SLIGHT DECREASE City Briefs

Twenty More Criminal Cases Than in 1919

FINES TOTAL \$46,095.96

Non-Indictable Offences Number 3,572.

Despite the fact that a crime wave has been sweeping this continent for nonths, it affected London but little up the police court. In the year 1920 there was an increase of only 20 in the number of criminal cases tried in the local police court, compared with the number of similar cases tried in 1919. During

the non-indictable cases, howfor while in 1919 there were but 3,004 due to greater stringency in enforcing the motor vehicles act and the O.T.A.

due to greater stringency in enforcing the motor vehicles act and the O.T.A. Infringements of all city bylaws and provincial statutes outside of the criminal code are classed as non-indictable offences. They include offences against the O. T. A., vagrancy, cruelty to animals, infringements of the M. V. A., and all bylaws, wives' maintenance act and all other minor offences.

Juvenile Decrease.

That there was little substance to the cry that the children of the city were going astray because there was no juvenile court, was proven by the fact that the juvenile crime of the city showed a decrease of 41 in the number of cases. In 1920 there were but 277 children brought before the magistrate, while in 1919, 318 children not yet 16 years of age, were tried for various offences.

An increase of \$7,830.02 in fines was paid into the court during 1920, compared to the amount paid in 1919. A total of \$46,96.96 was paid into the coffers of the police court. Of this amount \$34,996.66 was paid into the city treasury, while \$11,100.30 was turned over to the Provincial Government.

CONFERENCE OF LEAGUE MEMBERS IS CALLED TO MEET AT BARCELONA

Paris, Jan. 6.—Sir Eric Drummond secretary-general of the League of Nations, has called a conference on communication and transit to be held at Barcelona, Spain, late in February. This meeting will be held in accordance with a decision of the assembly of the league at its recent meeting at Geneva and all members of the organization will be asked to participate. Actual conditions regarding transportation will be examined and the meeting will attempt to find some means of improving the situation which prevails at present. In addition, an international convention governing the freedom of transit on navigable rivers and railroads will be prepared, and the projected statute governing ports will be framed, it is said.

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CTORY BONDS LAST ISSUE EDWARD CRONYN & CO.

Mr. Alexander McAllister of Ottawa was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Robinson, 572 York street, for a few days this week.

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RIVERVIEW SCHOOL GETS CUP.

The public schools indoor baseball championship cup, which was won this year by Riverview School was handed to that school vesterday for safekeeping, by Inspector C B Edwards This is the third cup wor by the athletes of Riverview School this season. Riverview School this season.

INCREASING INTEREST.—Increasing interest is being taken in the short course classes in agricultural and horticultural subjects being conducted at Alisa Craig by R. A. Finn, the Ontario Government representative for this county. There is now double the number of students who presented themselves on the opening day and more are expected as the course develops.

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NEW WAGE SCHEDULE.—London journeymen painters and paperhangers in a new wage schedule just presented to the Master Painters' Association are asking for an increase in wages of 10 cents an hour. The wage paid in 1920 was 70 cents an hour, and the painters and paperhangers are now asking for 80 cents an hour. It is expected that an amicable agreement will be reached.

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sought being \$500. It is pointed out in the judgment now entered, that the could not see why diovanni should consume the could not seem to could not seem the could not seem that the could not seem the could not seem

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E. A. Peck ex-M.P.P., who proposed the nomination of Mr. Denne, said the country owed its present progress to the foresight of the late Sir John A. Macdonald, who had introduced an adequate form of protection. This the government candidate would uphold, he said. The nomination was seconded by A. Brown.

A. Brown.

In a brief address accepting the nomination, Mr. Denne said he did not care how many candidates entered the contest. He would stay to the finish against all comers,
Premier Meighen and Hon. Hugh
Guthrie will address a meeting here on
Monday night in support of the government candidate.

HELPING THE NEMPLOYED.
Windsor, Jan. 5.—Sixty men registered in Windsor's municipal employment bureau were put at work today on the city's water main's and sewers. The city engineer will post another list of sixty Friday night, who will begin work Saturday and work until next Wednesday. The idea of the city is to give all the men registered employment for three days a week at least. Books of the city employment office show 218 men are registered.

BURIAL AT COURTRIGHT.
Sarnia, Jan. i.—Prominent residents of Sarnia, Lamtton County, and other parts of Western Ontario, as well as Chicago attended the funeral of James H. Kittermaster, who died on Sunday, from the family residence, near Courtright, Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Dymond of Courtright conducted the service. The remains were interred at Sutherland Cemetery and the following acted as pallbearers: R. MacKenzie, H. F. Holland, P. T. McGibbon, H. W. Unsworth, S. A. Hyde and J. M. Hunt.

SMILINGLY ADMITS

John Giovanni Remanded Till Saturday.

SAMSON SPRICKETT

Given Chance to Tread the Straight and Narrow Path.

WOULD ENCOURAGE IMMIGRATION. New York, Jan. 6.—Representatives of the national immigration council will go before the Senate committee on immigration in Washington next week to urge that unskilled laborers be enco iraged to enter the United States rather than be restricted, it was announced to-

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

	London, Jan. 6.—Closing prices today
	were:
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	Denver & Rio Grande 2
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	Grand Trunk 5
	Illinois Central
9	Louisville & Nashville
	Missouri Kansas & Texas 41/2
	New York Central 99
H	Norfolk & Western
	Ontario & Western 241/2
•	Pennsylvania Railway 55
	Rand Mines 21/6
,	Reading Railway112
	Southern Railway 301/2
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	Union Pacific
•	United States Steel111
ı	. EXCHANGE RATES.
3	New York, Jan. 6Sterling exchange
	strong: demand \$3 64%; cables, \$3 65%.
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LIVE HOG MARKET

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Good Demand for Clover Hay

There was a good demand for hay at today's market, and a fair supply, which sold at from \$26 to \$28.50 per ton for timothy and \$25 to \$27 for clover. The demand for clover was especially good.

The ruling price-for oats was \$1.50 per cwt., but for small loads coming a distance a few cents extra was charged. Three or four loads of straw were offered and brought \$12.30 per ton.

The prices of hogs will probably be lower for the rest of this week. Today's quotations for live hogs range around \$14.25 f.o.b., while the dressed product is \$21 to \$22, with a downward tendency.

Potatoes are practically unchanged at \$1.65 to \$1.75 per bag, wholesale.

Eggs were scarce and will remain so for some little time. Butter is slow and prices unchanged.

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On sa'es of 30.700 shares, or more than one-half of the total of 61.000, this stock advanced from 16½ at the opening to the high point of 21½, reacting ½ point to 21 at the close. West Dome continued on its downward path, the noon close of 7½ being ¾ lower than yesterday's close. Lake Shore and McIntyre were also down at 103 and 180 respectively. Thompson-Krist ex-dividend, at 6½, showed a gain over yesterday.

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Three Card Monte Sharks Trimming Montreal Citizens

Montreal, Jan. 6.—Since the court of king's bench recently decided that the game of three-card monte was a game of skill, and not a fraudulent game, the detective bureau here has been faced with a new problem. Within the last three days 25 complaints have been made by persons who say they have been invited into the game and have lost all the money they possessed. The amounts varied from \$50 to \$400.

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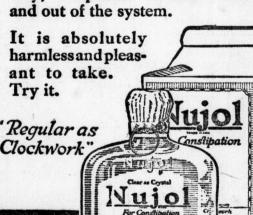
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