Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King Shows Government Restored Seniority Rights.

MEIGHEN UNSYMPATHETIC

Prime Minister Addresses the Lanark By-election Meeting At Smiths Falls.

Smiths Falls, Dec. 3.—(Canadian Press Staff Correspondent.)-Restoration of the pension rights of the Grand Trunk strikers of 1910 again figured prominently in the Lanark by-election contest Saturday night, when at the Liberal meetings held in this the Labor center of the riding, the prime minister, Rt. Hon. Macken-rie King and Her Lawer. zie King, and Hon. James Murdock, a recent speech by the former minister of labor, Hon. G. D. Robertson, in which he was reported as saying that the King government should not take credit for settling this matter and restoring the men's pension rights, as this had been done by W. D. Robb, vice-president and general manager of the Grand Trunk Railway.

Both the prime minister and Hon.

Both the prime minister in fr. Murdock participated in resulted in negotiations which resulted in upon the signing of an agreement by the company guaranteeing to restore to them all pension and seniority rights, it was claimed. This agreement had only been carried out in full during

The minister of labor told of a The minister of labor told or conference in Right Hon. Mr. King's conference in Right session, when G. office during last session, when G. Howard Kelley, then president of the Grand Trunk, had been called to Ottawa and asked to furnish a com-plete statement covering the matter. After receiving this information the King government had intimated both to the new president, Sir Henry Thornton, and to Mr. Robb of the Grand Trunk, that it desired a settle-

rightful seniority and pensions, and checks were now being forwarded to pensioners, who were receiving amounts ranging from a few hundred to some thousands of dollars. A total of something like \$55,000 was involved in the settlement volved in the settlement.

Mr. Murdock asserted that the Meighen government had been very unsympathetic toward the former unsympathetic toward the strikers and their demands. quoted a letter written by Right Hon. A. Meighen to Senator Robertson while the then premier was making his tour of the Dominion just prior to the last election. It acknowledged receipt of a memorandum dealing with the settlement of the strike and the agreement signed by the company and its employees, and commenting on the memorandum Mr. Meighen

"The men being give satisfactory assurance of return gave up their strike. They therefore should, it seems clear to me, be placed in the safe position of if the promises of the Grand Trunk had been strict To place them in this position does

being taken back as promised.

"You may be able to offset the argument of this memorandum as to pensions. I merely give you my obpensions. I merely give you my obpensions. I merely give you my obpensions of the mending argument of this memorandum as to pensions. I merely give you my obpensions of the mending argument of this memorandum as to pensions. I merely give you my obpensions of the mending argument of this memorandum as to pensions. I merely give you my obpensions of the mending argument of this memorandum as to pensions. I merely give you my obpensions of the mending argument of this memorandum as to pensions. I merely give you my obpensions. I merely give you my obpensions of the mending argument of this memorandum as to pensions. I merely give you my obpensions of the mending argument of this memorandum as to pensions. I merely give you my obpensions. I merely give you my obpensions. I merely give you my obpensions of the mending argument of this memorandum as to pensions. I merely give you my obpensions of the mending argument of this memorandum as to pensions. I merely give you my obpensions of the mending argument of this memorandum as to pensions. I merely give you my obpensions of the mending argument of the mending ar servations after reading same." Showed Meighen Stand.

This letter, Mr. Murdock claimed, showed where Rt. Hon. Mr. Meighen had stood in regard to restitution of the men's rights. Senator Robertson had tried to secure the men affected eir pension rights as from June 1 1920, when the railways were taken over by the government, but had been unable to "put even this over" with an unsympathetic government against him.

In the evening the prime minister addressed a capacity audience, afterwards speaking at the Princess
Theatre to a second crowded house. An overflow meeting was also held in the town hall. Hon. James Murther fact that the defendant is now the fact that the d dock and W. G. Raymond, member for evening meetings.

Closing his references to the Grand Trunk strikers, the prime minister declared the restitution of the men's time to secure the removal of this "injustice" and if another such case came to his notice he would, if necessary, spend the rest of his life in trying to secure whatever steps were necessary to remove the injus-tice and secure for the aggrieved parties their rights."

