MILK AT CHATHAM FOUND UNCLEAN

Seven Out of Eight Samples Tested Declared Dirty

LACK OF CARE CAUSE

Investigation Held by Medical Officer of Health

CHATHAM, Oct. 27.—The condition of the milk at present being supplied to the householders of Chatham has been made the subject of an investigation on the part of the medical officer of health, Dr. T. L. Ritchie. He finds out of 8 samples of milk taken from local vendors, all but one were very dirty. From 36 samples of milk taken from producers 15 were dirty or very dirty, 13 only fairly clean and 8 clean. The M. O. H. thinks the trouble which causes the dirty milk in Chatham is due to the fact that the producers do not take the proper care in milking.

Petty thieving continues in this district. Mrs. H. R. Arnold, of Harwich, reports that her home was entered and a quantity of preserved fruit taken. Frank Chesley, the farmer who missed a set of single harness from his barns, reports that the harness was returned in his absence from home. Harry Burleigh, the young man accused of stealing a bicycle from H. A. Kayhue, of Chatham Township, has been remanded for a week.

MEDALS PRESENTED.

The graduation exercises of the McKeough School attracted a large number of children and parents to the Victoria Avenue Methodist Church yesterday afternoon. Medals were presented to the scholars securing the highest standings during the past school term, and addresses were given by prominent educationists of the city and members of the board of education. Alex. Clarke acted as chairman and presided over a fine program given by the pupils of the school.

The medalists were: Max Tyrrell, manual training; Kathleen Harper, domestic science; Stanley Moir, art; Homer Stringer, marksmanship; Clarence Browning, athletics; and the following for general proficiency: Malcolm Wood, Walter Neath, John S. Gray, Jack Clark, Jean McEachran, Robert Biddell, Orlo McDonald, Kathryn Hicks and Helen Ferguson.

During the afternoon Miss Abram, the principal, and Miss Mia Farquharson, the teacher of the Entrance classes, were presented with gifts.

Geoffrey O'Hara, a former Chatham boy, who has made a great success in the New York world of music, visited his home town last night for the purpose of staging an entertainment under the direction of the Chatham Golf Club. He was assisted by Mr. Wetmore, a reader, of New York. The entertainment was held in the Park Street Methodist Church, which was well filled with an appreciative audience. Mr. O'Hara sang a large number of songs of his own composition, and was given a great ovation.

MAKE STRONG GRAPE WINE.

Householders who brew their own beer are breaking the law unless they have a permit from the inland revenue department, according to a statemant made to-day by Matthew Side, license inspector for Kent County.

That is, if the beer they brew is stronger than the legal status of beer, namely 2.75 per cent., they can be liable for prosecution.

A law to this effect was passed by the Government years ago and, as far as the license inspector knows, it has never been repealed.

On the other hand no permit is needed to make grape wine as strong as he may wish. Other wines, such as dandelion, rhubarb and others are really outside the law, according to the license inspector. And any wine containing grains is also illegal.

Recently a citizen called up License Inspector Side on the phone to say that he had been asked to buy a special recipe for home-brewed beer from some man who was doing a good business along this line among citizens. The inspector told his inquirer that beer brewed lower than 2.75 per cent. was perfectly lawful.

WHY GAS PRICES UP.

Local auto dealers state that the recent advance in the price of gasoline from 35 to 37 cents a gallon is due to the railways and the difficulties of transportation. Crude oil is also showing an increase of three cents a gallon over the former prices.

The newly-formed Rotary Club held a meeting yesterday at which addresses were delivered by Messrs. Fuller, Coats, Foex, Richards, Sulman and Hall. R. L. Stratton, the president, was in the chair. The charter for the club has not yet arrived, but is expected in a few days.

The death occured in St. Joseph's Hospital here of Mrs. Catherine C. McDougall, of Wallaceburg, wife of Hugh McDougall. She had been ill for two weeks. The remains were taken to Wallaceburg and the funeral will be held on Saturday. She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Adelaide, and a son, Gelard, who is attending L'Assumption College.

