

LLOYD GEORGE AND DE VALERA IN CONFERENCE

Landover Castle Survivors Are Not Witnesses At Trial At Leipsic, Germany

Sergt. Arthur Knight Cannot Understand Why Actual Participants in Greatest Tragedy of Great War Are Not Called To Give Evidence—Re-Tells Story of Hospital Ship's Sinking by Germans.

Just why certain officials in Ottawa recommended by the Canadian Government should be called at Leipsic, Germany, to give evidence in the investigation of the sinking of Landover Castle, the Canadian hospital ship which was destroyed by a submarine off the coast of Ireland on June 27, 1918, when these officials can know nothing about it except by hearsay, is a mystery which Sergt. Arthur Knight of 22 Wyatt street, city, is seeking to solve.

"NICE SOFT JOB."

Although he was one of the six Canadian survivors of the 110 who were aboard the boat, and although he was called to relate the story to the King and later was the chief witness before the court of inquiry in England, Sergt. Knight was not among those who were recommended for the trip. Furthermore, Sergt. Knight knows of no other survivor who was sent on what he termed a "soft job."

Guests of Government.

In the latter part of April or in the early days of May, several witnesses recommended by the Canadian Government went to Leipsic, Germany, as witnesses in the investigation. Since that time they have remained in England presumably as the guests of the Canadian Government. Just what weight their evidence will bear is hard to say, for as far as it is known none of them were on the boat when it went down.

Only 24 People Saved

Sergt. Wyatt, Major T. Lyons and four privates were the only members of the C. A. M. C. who escaped death at the hands of the German butchers. The other survivors were 18 members of the crew, making a total of only 24 out of 238 souls who were aboard the ill-fated boat. Among those drowned were 14 nursing sisters, who had served in France.

Without Warning.

The ship of mercy was on her way to England from Canada to bring home wounded soldiers. She was traveling without escort, depending entirely on the huge illuminated red crosses on her funnels and sides to warn her of the hands of any Hun submarine which might be prowling about the seas. On the night of June 27 she was skirting

ATLANTIC HERO KILLED



HARRY G. HAWKER, who became famous for being the first aviator to cross the Atlantic in an airplane, was killed while flying over Hendon Field, England.

WARNED GIRLS AGAINST GOING INTO THE RIVER

Director Mel Brock Resents Reflection Thrown On Supervisor At Birkett's Flats.

BATHING CAMP CLOSED

No Bathing Suits Issued As a Precautionary Measure.

Major G. Mel Brock, director of city playgrounds, greatly resents the report published Wednesday, criticizing the supervisor at Birkett's flats because he was not on the job to render assistance to three small girls who narrowly escaped drowning Monday afternoon. He declares that these children should not have been in bathing at the time, as the public was warned to stay out of the water following Sunday's flood, and that the bathing camp was closed at the time.

"The children were told that they must not go into the river while it was high, following the Sunday storm," he informed The Advertiser this morning. "The supervisor did all he could to keep them out, and was busy repairing damage done to the sheds by the storm when the accident happened."

Children Warned. "It would take 100 policemen to keep the children out of the river, although they were warned not to go in. When the left children were in danger the supervisor was in one of the sheds, but when he heard their shouts, he rushed out only to find that they had already been pulled ashore."

"The bathing camp was not open on Monday, and no bathing suits were handed out. As for doubt concerning the supervisor's swimming ability, I may say that he is an expert swimmer and diver. Regarding the near drowning at the North Branch bathing camp on Wednesday, this little girl should not have been in the water, as her mother admitted that she faintly in the lake at Port Stanley on July 1, and was almost drowned."

"These things will happen in the best regulated families," commented General Manager E. V. Buchanan of the public utilities commission, while discussing the reports of the bathing mishaps.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following is the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 71; lowest, 57. The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 62; lowest, 56.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COOLER.

Toronto, July 14—A forecast.

Today—Moderate to fresh southerly winds, gradually shifting to westerly and northerly winds; thunderstorms in many localities.

Friday—Northerly winds; generally fair and cooler.

Temperatures. The highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	70	50	Clear
Calgary	68	40	Clear
Winnipeg	62	36	Fair
Port Arthur	76	50	Fair
Parry Sound	66	46	Fair
Buffalo	86	76	Clear
Toronto	65	52	Clear
Quebec	65	46	Cloudy
Ottawa	66	46	Fair
Montreal	70	50	Clear
Kingston	66	46	Cloudy
Father Point	70	50	Cloudy
St. John	66	54	Foggy
Halifax	66	54	Foggy

Pressure Notes.

Pressure is now relatively low from the Great Lakes to the Maritime Provinces, and highest in the Western Provinces.

Thunderstorms have been quite general in the Lake Superior district, and they have also occurred very locally in Quebec.

The weather has remained very warm in Ontario and the greater portion of Quebec.

CITY WATER IS AGAIN SAFE TO DRINK

London's drinking water received a clean bill from General Manager E. V. Buchanan of the public utilities commission this morning. He issued a warning Monday, following washing of surface water into reserve ponds at Springbank during Sunday's storm, to the effect that all drinking water should be boiled before using, and now states that further boiling is unnecessary.

Tests of water taken from the city's drinking supply Monday and analyzed by officials at the Institute of Public Health, show a trace of colon bacilli in ten cubic centimetres. However, this is not regarded as a serious condition, similar traces being occasionally discovered prior to the flooding of the ponds.

Tests of today's water supply samples are expected to be negative, showing the supply to be aqua pura in the full sense of the word. The water is still being chlorinated.

"I am drinking all the water I want without boiling it," declared Manager Buchanan today. "I think it is perfectly clear now." Following flooding of the reserve ponds Sunday, they were emptied into the river as a precautionary measure, 5,000,000 gallons being lost in this manner.

JAPAN AND CHINA ACCEPT HARDING'S INVITATION TO DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

Washington, D. C., July 14.—Japan's acceptance of President Harding's suggestion that a conference be held to discuss limitation of armaments was received at the state department today, but made no reference to the question of a discussion of the Far Eastern question.

Unqualified acceptance by the Chinese Government also was received. State department officials would make no comment on the form of the Japanese reply, which was not made public in text.

\$275,000 WORTH OF ALCOHOL SEIZED

Boston, July 14.—Tackling a search warrant to the foremast of the bark Tiburon, in the absence of the captain to receive it, prohibition enforcement officers headed by Field Supervisor O'Donnell last night raided the vessel, whose mission has been a mystery since her arrival here two weeks ago, and seized her cargo, which consisted of twenty-five thousand gallons of alcohol, valued at \$275,000. The seizure is said to be the largest made in New England since the advent of prohibition. In raiding the vessel, prohibition officials asserted their belief that they had unearthed a widespread conspiracy to land spirits illegally.

THEATRICAL BUSINESS SHOWS A BIG SLUMP

One Hundred Motion Picture Places To Close In New York.

New York, July 14.—Notice that more than one hundred motion picture theatres in Greater New York may close on August 1 for an indefinite period, has been received by the Motion Picture Theatre Attendants' Union.

Members of the union said the information came from the managers directly, and the tentative action was partly due to a slump in the theatrical business and partly due to the failure of managers to come to an agreement with the unions on wages and other matters prior to the expiration of the existing agreement. The union charged that admission prices had increased 200 per cent during the last few years, followed by a wage increase of only 100 per cent.

Action to cope with a similar condition of depression in the theatrical world was taken yesterday by the Touring Managers' Association of the United States and Canada, which passed a resolution creating an emergency relief fund, to be supplemented by a weekly assessment on road companies. The fund will be used to return actors to New York from road companies which become stranded.

The association estimated that only one-fourth of the usual number of road companies would set out for the provinces during the coming season.

MRS. STILLMAN HAS BUT FEW REMARKS TO MAKE ON CASE

Chicago, July 14.—Mrs. Anne U. Stillman of New York, who is resting at the Harold McCormick estate in Lake Forest, Ill., today made only the briefest comment over what her lawyers called her victory over her husband, James A. Stillman, in his suit for a divorce. "I am very glad to receive the news," was all she would say.

Her lawyers' jubilation was caused by a statement by the banker's counsel that evidence in support of allegations of intimacy between the banker and Florence Leeds, a former show-girl, would not be disputed.