STROMBOLI VOLCANO

Rome, Dec. 2.-The eruption of the Rome, Dec. 2.—110 volcano Stromboll, which began on volcano Stromboll, westerday. No fatalities have so far been reported. The entire population has moved from the vicinity fearing a renewal

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SENATOR PROUDFOOT, who died in Wellesley Hospital, To-ronto, Sunday morning following an

ORDERS RADIAL TO RELAY ITS RAILS IN MERRITTON

St. Catharines, Dec. 3.-As a result of a recent hearing at Merritton, minister of labor, both dealt with the the Dominion Railway Board yestermatter, revealing some further inside day issued an order requiring the history in this matter, which had Niagara St. Catharines and Toronto many times been the subject of de-Railway Company to relay its rails bate on the floor of Parliament. The on streets in Merritton at its own exstatements were made in answer to pense and pay its share of the cost of paving the streets. The company must have the work completed by

STRATHROY MAYOR WILL ADDRESS CITIZENS DEC. 4

Mayor Bateman will give an account plan. of the suffering of the burnt areas of New Ontario at the Monday eyening

On these August days mentioned, the Canadian Corps held the line directly in front of the Roye-Chaulnes council meeting.

This would have been done before

but the required ½ mill on the dollar was forwarded for the relief of the destitute some time ago. The sol-diers' memorial will also be dealt

REPORT COLD WEATHER AT WEST OF SUPERIOR

Port Arthur, Dec. 2.-The weather at the western end of Lake Superior tack in the direction of Bapaume, has settled down to clear, cold calm. Grand Trunk, that it desired a settlement of the trouble with complete
restoration of the men's rights.

Took Necessary Steps.

As a result the necessary steps had

As a result the necessary steps had As a result the necessary steps had afternoon and evening, and the har-been sent forward to her is much more free although shy the sent forward to bor is much more free, although shipments will continue for another week large number of light and heavy batter days. The cold air is causing a thick vapor to rise from the water. creating foggy conditions for the in-coming and outgoing boats.

STEAMER DELOS W. COOKE

Ste. Marie, Dec. 3.—The Delos W. Cooke while en-Sault steamer Delos W. Cooke while entering the "Little Cut" at Hay Lake today, ran on the rocks near the lighthouse, puncturing her starboard lighthouse, puncturing bow. She was towed back here, tion of Bapaume."
where an examination will be made In accordance where an examination will be made in accordance with Sir Arthur by divers to determine whether the Currie's suggestions, operations on caused by steering cable trouble.

AVERS LUSITANIA DID NOT from Arras to Cambrai and, forcing its way through the Drocourt-Queant line, broke the hinge of the Hinden-burg system. from Arras to Cambrai and, forcing its way through the Drocourt-Queant line, broke the hinge of the Hinden-burg system. When found and taken to the hospital she fought attempts of doctors and nurses to give her antidotes.

New York, Dec. 3.-The Cunard not mean necessarily restitution of liner Lusitania, sunk by a German fore, the argument on that point is submarine in 1915 off the Irish coast, to my mind very impressive to the carried neither guns, troops nor excontrary). It would mean, however, plosives, but did carry 5,400 cases of a reinstatement at least of salary ammunition, the official report of the rights, if any, affected by their not being taken back as promised.

The cases of ammunition, the report stated, were carried by specific permission under rulings of the department of commerce in force since 1911.

ACQUITS "WIZARD PONZI" ON CHARGE OF LARCENY

and conspiracy to steal States Supreme Court ruled that such proceedings were legal despite dock and W. G. Raymond, member for serving a prison sentence for using Brantford, also addressed the three the mails to defraud. The indictments charging larceny still stand against the dapper little man, who acted as his own counsel in the tria just ended. Attorney-General Wesrights had been the righting of a ton refused to say whether the counts great wrong. He had waited a long would be pressed. Both Ponzi and his wife broke down when the verdict was brought in. The former was immediately re-

LAKE GRAIN SHIPMENTS CONSTITUTE NEW RECORD

turned to jail at Plymouth.

Fort William, Dec. 3.-Last week's shipments of grain, averaging 4,000,-000 bushels a day, constitute a record for grain movements down the lakes from these two ports. Receipts did not quite maintain the level of the previous week and stocks of all grains dropped to 16,000,000 bushels a decline for the week of 12,750,000 a decline for the week of 12,750,000. Stocks of grain were yesterday far lower than is customary at the head of the lakes at this season of the year.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. New York, Dec. 3 .- Adriatic, Liverpool; Lapland, Antwerp. Queenstown, Dec. 3.—Baltic, New

Plymouth, Dec. 3.—Rochambeau, New York, Naples, Dec. 2.—Canada, New York

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CURRIE'S ADVICE LEAD TO VICTORY

New Publication Gives Credit To Canadian Commander For Good Work.

