..	24	24⅞	24	24⅞
Am. Tel. & Tel...	107	107¼	107	107⅛
American Wool...	73½	75½	73⅜	75½
Atlantic-Gulf.....	25¼	26⅜	25¼	26¾
Baldwin Loco.....	82	86½	82	86½
Central Leather..	27¾	29	27¾	29
Corn Products...	71⅞	74¼	71⅞	74
Col. Fuel & Iron..	25	..	..	..
Dome Mines.....	17	..	..	..
General Electric..	122⅛	125	122⅛	125
General Motors...	9⅞	10	9⅞	10
G. Northern Ore..	28	28½	28	28½
Inter. Paper.....	45	47¼	45	47⅛
Inter. Nickel.....	13⅝	14	13⅝	14
Marine, com.....	10	..	..	..
Marine, pfd.....	44⅛	44⅞	44⅛	44⅞
People's Gas.....	55½	56	55½	56
Studebaker	74⅝	78	73¾	78
U. S. Rubber.....	47⅞	49¾	47⅞	49⅛
Virginia Chemical	30⅜	30⅝	30	30
Westinghouse.....	43⅝	44¾	43⅝	44¾
Willys-Overland...	6⅛	6¼	6	6
Coppers—				
Anaconda	37⅛	38	37⅛	37⅞
Chino Copper.....	23½	24¼	23½	24¼
Inspiration	34	34¾	34	34⅜
Miami Copper....	21	21⅛	20⅞	21
Ray Consolidated.	12½	13¼	12½	13⅛
Tennessee Copper	8	..	..	..
Utah Copper.....	48⅛	49½	48⅛	49½
Oils—				
Cal. Petroleum...	36	39½	36	38⅝
M. S. O.....	11⅞	11⅞	11⅝	11⅝
Mex. Petroleum..	113	115½	111½	114½
Pan-American....	48½	50	48¼	50
Texas Oil.....	35⅞	36	35⅝	35⅞
Steels—				
Bethlehem B.....	51½	53½	51⅜	53⅛
Crucible Steel....	58½	61¾	57⅞	61¼
Lackawanna	39	41⅝	39	41½
Pressed Steel Car.	55	57	55	57
Republic Iron.....	47½	49⅜	47½	49⅛
Railway Steel....	83½	84	83½	84
Sloss-Sheffield....	35½	..	..	..
U. S. Steel.....	76½	77½	76¼	77½

CONSTABLE ADMITS HE IS ALWAYS SUSPICIOUS

Tumble Top Case Not Proved Decision of Magistrate.

Constable George Tomblin admitted in police court this morning that he is "always suspicious." "That's part of my business," he continued.

Just this week his suspicions led him to notice two citizens who were leaning over a cigar counter. One was a salesman, and the other a customer, on the change "mat" he saw a top spinning. Furthermore, it was one of those "put and take" tops, of which there are many devotees in the city, especially among the women-folk.

Then the officer walked to the cigar stand and demanded the top, and also a 5-cent piece which the salesman picked up from the mat. The constable swore that the salesman gave him the top, but the customer and the salesman swore that the former handed it to him. The officer did not actually see money passed, but declared that the men appeared to be pretty busy, putting their hands in their pockets and taking them out.

Both men swore that the salesman had 30 cents in his hand, which had been given him by the customer to three cigars, and that he had neglected to put it in the cash register immediately after he received it. They said that they were discussing the case of a young man who had been arrested for "putting and taking," when the customer pulled an eight-sided top from his pocket and said, "I had better get rid of this." Then he handed it to the salesman, who, not having seen the eight-sided variety before, spun it on the counter. Before it "settled" the customer picked it up. Then the officer stepped in.

After being shown how to play the game, Deputy Magistrate P. H. Bartlett said: "I don't think the charge has been proved."

E. W. M. Flock appeared for the defendants.

Women's Black Kid Lace Boots

$3.98

A pre-season sale price on several hundred pairs of fine Black Kid eight-inch Boots for Women. Walking weight soles; neat, plain toes, Louis or Cuban heels. All sizes, 2½ to 7.

Women's Gunmetal Boots $2.98

At less than Factory Cost we will clear these hi-cut Gunmetal Lace Boots. Made on neat, stylish last, with plain toes and Louis heels.