RECEPTION AT SPRINGBANK FOR NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. Seal and Mr. and Mrs. B. Swan Reach Park.

There is great rejoicing at the Springbank zoo today, the entire population rising bright and early (betimes) to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Harbor Seal of Maine and Mr. and Mrs. Black Swan of Australia, who are taking up permanent residence there. The party arrived by express last night, and despite their long journeys were in excellent spirits.

Mr. and Mrs. Seal, who came to London through the generosity of Mayor E. S. Little, were "out of water" during the trip, arriving in separate crates. However, upon being released from his crate, Mr. Seal sidled over to his mate, gently kissed her, yawned and barked "So this is London."

Both members of the seal family then enjoyed a lengthy snooze, following the tiresome train ride. They will reside temporarily in the bungalow of Mr. and Mrs. Canadian Beaver, who have kindly removed into Mrs. Brown Bear's old quarters in order to make room for the new arrivals.

Mr. and Mrs. Swan, who came to London on funds provided by Mrs. Ronald Harris of this city, spent the night in the deer park, and later, when alterations required as a result of Sunday's storm are completed, will keep house in the war field inclosure adjacent with Mr. Heron, who rooms with the Wild Duck and Geese family. This home is furnished with an artificial swimming pond and running water.

Arrangements for permanent quarters for the new arrivals will be made in the future. Mr. and Mrs. Swan and the Seal couple, who are very interesting entertainers, will receive at the zoo daily for the remainder of the season.

FRENCH MISSION RETURNS.

Have, July 14.—The French mission which visited Canada to express to the Canadian Government France's appreciation of the services rendered by the Canadians in the war, arrived here today on the steamer France, and left immediately for Paris. There were no ceremonies connected with their return, because of the death during the voyage of Professor Gabriel Lippmann of the University of Paris, who was a member of the mission. The members of the mission declared themselves delighted with their visit to the Dominion.

Myron T. Herriek, the new United States ambassador to France, also arrived on the France.

CELEBRATING FETE DAY.

Montreal, July 14.—The official celebration of the national fete day of the French republic opened in Montreal this morning in the hall of the Union Nationale Francaise.

The first event of the day was the investiture of three local officers with the cross of the Legion of Honor, conferred by the French Government in recognition of honorable service during the late war. The officers were Lieut. Col. J. P. Decarie, Lieut.-Col. J. H. Chabell and Major Oufier Asselin. The presentation of the crosses was made by Commandant Ruffe de Pontevies, of the French cruiser Ville d'Ys, now in port. A detachment of marines acted as a special guard of honor during the ceremonies.



FRANK WILDE, O.B.E., second in command of Sir Ernest Shackleton's next Antarctic expedition.

DRURY WILL FIGHT BILL TO A FINISH

Ontario Premier Is Strongly Opposed to Proposed Legislation.

Kenora, July 14.—Accusing Premier Meighen of breach of faith in introducing the Lake of the Woods bill, Premier E. C. Drury last night expressed an uncompromising opposition to the measure. "I see no course open," he said, "but to fight with every means in my power, legislation which would rob Ontario of its right to waterpower control. On this there can be no compromise or yielding. Two methods are open. One is to resort to the law courts, which we intend to do (and I am sure we shall be successful), and the other is to take the opinion of the people on the question."

The meeting last night came as the climax to a varied program arranged in honor of the premier. The program included a visit to the Norman Dam and the power plant, and a spectacular motorboat parade, in which no less than 150 trim and speedy launches took part.

"IT WAS NO PICNIC"

During a lull in business at the meeting of the city council held Wednesday afternoon, Ald. P. J. Watt amused those present with the following: "Tuesday when I was down at Port Stanley my heart went out to a woman with a whole tribe of children clinging to her on the warm day, and I asked: 'Lady, is this a kindergarten picnic, or are they all your own?' " "They are all my own, and it is no picnic!" she replied. "Needless to say," he added, "the members of No. 1 committee and the reporters present enjoyed a good laugh at the humor of Ald. Watt and the woman in the case."

ALD. WATT'S QUESTION—ILL BRED, OFFENSIVE

Declares T. D. McCullough, in Reference to Comment Made at City Hall.

"I regard his statement as offensive and ill-bred, and I treat it with the contempt it deserves. My life and my record will stand investigation in comparison with that of Ald. P. J. Watt," replied T. D. McCullough, secretary of the social service council, today, in reply to the question put by Ald. Watt at Wednesday's meeting of No. 1 committee of the city council, as to "Where McCullough came from" and "how long was he here before he was 'dumped'."

Ald. Watt's remarks were made during the discussion following a charge by Inspector W. E. Kelly, of the Children's Aid Society, that London was becoming the "dumping" ground for charitable cases. The latter claims that an order-in-council makes a community liable for charges after they have been resident for three months in place of the usual twelve months.

"Ald. Cameron Wilson says to write to me to that effect," commented Mr. McCullough. "However, this does not affect us. One year is the length of time that must elapse before a person may obtain benefit under the mothers' allowance act, which cases are handled by our council."

"It is a queer thing," the secretary concluded, "that there should be councillors elected who give offence to reputable citizens."

DINING CAR PRICES REDUCED.

Chicago, July 14.—Dining car prices in the United States have dropped 25 per cent since the war, and will be reduced further, according to T. A. Dempsey, president of the American Association of Dining Car Superintendents, in session here.

DE VALERA IS CONFIDENT THAT A SATISFACTORY BASIS FOR PEACE IN IRELAND WILL BE FOUND

Irish Republican Leader Declares Conditions Were Never More Favorable in History Than At Present Time—Conference Between Sinn Fein Chief and British Premier Is Now in Progress.

London, July 14.—Eamonn de Valera, the Irish Republican leader, arrived at No. 10 Downing street at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon for his conference with Mr. Lloyd George, set for that hour, at which an effort will be made to find a basis for an Irish peace settlement.

The Republican leader's appearance at the prime minister's official residence was punctual to the minute, as it was exactly at the time appointed that he stepped through the door. Mr. Lloyd George was awaiting him, and their conversations over the peace question were begun immediately.

Despite a drizzling rain a great crowd which had gathered at the entrance to Downing street waited patiently for some announcement from the momentous meeting. Shortly after Mr. de Valera entered the prime minister's house the crowd hush was broken and began to recede to the Bosary.

The Irish Republican leader drove directly from the hotel in Buckingham Palace road used as headquarters by the Irish delegation to the residence of Mr. de Valera, no one else being present. Mr. de Valera, a member of the Irish delegation, a large crowd, mostly women, which had gathered about the hotel, swarmed around the automobile as it departed, cheering and waving Sinn Fein flags.

DE VALERA DECLARES PEACE PROSPECTS NEVER BRIGHTER

London, July 14.—The outlook for a lasting peace in Ireland is brighter than it has ever been in history, declared Eamonn de Valera, the Irish Republican leader, as he was about to enter into conference today with Mr. Lloyd George, the British prime minister, in an attempt to find a basis for an adjustment of the Irish problem.

Asked what he considered was the prospect of a settled peace being brought about by the conference, Mr. de Valera replied:

"The outlook is brighter than it ever was in history." "It was announced from de Valera's headquarters that this afternoon's conference would take the form of a personal interview between the British prime minister and Mr. de Valera, no one else being present. Mr. de Valera will be accompanied to No. 10 Downing street, the prime minister's official residence, for the interview at 4:30 p.m. by Art O'Brien, president of the Gaelic League in London, and Robert C. Barton, member of the Irish Republican Parliament, it was stated. O'Brien and Barton, however, will not be parties to the interview."

Reports Are Denied.

Reports published today that an

agreement was reached at the recent Dublin conference between Eamonn de Valera and the Southern Unionists regarding the terms which would be demanded from the British Government at the conferences in London, were categorically denied at de Valera's headquarters this morning by Secretary Childers, of the visiting Irish party.

"There was no discussion, direct or indirect, of any such terms," said Mr. Childers. "The conference confined itself exclusively to discussion of Mr. Lloyd George's invitation to a conference and of the arrangements regarding the peace."