DORCHESTER A.Y.P.A. ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

DORCHESTER, Oct. 27.—The A. Y. P. A., of St. Peter's Church, Dorchester, held a social evening in the basement of the church on Monday. There was a short program, followed by games and contests. The officers for the year are: President, James Knight; vice-president, Mr. Gould; secretary, Mrs. R. R. Jelly; treasurer, George O'Neil; organist, Miss Ethel Topham.

On Tuesday a choir concert was held in the Methodist church. The choir of that church furnished the program, assisted by Miss Pearl Newton, of Toronto.

The Ladies' Aid, of the Presbyterian church, is planning on holding a Halloween social on Monday.

HERE'S A LANDLORD WHO LIKES KIDDIES AROUND

MANCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 28. — "Tenement to let; not less than five children wanted."

This advertisement, unusual in days of childless apartments controlled by flat-seeking landlords, recently brought applicants for the suite within two hours.

Hugh O'Dowd, the unmarried landlord who inserted the advertisement, explained by saying:

"I like kids, that's all."

EDUCATION AND INDUSTRY.

BRANTFORD, Oct. 27. — At the luncheon to-day, after a brief address by Dr. Marion Lawrence, of Chicago, and Rotarian, the speaker of the day, Col. Alexander Fraser, provincial archivist, was introduced, and gave an interesting and valuable address on the application of education to

PEROXIDE SALE COSTS FORD GROCER OVER $25

Only Registered Druggists Can Sell Bleaching Fluid, Magistrate Gundy Told.

WINDSOR, Oct. 27.—Sale of a 50-cent bottle of hydrogen peroxide cost C. Dubinsky, Ford grocer, $26.50 in the police court to-day. This charge against Dubinsky was preferred by Charles Boyd, inspector for the Ontario College of Pharmacy, who told Magistrate Gundy that only registered druggists can sell peroxide.

Addressing the Chamber of Commerce here this afternoon, Dr. James Inches, police commissioner of Detroit, asserted he had "eliminated all politics from his department." The commissioner also told several good stories.

P. J. England, former Windsor alderman, and W. H. Morrey will represent the local real estate board at the town planning and housing conference of Toronto next week.

BETTER LIVE STOCK FOR OXFORD COUNTY

WOODSTOCK, Oct. 27.—C. F. McKenzie, live stock representative of the Dominion department of agriculture, who is in Oxford County handling the details of the work of exchanging grade bulls for pure-bred bulls, in accordance with the campaign started by the Oxford Live Stock Improvement Association, reports that he is making excellent progress. Many changes have already been put through, and the farmers who are getting rid of their grade bulls in exchange for a six-months-old pure-bred bull calf are quite well satisfied with their bargain. The interest in the campaign continues, and the results for the first year have been very successful.

SUGAR REFINERY SITE.

PETROLEA, Oct. 27.—The Hall-Woods property, at the northeast side of the town, has been selected as the site of the new sugar factory. The topography of the ground at this location was the deciding factor by several engineers, natural drainage, no necessity for expensive filtering and nearness to water supply. Engineers are on hand making preliminary surveys and laying of railway tracks, etc.

SARNIA IS NOT HOUSING BANDITS

Chief Lannin Objects to Report From Toronto

"ARMCHAIR DETECTIVE"

J. Lippert Sent for Trial on M. V. A. Charge

SARNIA, Oct. 27.—The dispatches from Toronto citing the opinion of a police officer there to the effect that there were six gangs of bank bandits operating in this province, with headquarters at the border cities, including Sarnia, were brought to the attention of Chief Lannin, of the local force, today, who said that he did not think the party who was quoted had any such information, adding that the local department had no inkling of any such organization in Sarnia, and was positive that the report was untrue as far as this city went. Probably the remarks of some armchair detective, is the way the chief summed the matter up.

John Lippert, taxi driver, was sent up for trial at the next court of competent jurisdiction, by Magistrate Jarvis to-day ,on a charge of injuring John H. Landon by reckless and furious driving. He was released on bail of $2,000.