Ottawa, Dec. 3 .- (Canadian Press.) -Official reports of the Canadian Corps add a highly important chapter to the Foch-Haig controversy aroused by the publication of "Sir Douglas Haig's Command" by A. B. Dewar and Lieut.-Col. Boraston.

The theme of the book is that it was Haig and not Foch who planned the counter-offensive that won the war. Records of the Canadian Corps do not touch on the sharp clashes between Haig and Foch alleged in the book, but they show that suggestions made by Sir Arthur Currie, commander of the Canadian Corps, were adopted in the plan of attack that led to the first crossing of the Hindenburg line.

The book claims inter alia, that on August 12, 1918, Foch wanted to attack at once on the Roye-Chaulnes positions; but Haig was opposed on the ground that the German defence had stiffened and that in attacking again south of the Somme "we should incur heavy casualties and receive a severe setback."

The next day Haig proved the strength of the German position by reconnaissance. He informed Foch far more promising and scientific plan of attack north of Arras." Foch, according to the book, continued to insist on Haig attacking the Roye-Chaulnes positions. Haig declined Strathroy, Dec. 3.-His Worship and Foch eventually agreed to Haig's

On these August days mentioned, Canadian troops that, had the attack been carried out, the burden would have fallen. They had formed the spear-head of the battle of Amiens, and from August 8, at first rapidly and then more slowly, had been pressing forward. By August 10 the Canadian advance, met by heavy re-serves, had been slowed down, and on the night of August 11-12, or before the controversy between Haig and Foch, Sir Arthur Currie recommended an alternative surprise at-

speaking of the night of August 11-12, "that strong enemy reserves had been sent forward to stem our ad-Six fresh divisions and a fighting hard on a strongly entrenched position.

able to try to progress mainly by in-fantry fighting, and recommended that the operations should be slack-HITS ROCKS IN HAY LAKE ened to give time to organize a set "I further suggested that rather than expose the Canadian corps to losses without adequate results, it "I killed the only person I had to

later it was fighting along the road

THREE DROWN WHEN ROWBOAT SWAMPS

in Lake St. Clair.

Special to The Advertiser. Mt. Clemens, Mich., Dec. 3.-Swept overboard by a heavy sea this afterwhen the engine stalled the four oc-cupants of the craft decided to leave the cruiser in an open boat.

DETROIT DRUGGIST BADLY WOUNDED BY BANDITS

Detroit, Dec. 3.-Hudson Layman, 35, drug store proprietor at 5958 Van-dyke avenue, was probably fatally wounded tonight when he exchanged shots with a "lookout" for two hold-up men who looted his drug store safe of \$150. Layman was trying to foil the escape of the robbers when he engaged the accomplice in a gun

A customer in the store, who attempted to thwart the hold-up men by grabbing the gun of one and wresting it from him, was hurled to the floor half dazed by a blow of the robber's knee against his stomach. Layman was removed to Harper Hospital, where attending physicians early Monday morning held out slight hopes for his recovery.

FORMER ELDERSLIE MAN SUCCUMBS IN MILTON

Special to The Advertiser.
Cargill, Dec. 3. — The remains of the late Archibald MacKillop, a former resident of Elderslie Township, and who died at the home of his son, O. M. MacKillop, principal of Milton High School, were forwarded to Elderslie for burial, arriving on the G. T. R. noon train at Chesley yesterday.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon to the cemetery on the fourth concession of Elderslie.

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Special to The Advertiser. Chicago, Ill., Dec. 2.—Prof. John



THIS ATTRACTIVE FLOAT, REPRESENTING CANADA AND ITS RAILWAYS, WAS ONE OF THE

Sailors Take To Lifeboats When Fire Envelops Steamer Ogemaw

Special to The Advertiser. Detroit, Dec. 3.-While on her way up the St. Clair River early this morning fire broke out near the engine room of the small wooden steamer Ogemaw, and within a few minutes the boat was smothered in a smass of flames and smoke. Mem bers of the crew, numbering 13 per-sons, escaped in lifeboats without in-

Grand Pointe on the way to Marine City, where she was to tie up for the winter.