The publication report to which Mr. Childers referred alleged that the terms of the provisional agreement included, besides the provisions of the present Government of Ireland Act of the following: A Japanese status for Southern Ireland; Southern Ireland to be exempt from imperial taxation, and have full fiscal autonomy; Northern Ireland to remain as it is at present.

"I am sure," he added, "that the atmosphere in England and Ireland is right for peace. The only thing that is

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JAPANESE PAPER IS OPPOSED TO RENEWING PACT

Approves Harding's Move in Calling Conference.

Tokyo, July 14.—The wisdom of a conference between the powers on the Pacific problems and limitation of armaments, is emphasized by the conservative Japanese weekly, The Herald of Asia, which at the same time disapproves of the renewal of the Anglo-Japanese alliance as calculated to complicate international relations by exciting harmful suspicions, especially in the United States.

The paper is of the opinion that the people of the United States will refuse to accept such a treaty, and that the declaration of British and Japanese statesmen that nothing exists at present or is contemplated in the treaty inimical to the interests of the United States. This skepticism, when neither London nor Tokyo has succeeded in showing why an alliance is needed.

Increased Staff of the Assessment Department Saves City Much Money

Additional Clerk Enables Better Record of Persons Liable For Income Tax To Be Kept—So Far City Has Gained \$40,000 By the Change.

Due to an increase in the size of the staff of the assessment department at the city hall a \$40,000 increase in taxes has resulted this year, this additional revenue being derived from the increased income assessment of \$178,011 is noted this year, while ward 4 surpasses this figure with an increase in income assessment of \$255,785. This includes annexed districts in both wards.

In ward 3 the increase in this assessment per capita over 1920 is 35.73 per cent, with an increase of 17.2 per cent in the annexed district. Similarly the per capita increase in ward 4 income assessment is 47.6 per cent, with a 41.6 per cent increase in the annex to this ward.

The general increase in ward 4 proper is 40.9 per cent, with a 44.2 per cent increase in the annex. The general increase in ward 3 proper income assessment this year is 46.37 per cent, and a 26.57 per cent increase in the annexed districts. The approximate increase in these two wards is 29.49 per cent. As the ward 1 assessment has not been made up yet, and ward 2 income assessment is not completed, full returns for the city are not available, but it is stated on reliable authority that the assessment of these two downtown wards will show similar increases.

Loss by Exemption \$100,000.

It was thought that the increased income exemption for married men from \$1,700 to \$2,000 would offset these increases, but new regulations whereby mercantile stock income may be assessed prevented this, and one official of the city hall estimated the loss by increased exemption to be about \$100,000, which otherwise would have been added to the increased taxes from income assessment.

However, it is likely that in the near future, with the above interesting practical results, the organization of a civic income tax department separate from the assessment department will be recommended for London.

"We are getting a whole lot better results than before because of good work in the assessment department." City Treasurer James Bell informed The Advertiser that the new stenographer, now devoting her entire time to income assessment, is getting returns which are more than forty times her salary. However, we may go too far by getting small incomes and losing the \$5 poll tax.

A man with a fairly low salary would pay the two or three dollars income tax and escape the \$5 statute labor tax, thus losing money to the city. Of course, stocks from industrial concerns are liable for taxation, but I understand that this has been offset by the increased income tax exemption.

"Our increased income tax assessment this year amounts to close to \$3,160,000 more than 1920, so that we could afford to pay a couple of extra cents in the assessment department, and devote their full time to this work, if such an increase resulted from the addition of one girl to the assessment staff. The addition of one stenographer results in a 40 per cent increase in the revenue from this source."

Mr. Bell declined to state whether he favored a separate income tax department, but came out strongly for an increased office staff to handle this "reducer of the general tax rate."

One official conversant with details declared to The Advertiser that in 1920 only about 25 per cent of the income tax available in this city was collected, because the full time of a clerk was not devoted to the task.

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RICH GOLD STRIKES MADE IN ALASKA

Anchorage, Alaska, July 14.—Strikes of gold quartz apparently bearing more than one hundred dollars to the ton in a district 30 miles south of here were reported here. Prospectors are stampeding to the area of the discovery.

Men returning from there said a dozen big fissures of quartz heavy in gold had been uncovered within a region twice the size reported here. The first strike was at Girdwood, on the Government railway. According to messages received here the original find was followed by numbers of others of equal importance.

Mining men here who have made a preliminary investigation of the discovery, predicted it would prove epochal. Some of the strikes, they said, developed in railroad cuts along Turnagain Arm.

Is St. Swithin a Fraud? Official Records Say He Is

Statistics of Meteorological Office Declare It Has Never Rained Forty Consecutive Days At Any Time.

Barometer readings at 8 a.m. this morning show a drop of 0.13 inches from Wednesday's reading, a drop which the local weather office states is a sure indication of the approach of rain, possibly tonight or tomorrow.

As tomorrow is St. Swithin's Day, the prophecy would appear quite applicable to the season, but will probably bring fear and dread to the hearts of the few who still place faith in the famous writing in the skies, which decrees that:

St. Swithin's Day if thou dost rain For forty days it will remain;

St. Swithin's Day if thou art fair, For forty days 'twill rain no more.

We are all intelligent enough to know that this is a myth or superstition, but when we do see it rain for awhile after it has rained on July 15 our imagination frequently gets the better of us.

Never Rained Forty Days.

As a matter of fact, neither forty days of wet weather, nor actual daily rainfall has ever been observed subsequent to St. Swithin's Day or any other date where official records have been kept for nearly a century. However, there are a great many years when rainfall is quite heavy and persistent and cloudiness and humidity excessive during this period, more frequently than droughty conditions, as, normally, July and August are the two months of the year with heaviest rainfall.

How many will remember a few weeks after July 15 whether or not it rained

on that day, unless it happens that a few consecutive days with some precipitation immediately follow, and shower, unsettled weather perhaps prevents the weather bureau from making forecasts with certain plans or pleasures, is always remembered, but the 55 per cent or 90 per cent of the verified predictions are entirely forgotten. The public is prejudiced against Government forecasts, and would rather believe in the groundhog or spurious long-range forecasts.

The people do not like to give up certain weather proverbs and beliefs; it gives them something to think and talk about, though they are really intelligent enough to know that most of them are mere superstitions. Many of the proverbs are partially true and have originated from some good basic connection, but frequently the real value is lost for the sake of rhythm.

We should thus be content to know that if Jupiter Pluvius visits us on July 15 that it will not rain some time each day for forty consecutive days, as it never has before at any time of the year, and if it did it would be a coincidence and a remarkable meteorological phenomenon.

A FAMOUS RIDER



GRACE HANNEFORD, of the famous Hanneford family, the greatest troupe of riders in America, with the Sells-Floto Circus, which is in the city today, after 18 months' engagement at the New York Hippodrome.

SUCCESSFUL CHILD WELFARE WORK BY S. A. C. IS GROWING

June Report Shows Increasing Number of Needy Cases in City.

Special child welfare work in connection with the soldiers' and commission is showing the most encouraging results, according to the monthly report of that organization. The appeal for relief in general still continues high for the middle of the summer, due to a number of causes, the report states, chiefly by reason of the seriousness of the employment situation.

During the month of June, \$452 was expended for necessities for needy families to the number of 54. In the special boy welfare department the report shows 97 boys on the list. More than thirty of these have been taken over by the Kiwanis Club and six by the Y. M. C. A. Twenty-six new cases were investigated, necessitating 73 calls. These cases were all of such a nature as to require considerable attention, and in several instances widely scattered trips were necessary to locate persons involved.

An increase is noted for June in the number of veterans and their dependents who are taking advantage of the S. A. C. Twelve hundred and forty-two persons either called or wrote to the office during the month in comparison with twelve hundred the preceding month.

BEVERAGE OF WOOD ALCOHOL KILLS MRS. JOSEPH LEONARD

Dies At Lambeth While Moving From City To St. Thomas.