SPECIAL COURSE.

A six weeks' special training course is now being conducted concurrently in Sarnia and Chatham for the officers and men of No. 2 company, Second Canadian Machine Gun Brigade, composed of three batteries, two here and one in Chatham. Captain Beresford and Grant Adams, of Toronto, are instructing the classes, which are held two and three nights a week, alternately, in the two cities. Realistic pictures, showing the important part machine guns play in modern warfare are shown, and it is intended to give a demonstration of night firing, and range firing will be taken up as well. Major N. L. Lesuer, M. C., officer commanding here, is taking a keen interest in the training course.

More than 250 students are attending the night classes in Lochiel Street School this year, and great interest is manifested in the work which provides an opportunity for improvement in every branch of industry. The course includes sewing and dressmaking, wireless instruction, mechanics, millinery, cooking, French, Spanish, art, mathematics, mechanical drawing, woodwork, shorthand, typewriting and physical culture.

AFFECT SARNIA.

If the railroad strike materializes in the United States on Sunday it will affect the employment situation greatly at the tunnel. An official stated this afternoon that probably one-third of the crews running out of Sarnia would be laid off in such an event until traffic could be resumed. The districts contiguous to the American boundary, and Sarnia especially, would be the greatest sufferers.

Great preparations are being made for the celebration at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Sunday, of the 78th anniversary of the founding of the congregation. Captain Rev. J. B. Paulin, of Rosedale, Toronto, will conduct the services, and Harold Jarvis will render three solos at each service. St. Andrew's is the mother of all Presbyterian churches in Lambton County, and has had but five pastors in nearly 80 years of its existence. The present pastor, Rev. J. J. Paterson, came here from Regina in 1906.

APPRECIATE STEEL TRAIN.

BRANTFORD, Oct. 27.—A visual demonstration of the modern equipment being placed in service on Canada's own railway, the Canadian National, and as well a demonstration of what Canada can manufacture in the rolling stock essentials for railways was available here to-day in the presence at the G. T. R. station of a complete all-steel train of locomotive and six new cars. The train drew hundreds of visitors throughout the day.

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GALT ELECTORS SUPPORT ARENA

By-Law Carries by a Vote of 1,206 to 331

CITY IS TO LOAN $35,000

Work on Building Was Started Ten Days Ago

GALT, Oct. 27.—This city is assured of its new hockey arena for this winter. The electorate to-day by decisive majority voted a loan of $35,000 to the Galt Arena, Limited, to be payable in 20 annual installments. The vote was 1,206 for and 331 against, one of the largest ever polled on a money by-law in the city.

The work of building was started 10 days ago, and the foundation is now well under way. This was made possible as a result of 35 business men of the city going bonds for the sum required to meet the total cost, since $55,000 had been raised in stock selling campaign.

The large vote polled was the result of a splendid organization. A fleet of motor cars was engaged the entire day in carrying voters to the polls. Board of Trade members and Kiwanians got out and not only supported the by-law, but worked hard for it. Manufacturers and business men and lovers of sport also joined in the campaign.

The result of the vote is an appreciation of the good work of Galt's intermediate hockey team, O. H. A. champions of last winter, and it is a reward for their victory, as it will give them a much larger ice surface and also provide greater accommodation.

It is expected the building will be ready for use in January. Forces will be doubled up to rush on the work of construction.

MR. MURDOCK CHOSEN.

TORONTO, Oct. 27.—James Murdock, former Member of the Board of Commerce, was chosen to-night as the Liberal standard bearer in the federal riding of South Toronto.

CHORAL STUDY TERM

TILBURY, Oct. 27.—The choir of St. Andrew's Church, Chatham, under the direction of Choirmaster J. Forbes Allan, gave a concert on Tuesday in the Sloan Hall, under the auspices of the Tilbury Choral Society, which in this manner inaugurated a second term of choral study, under the conductorship of Mr. Allan. The program of 20 numbers was of rare excellence. It comprised vocal numbers, solos, duets, quartets, choruses, community singing and readings.

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