When the alarm was given the fire whistle was blown. Two members of the crew who were asleep dock and all started in to battle the flames, which were fan ned by a strong wind.

were forced to take to the liferew vooats. Several members of the crew es-

The blaze made such rapid head

caped with very little clothing, and all went to Algonac, where new clothng was secured and food was had. The Ogemaw left Toledo Saturday and passed up Detroit River shortly after 9 o'clock last evening. Within a short time after the fire had broken out flames had spread throughout the ship, and it soon burned to the water's edge. The Ogemaw was one of the last few wooden boats on the Great Lakes and was well known to all mariners. She was built in 1881, was 162 feet

ADMITS MURDER, SEEKS TO END LIFE

Olivia Stone, N. Y., Freed of Slaying, Fights Attempts at Succor.

New York, Dec. 2 .- Olivia M. P. Stone, acquitted of the slaying of Ellis Guy Kinkead, former city solicitor of Cincinnati, lay near death in a hospital here today and fought "I considered that it was inadvis- attempts of physicians to save her

Miss Stone, who declared she shot Kinkead after he wronged her, and then married another woman, Marie of mercury in an attempt at suicide,

She told hospital attaches police that she finally decided to kill herself because she was unable to obtain her license from a Cincinnati vessel can finish her trip with a this front were slackened. The obtain her license from a Cincinnati temporary patch. The accident was Canadian corps was transferred to hospital, reinstating her as a trained the first army on Aug. 22. Four days nurse. After taking the poison, the woman remained in her room six

and nurses to give her antidotes.

LANARK WINDS UP BITTER CAMPAIGN

Hardest Pre-Election Fight in Riding's History.

Ottawa, Dec. 3 .- (Canadian Press). noon, when the rowboat in which go to the polls in the by-election to- of Sturgeon Falls, whose home is in let either of the Tiernans talk with they were abandoning their pleasure morrow after one of the most inten- Beachburg, Ont., is suffering from a cruiser on Lake St. Clare was sive campaigns in the history of the broken ankle, received when he

Lanark is traditionally Conserva-

and Conservatives were openly op-timistic that their candidate would noon returned a verdict of "death

while the two old parties will fight it out along strictly party lines, a three-cornered contest between two Liberals and a Labor campaign will be completed in Halifax where Hon. Robert E. Finn, Liberal candidate, John J. Power, K. C. Liberal-Independent candidate, and James O'Connell, Labor candidate, are contesting the seat made vacant by the death of the seat made vacant by the death of the seat made vacant by the death of Dr. Edward Blackadder.

TRY 14 FOR REBELLION ON STREETS OF PARIS

Paris, Dec. 2.—Fourteen persons arrested in the course of the street riots and paving stone battles with the police late last August in connection with the ship workers' strike were held for trial today on charges of rebellion. Cases against thirtysix others were dismissed as unfounded. A large number of prisoners had previously been released.

35 HEAD OF CATTLE PERISH IN BLAZE

Farmer Sustains \$10,000 Loss When Fire Destroys Barn and Contents.

Special to The Advertiser. Cargill, Dec. 3.-Fire of unknown origin broke out about 11 o'clock Friday night, destroying a large barn the fourteenth concession, Brant, together with the entire contents, including hay, grain, implements, 35 head of cattle and four horses. The loss is estimated at \$10,000, partially covered by insurance.

The family were all away at a box social at S. S. No. 1, Brant and Elderslie, with the exception of Mr. Monroe, at the time the fire broke dered to the psychopathic hospital to out. When Mr. Munroe left the barn day by Judge Frank H. Righeimer. verything was all right. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

TWO PERISH WHEN

Fire of Unknown Origin Completely Destroys Building At Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

Hotel here. Ottawa, Dec. 3.—(Canadian Press). Hotel here.

The electors of Lanark County will A boarder, Otto Christman, jeweler with Mrs. Brimmer and refused to Boston, Mass., Dec. 2.—Charles swamped, Courtney Smith of Detroit, bushel basket millionaire, was found not guilty in superior court here last night of charges of larceny and conspiracy to steal.