After drinking wood alcohol diluted with water for a period of two days, Annie Leonard, wife of Joseph Leonard, formerly of Hyman street, this city, died at Longwood Inn, Lambeth, last night. The Leonards, who had been advised last week by Magistrate A. M. Graydon to leave the city, were en route to St. Thomas with their family effects. Mrs. Leonard became violently ill on the roadside near Lambeth. She was taken to the village inn, and Dr. Garfield Colling was summoned about 5:30 o'clock. A stomach pump was used and strong stimulants administered, but to no avail. Mrs. Leonard died at 6:15 o'clock. The remains were brought back to the city last night, while Mr. Leonard proceeded to St. Thomas with his furniture. It was decided that an inquest would not be necessary. The funeral arrangements will be made later.

In police court this morning, Magistrate A. M. Graydon mentioned that Leonard was supposed to have moved from London by midnight tonight, and also mentioned the death of his wife.

12,000-ACRE ESTATE BOUGHT FOR A SONG

Sir Harry Lauder is selling his estate in Argyleshire. He can hardly lose, as we know he bought it with a song. Lauder is selling his property, but not his diamonds. He knows they are always worth the money. Safety first, though, buy Perfect Diamonds from John A. Nash, My Jeweler, 182 Dundas street, "where you will eventually buy."

BABY'S OWN SOAP

Cleansing Healing Fragrant



BEST-BABY BEST-FOR-YOU

Big Shirt Sale

For the Next Few Days

About 50 dozen regular \$2.50 Shirts, all new goods, soft double cuffs. For

\$1.65

About 20 dozen regular \$3.00 Shirts, all good patterns, soft cuffs

\$1.90

About 25 dozen regular \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shirts. These are W. G. & R., Tooke's and Arrows. Best make. For

\$2.45

THEY WILL NOT LAST LONG. GET THE FIRST PICK.

John Graham & Co.

CIRCUS PARADE WAS DELIGHT OF YOUNG AND OLD CITIZENS

Dad and Ma As Interested As Little Jack in Big Show.

SECOND BIGGEST

Sells-Floto Reached the Fair Grounds in Early Morning Hours.

"Hold your horses, the elephants are coming," sang out a small red-faced man, astride a beautiful sorrel horse, who led the "grand and glorious procession" through the downtown streets of London this morning.

Following closely behind came hundreds more, equally as beautiful horses, nearly a thousand people, dens and cages of wild and rare animals, a veritable army of clowns, five bands, three callions, herds of elephants, droves of camels; in fact, everything that is contained in a circus was there. And it was, indeed, a surprise to the many thousands who had gathered along the parade route, who were unanimous in their comment upon the gorgeousness of the costumes and magnitude of the parade.

This was the first demonstration of the Sells-Floto Circus, which reached from Toronto, where they gave exhibitions yesterday to two capacity audiences. The mammoth aggregation of world-collected freaks, wonders and curiosities reached the city amid the cheers of hundreds of young and old, many of whom had waited in the Grand Trunk railway yards for nearly two long hours before the first trail of smoke was seen which indicated the near approach of the "Second Largest Circus in the World."

Wait Worth While.

But the wait was worth the time spent, for from the time the big trains hove in sight, until after the wagons and all paraphernalia had been unloaded there was plenty to see, and not one minute was lost and no confusion or excitement occurred, for everything seemed to work as if by machinery. The heavy wagons rumbled on their way to the fair grounds, where the work of erecting the "city" was in full blast, and men were hurrying and scurrying around, all bent on getting the hundreds of "Flotites" to move in.

The cookhouse or commissary departments were the first tents to be set up, and hardly had the last stake been driven, when a long shrill whistle sounded, which announced the first meal of the day. At which signal people came from all parts of the grounds and were soon seen partaking of equally as good a meal as one would get at his own place of eating.

All over, the work was continued on the "big top," and then preparations were completed for the street parade.

Immediately after the parade returned to the grounds, the side shows and all outside stands were thrown open to the public and at 1 o'clock the doors to the menageries and "big show" was opened.

The main performance commenced with a gorgeous tournament spectacle entitled, "Birth of a Rainbow," and was followed with thrilling and sensational acts of every kind and description, and at the time of going to press today, the capacity audience which attended was well pleased with the entertainment afforded them.

There will be another performance at 8 o'clock tonight, after which the tents will be taken down and, like the "Arab in the Night," silently steal away to Windsor to make merry with the hearts of many thousands more tomorrow.

SULPHUR BATHS TO OPEN ON SATURDAY

Now Under Supervision of the Director of Public Playgrounds.

The sulphur baths on Thames street, which are to be operated under the auspices of the playgrounds commission this season, will in all probability be opened on Saturday, if alterations now under way can be completed by that day, it was announced by Major G. Mel Brook, director of public playgrounds, this morning.

Mixed bathing will be permitted, under supervision, and children are to be allowed in each week-day, while even- ing bathing will be restricted to parents if sufficient requests are received to warrant the same one or two evenings weekly may be assigned for the use of women only.

In order to meet the cost of alterations to the baths, a fee of 5 cents will be charged each child, and 10 cents will be collected from each adult using the baths. Each person must provide his or her own bathing suit. The baths will not be open on Sundays. As the bathing will be under supervision, profanity on the part of bathers will be eliminated, with prosecution facing offenders. As a measure of safety no children will be allowed in the pool during evenings.

AGNEW SHOE STORES PICNIC AT PORT DOVER

Delightful Day's Outing Is Greatly Enjoyed by Firm's Employees.

About 95 employees and friends of Agnew's shoe stores spent a very pleasant day at Port Dover on Wednesday, when they celebrated their annual picnic. All of the stores of the company in Western Ontario were represented at the outing, the parties arriving by radial cars and automobiles.

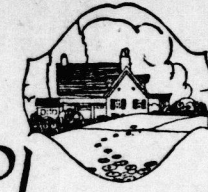
The affair was a huge success, largely due to the efforts of Frank and Sam Breslaugh of the Brantford store and Manager Fred Smith of the London store, who were untiring in their efforts to insure enjoyment for all.

A large sports program was run off and everyone enjoyed themselves to the utmost. After the sports were concluded, the merry party sat down to lunch, specially provided for the occasion.

Perhaps you want a domestic in a hurry. Then use The London Advertiser classified columns and you will be quickly supplied, because everybody reads The London Advertiser.

Today

Ladies' Whitewear, Neckwear, Leather Goods, Etc.



July Clearance Sales

Tomorrow
The Summer Clearing of Men's Clothing, Including Palm Beach Suits (Main Floor), Wall Paper, (Third Floor)

Tomorrow we are going to let the men in on these July Sales, and here is a wonderful opportunity for the ladies. If your husband is not in the habit of reading the ads, draw his attention to this one, and show him where he can save \$15.00 and \$20.00 on a single purchase. If he is fortunate enough and needs one of these suits he will in future appreciate the interest taken by his wife in the daily advertisements of this store. You might talk the wall paper question also, and debate the wisdom of securing what you may need for your fall decorating at one-third to one-half off tomorrow.

July Clearance Sale Men's Clothing Tomorrow One Day Only

As in former years just at this time, all broken lines of Suits, Trousers, etc., are grouped and greatly reduced to clear them out, thereby making room for the new merchandise which will soon arrive. This sale affords you a rare opportunity to buy high-grade tailored suits at a surprisingly low price. This being a one-day sale, it is essential that you be here tomorrow if you wish to take advantage of this event. See Richmond street windows.

Palm Beach Suits \$16.95

Mohairs, Lustres, Aeropores, Palm Beach, Kool Kloth, etc.; navy, green, brown, dark and light grey, sand and Lovat shades. Models for men, young men and youths.

65 Palm Beach Suits, the majority of which are genuine palm beach worsted suits in a large selection of colors. Undoubtedly these will go with a rush tomorrow. With the biggest part of the wearing season still ahead and the extremely low price set tomorrow, every man should avail himself of this opportunity to buy comfort and style in one of these palm beach suits; sizes 33 to 42. Clearance price \$16.95

Sale of Men's and Young Men's Suits, \$29.50 Tomorrow Only

52 Men's and Young Men's Suits, in single and double breasted models, expertly tailored for Smallman & Ingram, tweeds and worsteds in light, medium and dark shades. These have all been grouped to clear tomorrow and are greatly reduced. See windows. Sizes 35 to 44. Sale price tomorrow only \$29.50

Sale of Men's and Young Men's Suits, \$19.85

41 Men's and Young Men's Suits, selected from our regular stock and greatly reduced for the clearance sale tomorrow, single and double breasted models, in tweeds and worsteds, pencil stripes, heather mixtures, Lovat shades, splendidly tailored and satisfactory wear assured; sizes 35 to 46. Sale price tomorrow only \$19.85

Youths' First Long Pants Suits \$12.95, Greatly Reduced

27 suits only from our regular stock—youths' first long-pant suits in smart models, tweeds in light and dark mixtures; sizes 31 to 34 only. Sale price \$12.95

ODD LINES AT CLEARING PRICES.