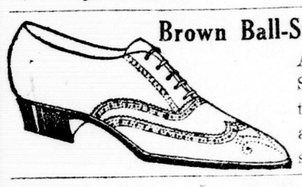
Brown 2-Strap Oxfords, $4.98

Newest of New styles. Made with Ball Strap and Vamp Perforations. Extension soles, military heels. All sizes.

Special Brown Oxfords at $3.98

These have just arrived from the factory and are new and up-to-date in every respect. Perforated tops and Imitation Ball Strap, military heels. All sizes.

Brown Ball-Strap Oxfords, $4.98



All sizes in this smart New Shoe for street wear. Military heels, Extension Soles and daintily perforated. All sizes.

Men's Brown Calf Boots .. $5.55

A new and tempting price on fashionable Brown Boots for men. Perforated vamp, seam and lace stay with Ball Straps or Wing tips. Goodyear welted. All sizes—$5.55.

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ORGANISTS' CONVENTION LARGELY ATTENDED

Two Londoners Elected to Council of the Canadian College.

Organists from all parts of the Dominion attended the annual convention of the Canadian College of Organists held this week in Toronto. London was represented by Charles E. Wheeler and F. Linforth Willgoose, members of the council, and Leonard G. Starling, secretary of the London center. Council meetings were held in the mornings, presided over by Dr. Percival J. Illsley of Montreal. A great deal of important business was enacted, and the following officers elected for the coming year:

Honorary president, His Excellency Baron Byng of Vimy, governor-general of Canada; patrons, Sir J. Frederick Bridge, C.V.O., M.A., Mus.Doc., F.R.C.O., Sir Walter Parratt, C. V. O., M.A., Mus. Doc.; honorary president, Albert Ham, Mus. Doc., F.R.C.O.; president, Dr. Percival J. Illsley, F.R.C.O., Montreal; vice-presidents, H. A. Fricker, Mus. Bac., F.R.C.O., Toronto; Richard Tattersall, Toronto; Charles E. Wheeler, F.C.C.O., London; Dr. Healey Willan, F.R.C.O., Toronto; council, G. Austen, Mus. Bac., A.R.C.O., Winnipeg; J. Bearder, F.R.C.O., Ottawa; G. M. Brewer, Montreal; A. H. Egerton, F.R.C.O., Montreal; W. H. Hewlett, Mus. Bac., Hamilton, F. G. Killmaster, B.A., Mus. Bac., F.C.C.O., Regina; Dr. E. MacMillan, F.R.C.O., Toronto, A. H. Montgomery, Mus. Bac., F.R.C.O., Halifax, H. E. J. Vernon, Mus. Bac., F.C.C.O., Toronto, F. L. Willgoose, Mus. Bac., A.R.C.O., London; registrar, Charles E. Wheeler, F.C.C.O., London; treasurer, H. G. Langlois, Mus. Bac., Toronto; secretary, D'Alton McLaughlin, A.C.C.O.

At the session on Tuesday afternoon short papers were read by prominent members. Charles E. Wheeler dealt with the educational and ethical aspect of the organ recital. Lively discussions followed each paper. Members and friends were then taken in automobiles to a garden party on the kind invitation of H. G. Langlois, treasurer of the college. In the evening dinner was served at the Board of Trade Building. F. Linforth Willgoose replied to one of the toasts. On Wednesday the exhibition was visited, and in the evening a special service was held at the Metropolitan Church, which was largely attended. Special music was rendered by the choir, and an address delivered by Dr. Trevor Davies, honorary chaplain to the college. An organ recital was given after the service by H. A. Fricker. This closed one of the most successful conventions in the history of the college. The council have decided to hold the convention in Montreal next year.

FINAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR KIDDIES AT FAIR

No stone is being left unturned in the combined effort by the different fraternal organizations of London to insure complete success for Children's Day at the Western Fair, on Monday next. The local Kiwanians at their weekly luncheon at the Tecumseh House today responded splendidly to the appeal for co-operation and service in this event. No difficulty was encountered in obtaining 30 volunteers, who will be on hand Monday with autos to drive the Kiwanian quota of youngsters to the big entertainment.

Five members will go on duty at 9 o'clock, ten more at noon, while another fifteen will arrange for the drive home when the big performance in front of the grandstand is concluded. With fair weather already indicated by the weatherman, everything points to a very successful afternoon.

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