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The candidates, Dr. R. F. Preston, few months ago. The loss is estiplight of the boat from the shore.

The pleasure party had been out on the lake during the afternoon, and on the lake during the afternoon, and the lake during the afternoon, and the lake during the afternoon, and the lake during the afternoon and the lake during the afternoon and the lake during the afternoon and the lake during th There were 30 rooms in the hotel, 20 of which were filled on the mornin tive, but when the active campaign of the fire. The remains of the two closed Saturday night the Liberals victims were found among the ruins. e returned.

While the two old parties will fight occurred in the Pacific Hotel on the

SOUTHERN PACIFIC ROAD ORDERS NEW EQUIPMENT

San Francisco, Dec. 3.-Construc-

YARN EMBROIDERY. Bright-colored yarns are being em-ployed effectively in decorating certain of the new silk negligees.

of Sight, Still Time Reveals No Clue at 5 o'clock last evening. Wet tracks are believed to have been the cause

Police records of this continent do the

This is the second death of a former resident of this district to occur at Mil-seen alive in his office in the Grand ton within a week. The other was that of Miss Elizabeth Cunningham of Glammis. Both bodies were brought back one, or has any one heard from the first the question every citizen of To-control has asked himself. Thus and of dollars have been spent trying to find trace of Mr. Small and to solve TIERNAN SENT TO HOSPITAL.

Special to The Advertiser.

Police records of this continent do not provide a more mysterious case than the disappearance of Ambrose 45,000 miles investigating clues of all 45,000 miles investigating clues of all Chicago, Ill., Dec. 2.—Prof. John P. Tiernan, principal in the notorious South Bend paternity case, was ordered to the psychopathic hospital today by Judge Frank Righeimer. Tiernan fought to prove that his wife's child was the son of Harry Poulin of South Bend.

Later he became involved in other matrimonial troubles.

Small.

He dropped out of sight as though the earth had suddenly opened up and swallowed him after the sale of his vast theatrical holdings to the Trans-Canada Theatre Company, for which he received a check for \$1,000,000 in part payment the day before.

Naturally, while the mystery is a mystery, speculation is rife. That them think he never will be.

TIM HEALY TO HEAD ST. JOHN'S 209A **IRISH FREE STATE**

House Chosen For Governor-Generalship.

royal assent is given to the Free 1923: patches from Dublin.

of the British House of Commons. Bro. Clarence Atkins: chaplain, Bro. He was noted for always being ready Rev. A. A. Bice; treasurer, Wor. Bro. for a parliamentary fight. During T. A. Rowat; sceretary, Wor. the days when the Irish home rule Edwin Smith; senior deacon, bill was a bone of contention in the Bro. E. L. Geoghegan; inner guard, mond. He retired from public life steward, Bro. Harry Kennerson; in 1918

Previously for many years he had served various Irish constituencies in parliament. He is 67 years old.

TIERNAN SOUGHT ON COURT ORDER

on the farm of Andrew Monroe, on Warrant For Professor Would Send Him To Hospital For Examination.

> Chicago, Dec. 3.-Prof. John Tiernan, principal in the famous South Bend paternity case, was ordered to the psychopathic hospital to-Tiernan, who fought to prove that his wife's child was the son of Harry Foulin of South Bend., could not be located late today by officers. It was reported that he had left the city during the night.

The warrant for Tiernan's arrest was signed by Mrs. Francis Pulaski, HOTEL IS BURNED was signed by Mrs. Francis Pulaski, sister of Mrs. Tierman. It assigned Tiernan to the hospital "for examin-Tiernan to the hospital "for examin-

cused Poulin of being the father of his wife's child. Poulin, however, was First Congregational Edifice acquitted of the charge after a sensational trial.

Later Took Second Wife.

Married married

Sturgeon Falls, Dec. 3.—Fire on Blanche Brimmer, pretty Iowa widow Saturday morning caused the death of Camile Ferguson, aged 32, bar-clared illegal by the court and Tiernan Electors Will Go To Polls After tender, and Donald Taylor, a teamster, in the employ of the George lation was affected and the former Notre Dame professor declared he Gordon Lumber Company, at Cache would be a father to a child whose Bay, a guest for the night, and the parentage was questioned.