7 Motor Dusters. Sale price \$2.69
12 Motor Dusters. Sale price \$5.95
2 Sport Coats. Sale price \$6.75
6 Beach Robes. Sale price \$8.95

July Clearing in Wall Paper Section

Papers for All Rooms One-Third to One-Half Off
Here is a once a season opportunity to procure what papers you may need for the coming season's decorating at half price and one-third off. You will find in this sale papers for all rooms, dining-room, living-room, bedroom, hall or kitchen.

PARLOR OR DRAWING-ROOM PAPERS

30-inch Tiffney Papers, in mixed colors of light grey, old ivory \$1.00 roll
20-inch Plaster Effects, with 4-inch bands to match, light colors, cream, ivory, grey and sand. Sale 40c roll

White, Light Grey and Cream Tapestry Papers 35c roll up
Silk Stripe Parlor Papers, colors of grey, green and cream 25c roll

Dining, Living-Room and Hall Papers

200 rolls, 30-inch Grass Cloths, Blends, etc., on extra heavy stock; colors of ivory, buff, grey, tan; all have bandings to match. Sale price 60c
150 rolls 30-inch Tapestries, in foliage and bird designs, in mixed colors of tan, blue, grey, ivory and rose; one-third less regular values 50c roll up
12 patterns in Tapestry and Conventional Hall Papers, in mixed colors of grey, blue, tan, brown, etc. 59c roll
750 Rolls Tapestry, styles in leaf and forest designs, all colors. Per roll 25c, 30c, 35c and 39c
A choice selection of Blends, Jasper Stripes and Fabric Weaves, etc., in grey, tan, blue, etc. 30c roll and up
500 rolls 20-inch Grass Cloths, in green, blue and tan colors, all have cutout borders to match. Sale price 19c roll

Kitchen and Bathroom Papers

Block and conventional patterns, in blue, grey and brown colors 15c roll and up
Varnish Tile Papers, in blue, green and brown colors 29c roll

Bedroom Papers

Chintz Bedrooms, in blue, pink and mauve colors 19c and 29c roll
2,000 rolls Bedrooms, in plain and floral stripes, all colors with cutout borders to match 8c roll and up
Ceilings for all rooms 16c roll and up
Wall Paper, Paints, etc., Third Floor.



NEW DANCE AND SONG RECORDS
"HIS MASTER'S VOICE"
Hear Them on a Victor.
Third Floor.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED

JULY RECORDS
"HIS MASTER'S VOICE"
Hear Them on a Victor.
Third Floor.

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL OF LATE W. G. FITZGERALD

Telegrams of Sympathy Received From All Over the Continent.

The funeral of William G. Fitzgerald, of 480 William street, who died in Victoria Hospital on Tuesday, July 12, was held from the above residence this afternoon at 3:30 to Woodland Cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Dean Tucker of St. Paul's Cathedral at 3 o'clock. The pall-bearers were W. Waugh, J.

How To Rid the Arms of Objectionable Hairs

(Aids to Beauty.)

A simplified method is here given for the quick removal of hairy or fuzzy growths and rarely is more than one treatment required. Mix a stiff paste with some powdered deodorant and water, apply to hairy surface and after 2 or 3 minutes rub off, wash the skin and every hair has vanished. This simple treatment cannot cause injury, but care should be exercised to get real deodorant.

DRIVERS MUST KEEP TO RIGHT, SAYS CHIEF

Traffic Regulations Must Be Strictly Observed or Penalty Will Follow.

If drivers of heavy vehicles, including motor trucks and lorries, persist in driving in the center of the roads, instead of staying as close as possible to the right side, they will find themselves facing the magistrate, Chief of Police Robert Birrell announced today.

Warnings have been issued in this regard before, and the provincial authorities are very particular that the section of the motor vehicles act should be strictly observed, the chief stated. He says that the only excuse for drivers staying in the center of the road is bad weather, which would put the streets in such a condition that the drivers could not stay on the right side with safety. He declares that this

CONDEMN PROTECTIVE TARIFF

Melville, Sask., July 14.—Hon. T. A. Crerar, leader of the National Progressive Party, and Dr. Michael Clark, M. P., of Red Deer, addressed a large audience here last night at a gathering held in connection with the new national policy political convention for the federal constituency of Saltcoats, which was in session all day.

Mr. Crerar claimed in his speech that the farmers' movement had done much to stimulate public interest in political questions. Dr. Clark said the Progressive Party was out "to enthroned reason and unselfishness instead of selfishness and greed in the life of the country."

Both speakers were clear and emphatic in their denunciation of the protective tariff.

MAINE CONFERENCE BEGINS

New York, July 14.—Discussions relative to the attitude of masters, mates, and pilots, on United States ships to the wage cut proposed by the American Steamship Owners' Association and the United States Shipping Board were begun today. Conferences of the four organizations representing the deck officers were under way, and officials said a report would be made to the shipowners next Tuesday.

weather is suitable for the drivers to stay to the right.

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that contains a mixture of stone, slate or dirt. These ingredients will not help in warming your house. You'll find our coal entirely free from such costly substances. It is all coal and every piece of it will do its share in heating house, stove or office.

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This scientific liquid dentifrice will keep your teeth white and strong, and your gums healthy and firm. Then if you use a good brush your mouth health will be secure.

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TOOTH BRUSHES,
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Four Graduate Druggists.
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"Experts in Kodak Photography."

**BOTTLES MUST BEAR
MUCH INFORMATION**

Manufacturers of Soft Drinks
Otherwise Liable to \$50
Fine.

In an interview with The Advertiser this morning, William E. Wilson, Dominion food inspector, stated that an order-in-council, dated December 13, 1920, regarding the food and drug acts, calls for all soft drink vendors to have their bottles labeled with the name of the manufacturer and the nature and color of the preservative.

After January 1, 1922, all bottles must also have the weight of the article marked on them.
Any dealer offering these articles for sale without the necessary information on them are liable to a fine of \$50 and seizure of goods for the first offence.

ECZEMA You are not
experimenting when
you use Dr. Chase's Ointment
ment for Eczema and Skin Irrita-
tions. It relieves at once and gradu-
ally heals the skin. Sample box Dr.
Chase's Ointment free if you mention this
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Limited, Toronto.

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580 RICHMOND STREET. 380 RICHMOND STREET.
349½ HAMILTON ROAD. 650 DUNDAS STREET.

All Laundry Soap Ten Bars 69c

BREAKFAST BACON 39c lb.
SHREDDED WHEAT 2 for 27c

OLIVES (Plain) 17c Bottle
OLIVES (Stuffed) 25c Bottle

Black Tea 3 Pounds for \$1

PRUNES 2 lbs. 25c
AYLMER PORK AND BEANS Per Tin 9c and 14c

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

NON-JURY SESSION AT COUNTY COURT OPENED TODAY

Suit For \$500 Damages For
Trespass First Case.

First of the cases of the special non-jury session of the county court called by Judge Talbot Macbeth, that of McMurphy and Wilson vs. Hill was opened at the courthouse this morning and will likely continue all day.

Douglas McMurphy and William J. Wilson are suing Edward Dennis Hill, Wilson's son-in-law, for \$500 damages for trespass.

Wilson claims that he purchased some furniture and loaned it to his daughter, Margaret Hill. McMurphy, it is claimed, owns house 155 Wharncliffe road north, where Hill lived, the latter renting it from Wilson for \$15 a month, and that they were in Wilson's keeping. An order to replevy the goods was secured. In February, 1921, it is claimed, Hill forcibly entered the house and seized some of the goods.

The defendant claims that the plaintiffs had no right to have the goods replevied, and asks for the return of them. An application, which came before Judge Macbeth some time ago to have Margaret Hill added as a plaintiff, was dismissed with costs.

