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CHOP STUFF

Leslie Hathaway, of 90 Windsor ave., London south, was arrested in Toronto on Sunday night and confessed to robbing the Bank of Montreal at Thornedale of over \$7,000 on Friday afternoon, July 3rd.

In reply to a townsman's question as to the return a fowl gives for the grain it gets, a wide-awake farmer writes: "After close calculation my experience is that a fowl gives at least one peck for every grain it gets." In the language of Mark Twain that ought to be a "paying proposition."

Appearing before the town clerk last week a young man asked for a marriage license. On being told that it was necessary to produce a birth certificate for the intended bride, he said he guessed he would not get married at present, as he was sure his intended would not want to go to the bother of getting the necessary birth certificate.—Cobourg Sentinel-Star.

Aylmer Cemetery Company will purchase a tent for use at the cemetery for funerals. In case the weather is wet or stormy, the tent, which will be a large one, will be put over the grave, and under it the mourners will find shelter from the weather. It will be particularly appreciated in the winter, as a shelter from the cold winds and snow.

The submerged wreck of the schooner Nancy was discovered by enthusiastic historians at Wasaga Beach, near Collingwood, last week. The Nancy was an armed schooner laden with pork and flour for the beleaguered British garrison at Fort Michillimackinac during the war of 1812 with the United States and was burned to the water's edge after a stiff fight with American vessels on August 14th, 1814.

Present indications point to one of the best crop years Western Canada has experienced in a decade, according to the weekly agricultural report of the Canadian Pacific Railway issued Monday. Prospects of a bumper yield in all three Prairie Provinces are uniformly bright. Fields generally present a splendid appearance, the stand being heavy and color good. Early wheat and barley are reported to be heading out at many points.

The C.N.R.-Wabash railroad set a new record for silk delivery from Windsor to Bridgeburg, covering the 112-mile stretch from Windsor to St. Thomas in 116 minutes, eclipsing their previous record by two minutes and completing the run to the other border in a total of four hours. Rivalry for speed has always existed on the rail lines for transfer of the big steel cars guarded by railway police and containing valuable consignments of raw silk.

Corunna's old post office, which has done duty in that village for the past half century, has shed its government trappings and will blossom forth in the near future as a service station for the tourists who use the river road. W. J. Scott, Sarnia, sold the property on which the building has stood for more than 50 years to Hall Bros., of Petrolia, who purpose erecting a service station over the ruins of the old edifice. The lot and building is situated just south of Wm. Locke's bakery.

An evidently drunken man sagged down into a seat in the lobby beside a clergyman, in a Western city. "Fine (hic) day," he began. "Yes, it is," from the clergyman. "This's fine hotel." "Yes, I find it very comfortable." "Won't 'sh have a drink?" the man asked, encouraged by the courteous replies of his chance acquaintance. The pastor's face set severely. "No, thank you," he said, "I never indulge." "Shay, watcha givin' me, You gotcha collar on backwards now."

Rumors persist in Ottawa that at the coming federal elections the definite solution of the railway problem will be settled either by the taking of a plebiscite or the government's adoption of a policy as best calculated to meet the situation and go to the country asking for a mandate to carry it into effect. Various proposals for meeting the railway situation have been advanced, all resting on the assumption that duplication of plant and services and to a large extent competition must be curtailed or eliminated. One is the acquisition of C.P.R. by the government; second, the sale of the Canadian National System to the C.P.R.; a third, for some joint control and operation. The railway problem unquestionably is the principal one confronting the country at the present time. That it is the major concern of public men of all parties was manifest in both houses of parliament during the recent session.

BROOKE COUNCIL

Alvinston, July 18th, 1925. Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Minutes of former meeting and of special meeting read and on motion of Johnston—McVicar, were adopted. Mr. John F. Deans, owner of s w lot 3, concession 7, made application for a loan of \$1000, under the terms of the "The Drainage Act". Johnston—Wallis, that application be entertained and bylaw be prepared to impose a special drainage rate on said lands and Reeve authorized to issue debentures to the amount asked for.—Carried. Bylaw to impose a tile drainage rate upon the s w lot 3, concession 7

submitted and read. McVicar—Wilcox, that bylaw be read a third time and finally passed.—Carried. Mr. Clare Edgar, owner of e w lot 8, concession 10, gave written notice to have the Johnston-Mills drain repaired. Wilcox—Wallis, that notice be entertained and A.S. Code, O.L.S., be instructed to make an examination, submit a report, plan, profile and estimate and to make an assessment of land and roads in any way liable under the Drainage Act, whether such assessment be a variation from former assessments or not.—Carried. Wallis—McVicar, That council open as a Court of Revision on assessment in bylaw authorizing repairs to

the Zavitz-Campbell drain, Reeve in the chair.—Carried. Three appeals.—Clarence Patterson, owner of s w gr. lot 13, con. 8, sworn said: Drain is of no benefit. Assessment on s w gr 13, was struck off by the County Judge at the time the drain was constructed. Consider should have a bridge. W. W. Patterson, owner of n w gr lot 13, con. 8, sworn said: Should not be assessed at all as land is drained by tile within a few rods of this drain. Roy Croft appealed against the number of acres assessed for outlet on w w lot 16, con. 8. Johnston—Wallis, That assessment on n w gr lot 13, con. 8, be struck off and assessment on s w gr lot 13 be reduced \$17.00. This amount be pro rata over balance of lands and roads assessed and Court adjourn to open at two o'clock p.m. Saturday, the 15 day of Aug. 1925, in Masonic Hall, Inwood.—Carried. The following orders were issued in payment of accounts and on motion of Wilcox-Johnston were ordered paid:

- M.C.R. Co., freight.....\$147.92 D. J. McEachern & Son, cement.....174.00 plank.....2.55 Donald Mitchell, gravelling.....90.00 Dan McDonald, grading.....31.50 W. W. Taylor, gravelling.....106.60 Neil McLachlan, grading.....20.00 Herb Johnston, gravelling.....44.00 Hugh Kennedy, ditto.....52.00 Hugh Kennedy, gravel furn.....39.00 D. G. Maddock, Lucas pit.....7.50 Charles Turner, gravelling.....10.50 Dan McIntyre, grading.....9.00 Truman, Ross, gravelling.....58.00 Solomon Swartz, ditto.....16.75 Ray Smith, dragging.....3.00 Alvie Cook, gravelling.....92.50 Silas Warden, dragging.....2.50 Henry Ormerod, guard fence.....5.00 Frank Pavey, dragging.....2.50 Wm. Loosemore, ditto.....1.25 Nelson, Kinna, tiling.....55.00 Wm. Holmes, gravelling.....18.00 L. McLean, ditto.....171.50 Jas. A. Hair, ditto.....86.64 John E. Russell & Co. Ltd., crushed stone.....163.49 Andrew J. Moffatt, gravelling.....46.00 H. L. Bidner, material.....12.16 Wm. Lett, guard rail.....2.50 Arch. Campbell, crushed stone.....5.00 Arch. Campbell, grading.....7.50 Jos. Crang, crushed stone.....16.50 J. Y. McKeown, ditto.....11.25 Alvie Cook, ditto.....22.50 Jos. Robinson, Lindsay bridge.....21.67 Alvinston Cement Tile Co., tile.....120.05 Walter Swan, Lindsay bridge.....140.00 Mrs. Hayley, 12-13 con. road drain.....28.00 A. D. McIntyre, gravel furn.....100.50 Brooke Mun. Tel. System advanced.....1800.00 Wm. Annett, gravelling.....66.00 Daniel Saunders, Saunders bridge.....1.25 Russel Johnston, gravelling.....60.90 Canada Ingot Iron Co., culvert.....17.50 Leander Foster, rep. bridge.....9.50 Clarence Coke, maintenance.....22.50 Peter McPhail, gravelling.....148.75 John A. Hair, ditto.....22.00 John Zavitz, ditto.....2.50 Archie G. Campbell, grading.....20.00 D. L. Fisher, gravelling.....10.00 Neil McVicar, ditto.....10.00 Robert Bryce, ditto.....42.00 Robert Alderman, ditto.....18.00 Roy Miller, gravel furnished.....54.60 Frank Pavey, brushing.....5.00 Alex. Bryce, gravel furn.....5.40

This Week's Specials In Hardware

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VOLUME Loc Mr. T. Burg this Civic Ho 3rd. Stores Mrs. T. few days ir Jim Kim are camping "Special" 1 lb. tin for Miss Lily atives in-Fli Gordon A spent the we Miss Editi visiting with week. Ken Fulch vacation spu Huron. Mrs. Lowe: Strathroy H in health. Douglas Br bers spent a d Sarnia. Miss Erma Sunday here Lewis Loth. Dr. and Mr are spending t atives in Tupp A college y to know 12 h equipped for c Mr. Theodor is visiting at t Mrs. Margaret Dr. Hicks' de til the end of a tor is taking hi Miss Dorothy with her aunt, of Port Haron, Miss Wallace M of Watfordburg grandmother, M st. "Special"! Wt an Electric Iron one fully guaran -J. R. McCormi William Doan Flossie, and Orvil all of Learning mother, Mrs. Tee week. A young clerg maiden sermon, su here, only God a would talk about. Knows what it wa Mr. and Mrs. J and daughter, Ver end in Kingsville, and Mrs. S. P. Irv win returned with Watford friends. The brick front Wat-Ford Garage House have recei paint that have im considerably. Mr. and Mrs. daughter, Kathleen, are spending a few W. McLaren. Miss Flossie Doa and Miss Roberta R wood visited with on Sunday and Mon There will be a Holy Communion i next Sunday, Aug. This will be the onl, date. Rev. F. J. Ruthe Brooke Circuit, wit spending a couple o at their summer cott. Mr. J. W. Moore Moore, Mrs. Ida For P. Moore motored to a few days with Mr. Mr. and Mrs. No Mrs. Morley of Forest Temple of Los Angel Sunday with Mr. and J. W. McLaren, v under treatment in Detroit, for the past improving and hopes shortly. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. son, Mack, George, l lance Moore, Robert. More spent a few day Grove last week. Miss Verlye A. Hig ing her holidays with uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E cousin, Miss Mable W Lapeer, Mich.