Mrs. Pulaski took charge of the Tiernan house during the time when

newspapermen. On Thanksgiving Day, however, Tiernan told reporters

signed a contract with a New York concern to make a lecture tour. He said he was to be billed as "Professor Tiernan on Emotion.

THOMAS OPPOSES WILSON IN BRITISH BY-ELECTION London, Dec. 3 .- (Canadian Press

Cable).-It is officially announced that Commander Thomas, a life-long Conservative, will oppose the Conservative whip, Col. Leslie Wilson, in the by-election in South Portsmouth.

Col. Wilson was defeated in the general election in the St. George's tion of freight and passenger cars to divison of Westminster by J. M. cost \$12,000,000 has been authorized Erskine, the Independent Conservaby the Southern Pacific Railroad tive, and an opening was made for Company, it was announced yesterday him in South Portsmouth by the by its president, William Sproule. The equipment, including 4,525 freight and company's Pacific system lines.

The southern Facinc Rainfoad (19,4) and an opening was made for him in South Portsmouth by the resignation of Major H. R. Cayzer, Conservative, who received 19,960 to ponent, Sir H. Lawson. There is said to be some local resentment against the riding being used as a party convenience.

TWO DIE WHEN SANTE FE TRAIN JUMPS OFF TRACKS

Bakersfield, Cal., Dec. 3.-Two persons were killed and a number injured when Santa Fe passenger train. No. 22, from San Francisco jumped the tracks five miles out of this city The engineer was killed. Charles

FUMES HURT 8 FIREMEN AT FIRE IN SCHENECTADY

Schenectady, N. Y., Dec. 3.-Eight firemen were overcome by gas and fumes from burning chemicals before a fire, which damaged the Vendome Hotel building to the extent of \$250. 45,000 miles investigating clues of all 000 and for a time threatened the kinds. But, as on the day he vanished, the police have not been able under control last night. The blaze,

LONDONERS BALK AT PARDEE CONNECTING SEWERS PARDEE

Health Authorities Hale Citizens To Court For Failing To Comply With Act.

Although health authorities of London have forced 600 citizens to con-

"Some people think we do not mean what we say, when we tell them they must connect up," remarked Sanitary Inspector Richard Sanders. However, he proved that the health board means beginner when he health board means business when he laid informatio against several citizens for alleged violations of the public health act. Pigs are banned in the city limits, but one Russian resident has been keeping four of the animals in his backyard in the heart of the city He was ordered to send the the rural district. His failure to carry out this order promptly re-sulted in his being summoned to

ELECT-OFFICERS

H. McNab Master For

London, Dec. 3.-Timothy Healy At a meeting of St. John's Lodge has accepted the governor-general- No. 209a, A. F. and A. M., G. R. C., ship of the Irish Free State, and his held Friday evening, the following appointment will be announced when officers were elected for the year

State bill, according to special dis- Worshipful master, Wor. Bro. H. McNab; immediate past master, Wor. Timothy Michael Healy for many Bro., W. A. O'Dell; senior warden, years was one of the stormy petrels Bro. S. J. Martin; junior warden, Commons Healy was a strong an- Bro. Reg. Wilson; director of ceretagonist of Parnell and John Red- monies, Wor. Bro. H. T. Bell; senior son; organist, Bro. W. Vaughan; tyler, Bro. W. Allen; representative board of relief, Right Wor. Bro. J. H. Wilson; representatives board of finance, Right Wor, Bro. W. H. Line. Wor. Bro. C. R. Hoare and Wor. Bro. Edwin Smith; representatives to Masonic Hall, Ltd., Bro. R. D. Mc-Donald: representative to London Masonic Bureau, Right. Wor. Bro. W. H. Line; auditors, Bro. H. Ken-

nerson and Bro. W. E. Knight scrutineers: Right Wor. Bro. Thomas Rowe and Right Wor. Bro. Neil Mc-Gill of St. John's Lodge, No. 20, and Wor. Bro. Bryden Campbell of Tus-

can Lodge, No. 195.

After the lodge closed the brethren adjourned to the banqueting hall and partook of refreshments, the toast list being presided over by the Wor master-elect, H. McNab. St. John's Lodge is one of the oldest lodges in Western Ontario, and has a membership of over 600, and with the officers elected the lodge is assured of maintaining its position in

Western Ontario. BLAZE CAUSES \$1,000 TAGE AT CITY CHILD CHI

Damaged by Small Fire in Coalroom.