Judd & Henderson are acting for the plaintiffs, and G. N. Weekes for the defendant.

STRATFORD FURNITURE DEALERS ON TRIP TO BOOST BUSINESS

Stratford, July 14.—With the idea of promoting business and also of meeting the dealers of the different towns and putting Stratford even more strongly on the map as a furniture centre, a party of local furniture manufacturers, leave Saturday for the Maritime Provinces. It is expected that the trade with eastern firms will be greatly increased. The furniture dealers will be visited in the following cities: Quebec, Montreal, Three Rivers, Sherbrooke, Quebec.

New Brunswick—Campbellton, Fredericton, Moncton, Sackville.
Prince Edward Island—Summerside and Charlottetown.
Nova Scotia—Halifax, Amherst, Pictou, New Glasgow, Sydney, Truro, Windsor.

Last year the furniture manufacturers visited the western provinces.

RAILWAY EMPLOYEES HERE HAVE NOT HEARD OF LATEST WAGE CUT

Rumor That Decrease Is
Retrospective to July 1,
Not Confirmed.

Despite a report emanating from Montreal this morning that the Canadian railway companies had virtually notified their employees that a cut in wages averaging 12 per cent would be retroactive to July 1, nothing has been heard locally concerning the proposed cut according to railway officials in this city. If no official word is received by Friday the payrolls for the first half of this month on both the G. T. R. and the C. P. R. will be based on the present scale of wages.

Not Surprised.
The railwaymen were not surprised to learn that such a cut was to be ordered. They had been expecting a reduction ever since the United States railway labor board handed down its decision several weeks ago, and so the employees in Canada have had time to become reconciled to a reduction inevitable, although there has been much talk locally of strong protests.

It was not expected, however, that the cut would be made retrospective, and so the proposed order came as a complete surprise. As Friday is approximately the middle of the month the payrolls for the first half are already being prepared in many of the offices.

To Be Deducted Later.
If the order comes too late to affect the statement for the first two weeks the differences in all likelihood will be deducted from the pay for the last half of the month, according to officials here.

The representatives of the men have been in conference with the officials of the company in Montreal for some days. Practically every branch of the service has reached an agreement with the companies, excepting the maintenance of way. The representatives of this division will hold a conference with the officials next week.

J. E. Chick, general chairman of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees, stated that he did not believe that the men would accept the cut without a fight. There was general dissatisfaction over the order, and it was quite likely that the men would ask for a board of conciliation.

All Affected.
The reductions will affect every class of employees, as follows:

Storekeepers, assistant storekeepers, chief clerks, foremen, sub-foremen and other clerical supervisory forces, 6 cents an hour.

Clerks of two years' or more experience in railroad work or equivalent work, 6 cents an hour. Clerks of less than two years' experience, 5 cents an hour. Clerks of less than one year's experience, 4 cents an hour. Clerks without experience entering the service to receive \$7.50 per month.

Call boys, assistant station masters, train announcers, gatemen and baggage and parcel room employees, 10 cents an hour.

Office boys, messengers and others employed in similar work, under 18 years of age, 5 cents per hour.

All telegraphers, 8 cents an hour. Engine service men, 48 cents per mile or 48 cents per day.

Freight service, 64 cents per mile or 64 cents per day.

Yard service, 8 cents per hour.

Trainmen, conductors and baggage-men, passenger, 4 cents per mile, 40 cents per day, or \$18 per month; freight, 64 cents per mile or 64 cents per day.

Common laborers around stations, storehouses, etc., 8 cents an hour. Maintenance of way employees, 7½ cents to 10 cents per hour.

Shop employees, 8 cents per hour.

DETOUR AT GLENDALE ADVICE FOR MOTORISTS

Paving on Wharncliffe road south is proceeding rapidly, according to officials of the London Motor Club. By this evening it is expected that the concrete will be laid from Elmwood avenue to Brick street, and that the road will be closed to traffic that far at least.

Motorists coming to the city are advised by the officials of the Motor Club to detour either by way of the Wellington road or by the 1st concession on the detour to the Pipe Line road. The Wellington road coming into the city is quite rough, however, and so the Pipe Line road detour would probably be the better of the two.

Persons wishing to reach St. Thomas are advised to go by way of Glanworth, following the Wellington road from Brick street to that village.

EIGHT S. A. NURSES RECEIVE DIPLOMAS UPON GRADUATION

Interesting Ceremony and
Program At Salvation
Army Citadel.

The graduating exercises of the Bethesda nurses were held in the Salvation Army Citadel at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening.

The program opened with a march "Stand By" played in a very spirited manner by the Citadel band, under the leadership of Charles Wood. The graduates entered and took their places on the platform. A hymn was sung by the audience and prayer offered by Staff Captain Penfold. Following this was an address by Brigadier Des Brisay, the women's social secretary, who just returned from England. Brigadier Des Brisay laid special emphasis on the necessity of living up to the ideals held up before nurses, and the need of tenderness and cheerfulness in the work. Her address was followed by a pleasing solo by Captain Bernard. The Florence Nightingale oath was administered by Brigadier Crichton, following which the diplomas were given out.

Dr. Arnott, medical superintendent, then spoke for a few minutes, congratulating the graduates on their high standing obtained by them in their recent exams. In the course of his remarks he observed that a plan was on foot to obtain a general nursing school, and thus do away with the necessity of giving the same lectures in three different places.

The dedication prayer was offered by the Rev. Mr. Versey of Christ Church, and the exercises closed with a selection from the band, followed by the singing of the Doxology.

The names of the graduates are as follows: Jean Mason, Ada Flood, Olive Wiley, Ruth Shipman, Evelyn Parrott, Jennie Maitland, Thomas Abbott, Merle Rumble and Vera Cox.

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FARMERS CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS AT POLLS

32,000 Members of Organization in Alberta.

Calgary, Alta., July 14.—By Canadian Press.—In Alberta there are more than 32,000 members in 1,500 local units of the United Farmers and the United Farm Women. It is estimated at the headquarters of the farmers' organization that this body, composed of voters, constitute approximately 25 per cent of the total electorate which, on Monday next, will choose a new provincial legislature. Leaders in the result of the election, in which there are 44 candidates recognized officially by the organization and several more whose sympathies run in the direction of the U. F. W. A. support could be expected with confidence in the event of a farmer victory at the polls.

It is fair to say, however, that they will be surprised if a majority of the 61 members in the next assembly are not U. F. A. men.

The farmers' movement is associated closely with the campaign of labor candidates in various ridings and a working agreement such as exists in Ontario might be seen in Alberta should such an agreement insure a majority in the House for the combined groups.

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DE VALERA

necessary now is for us to get down to rock bottom."

It was the first time Mr. de Valera had spoken for the public since his arrival in London Tuesday.

Private Conference.
"This is simply a private conference with Mr. Lloyd George instead of a long range bombardment to see what can be done at close quarters," said the Republican leader, who was in a bright and cheerful mood, in talking with the correspondents.

"I have been rather disappointed in my not talking more freely with you, but I am sure you quite understand the difficulties of the moment. I have come to feel that it is not that I do not wish to say a number of things to the people of Great Britain, but that the moment is not opportune for it."

"As far as I can see from your press here, which I have studied very carefully, there is no country in the world which needs more to understand the aspirations of the Irish people and the right and logic of their case than your own people here."

"I should be very glad, indeed, to put the case before your people, but as I am putting it before the representatives of your nation I think it unwise to put it before your public."

Asked whether he would insist on the discussion in London being given full publicity, Mr. de Valera employed President Wilson's phrase, declaring he personally was in favor of "open covenants openly arrived at."

PROCEDURE FOR TODAY'S CONFERENCE FULLY DISCUSSED

London, July 14.—Leaders of the British Government and the Sinn Fein met in this city today and took the first step in negotiations which was hoped might lead to a final settlement of the Irish problem. Eamonn De Valera, the Irish Republican chief, and Prime Minister Lloyd George had planned carefully for the meeting. The meeting was simply to prepare the way for further and more important discussions, but the fact that it was held at all was looked upon as an earnest of the good intentions of the participants.

Mr. Lloyd George sent yesterday afternoon at Chequers Court, his country home, with a number of advisers, and it was assumed they talked over the procedure to be followed at today's conference.

Mr. De Valera also held long conferences with prominent Irish Republicans, but it was indicated he would enter the conference with a fixed formula, or policy. It was said he was ready to talk over the situation and consider any suggestion that would be made regarding a truce parley in which the Sinn Fein, Ulster and the British Government would take part. But it was probable that definite decisions might not be reached until after Mr. De Valera had returned to Dublin and there taken counsel with the Sinn Fein leaders.

Sir James Craig, premier of Ulster, who has been outspoken in opposition to parleys between the Government and the Sinn Fein leaders, left Belfast last night for London. It was believed he would be ready to act as spokesman should he be called on for an expression of opinion.

If you have any article for sale that you want to dispose of very quickly, use an advertisement in The London Advertiser.

Standard Drug Stores

Offer a Big Midsummer Sale

Since during July and August we are advertising only once in two weeks, we feel we owe it to you to offer you some particularly big values. So you will find, by carefully studying the following big list of specials that we have endeavored to pick out many of our most seasonable lines, and offer them at such prices that it will make it well worth your while to visit your favorite Standard Drug Store often on

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

Sole Agents for
J. B. L. CASCADES
the Internal Bath

Gin Pills Reg. 50c 31c
Beecham's Pills 18c
Phosferine (Liquid) Small Size 49c
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ANSCO CAMERAS and ANSCO FILMS

Miles Anti-Pain Pills 30c
Mentholatum Reg. 25c .19c Reg. 50c .39c Reg. \$1 .79c
Baby's Own Tablets Reg. 25c 17c
Sal Hepatica Reg. 50c 33c
6 Gross Lyman's Health Salts A big tin of exceptionally fine Health Salts, Regular 20c Friday and Saturday 2 for 23c

6 Dozen only Gillette Safety Razor Outfit Brownie set Containing a genuine Gillette Razor, with three Gillette blades, Friday and Saturday While they last. 98c
Miles Nervine \$1.20
Dodd's Kidney Pills Reg. 50c 29c
Zam-Buk Reg. 50c 32c
Bromo-Seltzer Reg. 50c 39c

MENNEN'S SHAVING CREAM, regular 50c 34c
POND'S VANISHING CREAM, regular 50c, 31c

3,000 Rolls Standard Toilet Paper Full eight rolls of extra good quality, Friday and Saturday 6 Rolls 49c
100 Pounds Lakeside Hospital Cotton 1-lb. rolls of this splendid Absorbent Cotton at a bargain, Friday and Saturday 49c a Roll.

Bargains in TOILET SOAPS
Olde Colony Soap, 4 cakes 25c
Zonox Castile Cakes 4 for 25c
Zonox Glycerine Soap
Baby's Own Soap, 3 cakes 29c
Infants' Delight Soap
Palmolive Soap, 3 cakes 22c
Floral Bath Soap, 2 cakes 35c
Superfine Toilet Soap
Colgate's All-Round Bath
Colgate's Natural Soap, per cake 22c
So-per Bath Tablets, 3 for 29c
Soap Dolls (assorted) 2 for 15c
Castile (shell brand), per bar 27c
Friday and Saturday

Toilet Articles AT BARGAIN PRICES.
Vogue Royale Talcum, tin 29c
Vogue Royale Talcum, glass 69c
Vogue Royale Face Powder 69c
Euthymol Tooth Paste . . . 25c
Colgate's Tooth Paste . . . 25c
Cutex Nail Polish, regular 35c 24c
Lady Mary Talcum, tins, 29c
National Shaving Lotion . . 24c
Melba Face Powder . . . 59c
Velvet Skin Food . . . 25c
Minty's Toilet Water . . . 75c
Minty's Lilas de France Lotion \$1.15
Dorin's Rouge 44c
Mary Garden Talcum, glass 60c
Friday and Saturday

12 Dozen Theatrical Cold Cream 4-Ounce Tins
A handy size of splendid cleansing cream, just the thing to have at the summer resort.
Friday and Saturday 29c a Tin.
5 Gross PERFUMES
Six different odors in dainty frosted vials. The quality of this perfume is excellent.
Regular 25c a Vial.
Friday and Saturday 17c Each

ZONOX EMULSIFIED COCOANUT OIL SHAMPOO, regular 50c 22c
PEBECO TOOTH PASTE, regular 50c, 31c

LYMAN'S Hydrogen Peroxide At a Special Bargain. Three Sizes.
4-ounce size 12c
8-ounce size 22c
16-ounce size 34c
Friday and Saturday.

BEAUMARTIN BRAND OLIVE OIL Sealed Bottles. Three Sizes.
Small size, reg. 65c . . . 39c
Medium size, reg. \$1.00 . . 69c
Large size, reg. \$1.75 . . \$1.19
Friday and Saturday.

Household Goods
Sani-Flush, reg. 35c . . . 27c
Snowflake Ammonia Powder, 2 pkgs. 15c
Sunset Soap Dyes 2 pkgs. 25c
Magie Dyes 2 pkgs. 19c
Diamond Dyes 2 pkgs. 22c
Colorite Hat Dye 22c
Chloride of Lime, ½-lb. pkgs. 2 for 17c
Moody Roach Death . . . \$1.25
Tincture of Iodine, reg. 25c 17c
Paris Green, ½-lb. 29c
Paris Green, 1-lb. 57c
Keating's Powder—
Medium size 17c
Large size 33c
Household size \$1.29
Friday and Saturday.

SUNDRIES
Hair Nets, No. 1 quality . . . 3 for 25c
Gents' Combs, reg. 40c . . 29c
Ladies' Combs, reg. 50c . . 39c
Ladies' Combs, reg. 75c . . 59c
Ladies' Combs, reg. \$1.00 . 79c
Ladies' Combs, reg. \$1.50 . \$1.19
Household Rubber Gloves, special quality, reg. \$1.50 a pair 99c
Tooth Brushes, reg. 35c . 24c
Tooth Brushes, reg. 60c . 44c
Tooth Brushes, reg. 75c . 59c
Tooth Brushes, reg. \$1.79c
Ever-Ready Safety Razors 69c
Regular \$3.00 outfit . . \$2.39
Friday and Saturday.

10 CASES LYSOL
The Genuine Lysol. Three Sizes.
Regular 40c size 27c
Regular 75c size 59c
Regular \$1.50 size . . . \$1.19
Friday and Saturday.

6 DOZEN ONLY SOLID BACK GENUINE Ebony Hair Brushes
A particularly fine boys' or girls' hair brush, regular \$1.50.
Friday and Saturday . . . 98c

FRUIT JAR RINGS, regular 10c a package 4 PKGS. 29c
PHILLIPS' MILK OF MAGNESIA, regular 60c 44c

Nature's Remedy Reg. 25c .17c Reg. \$1 .69c
Fig-Lax for the bowels Reg. 25c .17c Reg. 50c .34c
Bovril Cordial Reg. 50c 39c
Vital Tonic Tablets Reg. 50c 29c

A SPECIAL DEAL IN Pompeian Fragrance (A Talcum)
With each purchase of the full-sized tin we will give a 10c size free. Use the 10c size, and if the talcum does not please you, return the large tin and we will refund your money. Friday and Saturday Both for 30c

ADLERIKA, \$1.50.
(For stomach and bowels)
Milkweed Cream Reg. 50c .34c Reg. \$1 .69c
Djer-Kiss Toilet Water \$1.69
Mennen's Sen-Yang Talcum 2 tins, 29c
Velveola Face Powder (all shades) 22c
THERMOS BOTTLES AND LUNCH KITS.

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344 Richmond Street
Phone 1261

No. 4 Store (East London)
664 Dundas Street
Phone 2027

BIG NEW DOWN-TOWN STORE
168 Dundas Street
No. 3 Store

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Enjoy a Nice Refreshing Bath After
Sweltering All Day in the Office,
Factory or Garden?

This is the time of year you will enjoy and appreciate the unlimited supply of hot water for the bath, which one of these Humphrey Gas Water Heaters will give you.

NO DELAY---NO FUSS NOR MUSS
Just light the gas and then a constant flow of hot water.