Damage estimated at \$1,000 was caused by fire which broke out at the rear of the First Congregational Church, Dundas street, at 9:50 Saturday night. The first started from a pile of rags and paper in the coal dent, R. H. Bogart, Woodstock; 1st bin, and was first observed by Dr. W. J. Stevenson who, on returning from his rounds, smelled smoke, and on investigation found smoke coming from the coal shute. He immediately telephoned for the fire brigade, and had it not been for their timely arrival the damage, it is believed, would have run into several thou-

sands. When the firemen arrived the blaze was making rapid progress, but after a strenuous fight the blaze was confined to the coalroom and a room fight the blaze was above. The loss is covered by in-

AMERICAN BEAUTY **ROOM SOON TO OPEN**

London will soon have a new din-ing-room when the plans of the proprietors of the De Luxe Cafe are carried into effect.

Two large windows have been made facing the street, allowing more light and air; and in the next few days while the cafe is closed, the entire room will be redecorated in an American Beauty motif, the wall panels being hand painted. It is the intention of the owners to create a room the beauty of which will not be equalled in the city. Rosecolored lamps will be used to illumin the tables, and a warm comfy little place will beckon the diner out in search of a tasty dinner.

Money Talks

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nect up with the sewer system, they Senator Defends Governme have had trouble with a number of in Speech To Association At Woodstock.

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North Oxford Organization Elects R. Bogart President For 1923.

Special to The Advertiser. Woodstock, Dec. 3 .- Senator Fre Pardee of Lambton County was t speaker at the annual meeting of North Oxford Referendum Associa tion here Saturday afternoon. In fighting speech, he took up cudgels of the government in defend against the criticisms of the Ho Arthur Meighen, made during th way in the engine room and spread way in the engine room and spread Former Member of British City Masonic Lodge Names policy of the Liberal party in regar to many matters of importance.

The meeting was a typical Oxfor County Liberal one, with a fine at tendance, and the remarks of Senato Pardee were loudly applauded. H Pardee were loudly applauded. He was particularly strong in defence of the railway policy of the government and of the appointment of Sir Henry Thornton as chairman of the Canadian National Railways. Sir Henry he said, had made an outstanding success of a large railway system in the United States and of another in Britain, and he was better qualified than any other man to put the national roads on a stable and profit

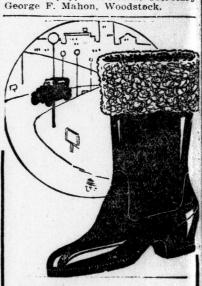
than any other man to put the national roads on a stable and profit able basis. He said that Mr. Meigher was adopting a puerile and childist attitude in his criticisms, and that he did not have the support of the people nor of his own party.

The speaker also dealt with the efforts of the Conservatives to raise the cry of sectionalism throughout Canada. He charged Mr. Meigher with trying to set the east agains the west, and said that by trying to make political capital in this way he was doing Canada an injury which would repound to his discount of the said of the make political capital in this way in was doing Canada an injury which would rebound to his discredit. It dealing with the tariff, Senator Pardee said he was not satisfied with the present tariff, but that he realize country was in better shape finan

speaker, "on which the governme is being belabored as only a Tory can labor it. That is the question belabor it. That is the question of the Near East, and the government is being found fault with because im-mediately a telegram was received from Winston Churchill at the out-break of the Dardanelles dispute the government did not issue a call-toarms and say come on, let us send our young men to war. I think the course taken by the government was the right course. I do not see every time a flame of war breaks out in the Balkans or some other obscure state, Canada should send her young men to fight battles. If that were done we would be sending our men away every year, but I cannot recall any time for years when the Balkans

have not been at war. the general election over there. with an appeal to the people to has patience with the government, which had been in power for only eleven months and which, considering the state in which it found affairs, had done supprisingly real done surprisingly well.

Dr. D. J. Sinclair, M.P., also spoke and reviewed the doings of the last session of parliament, particularly with regard to agricultural matters. The following officers were electe bro; 2nd vice-president, C. C. Fry Drumbo; 3rd vice-president, John C Henderson, East Nissouri; treasurer M. J. Brophy. Woodstock:



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