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LANDOVERY CASTLE

others had been picked up from the sea. Thrown into Sea.

In a little while two officers appeared on the deck of the submarine, which stood close by, and motioned the small boat to approach. In his dazed

condition, Knight believed that it was a rescue ship and he climbed aboard. He was immediately seized by the two officers and thrown into the sea. He was again picked up by the small boat, which by this time had cast off from the submarine.

Immediately afterwards the submarine opened fire on the survivors. Every boat was sunk except the captain's, which narrowly escaped two shells. The submarine after its second miss attempted to ram the little boat, but failed, and the little boat, which was injured when it was hit, then escaped in the darkness

with the sole survivors of the outrage. After drifting about for two days with little to eat and less to drink, the 24 men were picked up by a British destroyer and taken to Ireland, and then to England.

Told Story to King.
Although Major T. Lyons, medical officer of the Landover Castle, was among those saved, he was unable to appear before the King, or the board of inquiry, owing to a broken bone in his foot, which was injured when he was maltreated by the crew of the sub-

marine, who mistook him for a flight officer of the American army. Sergt. Knight was the next in rank among those saved, and so he was called to relate the story.

Although the British Government, in its attempt to find out who was guilty of the outrage, asked the Canadian Government to send those who best could give evidence, none from among the survivors were apparently chosen. According to Sergt. Knight either he or others who were there should have been sent.

WANTED--A COUPLE TO BE MARRIED IN PUBLIC

Unusually valuable prizes will be given to a bride and groom who will be publicly married in the near future. This offer is absolutely bona fide. Send your name and address at once. All offers will be held in strictest confidence.

Address Replies to Box 345, Advertiser 75c

FARM HAND IS VICTIM OF HEAT

Arthur Sherwood Found Dead Under Tree Near Simcoe.

[Special to The Advertiser.] SIMCOE, July 13.—Arthur Sherwood, aged 33, a returned soldier was found dead under a tree tonight on the farm of W. McCoy of Windham Township. Death was due to heat prostration. Sherwood had been at work in the field all day shocking corn and apparently went to lie down late in the afternoon. When he did not come in for supper an investigation was made and his body was discovered. He was an Australian by birth. An inquest will be held.

TRIED TO SAVE HOSPITAL SHIP

Petty Officer Says Commander Would Not Listen To Pleas.

LEIPZIG, Germany, July 13.—At the continuation today of the trial in the supreme court here of the two German submarine lieutenants, Ludwig Dittmar and Johann Boigt, charged with murder in the first degree for firing on lifeboats off the Canadian hospital ship Llandovery Castle had been torpedoed in the summer of 1918, Petty Officer Poutz of the submarine which sank the ship said the German always suspected hospital ships, which they considered a danger to submarines. Poutz declared he and Lieutenant Dittmar tried to persuade Commander Patzig of the submarine not to attack the hospital ship, but the submarine dived, fired two torpedoes and came to the surface. The witness testified he saw three or four lifeboats and several men swimming, then the crew of the submarine was ordered below deck. The general feeling prevailed that something unfortunate had occurred, Poutz declared. Later he heard firing and assumed lifeboats were being fired on.

MRS. MARTHA LLOYD FOUND DEAD IN HOUSE

Mrs. Martha Lloyd, an aged woman living alone at 16 Bathurst street, was found dead at her home last night by Mrs. Florence Nixon, her daughter. Mrs. Nixon called at her mother's home on Sunday last, and as the door was locked she concluded that Mrs. Lloyd was away. Last night she called again, and on receiving no answer to her knock she entered, finding her mother dead. None of the neighbors recall seeing Mrs. Nixon during the past few days. It is thought that death was due to heat prostration. The deceased was 64 years old.

STOP ADVERTISING FOR IMMIGRANTS

TORONTO, July 13.—A deputa-tion of ratepayers urged the board of control today to petition the Dominion Government to stop advertising in Great Britain for immigrants. The suggestion was accepted, and if the Government declines to comply the board will advertise Canadian unemployment conditions in the English papers.

WORMS DESTROYING MANY TOBACCO PLANTS

LEAMINGTON, July 13.—The crops of tobacco in this district are being damaged by the tobacco worm. This worm, if allowed to remain on the plants, causes much destruction, as it eats the leaves. The farmers are combating the worm by allowing chickens and ducks to remain in the fields, and in this way get rid of a large number of the pests. The most common method of destroying them, however, is the use of a mixture of paris green and arsenate of lead mixed with water. Care must be exercised, however, in the use of this solution that the plants are not burned by using too strong a solution.

OFFERS PRIZE FOR SINKING WARSHIP

PATERSON, N. J., July 13.—The first United States crew to capture or sink a Japanese warship in event of war between the United States and Japan would receive a prize of \$500,000, according to the will of O. H. Fritzsche, former Paterson engineer, made public today. It was received here from his son, Dr. Fritzsche, who died on January 1.

For your table drink INSTANT POSTUM instead of coffee

Healthful Convenient
"There's a Reason"

DEATH ACCIDENTAL IS JURY'S FINDING

Majority Vote Rules After Two Hours of Ineffective Argument.

[Special to The Advertiser.] STRATFORD, July 13.—After being out until 12:45 this morning the jury which investigated the death of Gordon Schmidt, who was killed at Shakespear yesterday, returned a verdict that death was accidental. For two hours the jurors argued, some of them being in favor of blaming the driver of the car, it is stated. Finally feeling that there was no possibility of a unanimous verdict a vote was taken, and the majority voted in favor of accidental death. Schmidt was killed by being struck by an auto driven by Robert Reiger of Woodstock.

MANY THIRSTY ONES WILL BE DISAPPOINTED

TORONTO, July 13.—Ontario goes "bone dry" on Monday next, July 18, and many Ontario people who neglected to order their wet goods from the eastern exporters until the last minute will be disappointed. A number of brewing companies are being flooded with orders from local people through the exporters, but they have already notified the exporters to send no more, as they cannot fill all they now have before Monday. After Monday Ontario people will have to depend on cellar stocks and the government dispensaries, which will deal out quantities for sacramental and medicinal purposes.

CROPS WERE GREATLY BENEFITED BY RAIN

Splendid Growth Now Being Made in Granton District.

GRANTON, July 13.—Farmers all through this district have benefited greatly by the recent rains. There had only been one shower in this district in four weeks, and everything was burning up. So intense was the heat around here that horses were playing out at hayracks and cutting wheat, while every farmer with windmills was experiencing great difficulty in getting enough water to keep his windmills running, as there was no wind to pump in this district for six days. There is a lot of hay and corn lying on the ground, and also a lot of wheat. Some is stacked and some is lying in sheaf. The general opinion is that those who have not cut are the best off, as it is remaining very close and hot, and the wheat may sprout and grow in the sheaf. Had the rain not come there would have been no early potatoes or turnips. Corn, oats and barley up to now have made little or no growth, but will advance very quickly. It is the opinion of the farmers in this section of the country is filling the silos with sweet clover. This scheme has been progressing during the past week, and if this idea proves a success when the farmers come to feed it in the winter, it will be a boon, as the corn crop each year costs the farmers large amounts of money and labor. The Methodist Sunday school held its annual picnic to the Osgoode Grove. Owing to the excessive amount of work not many men were there, however. All those present enjoyed a good time. Quite a large number from here attended a Orange parade in London yesterday.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF L. D. S. AUTHORIZED TO PERFORM MARRIAGES

Rev. Frank Gray of this city, publicity agent for the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints, takes exception to the report from Toronto relative to the announcement that after October 1 no clergyman who is not registered with the provincial authorities will be permitted to solemnize marriage in the province, and that the act does not recognize in any event certain denominations, including the Church of Latter Day Saints, Mr. Gray declared to be incorrect. A decision, he avers, by the supreme court at Osgoode Hall in 1893 in a test case, gave the ministers of the Reorganized Church the right to perform the ceremony of marriage. The judgment was based, he states, on the revised statutes of Ontario.

INTERIM CERTIFICATES WILL BE GRANTED

TORONTO, July 13.—The minister of education, Hon. R. H. Grant, has announced the results of the courses of training for public and separate school teachers at the normal schools at Hamilton, London, North Bay, Ottawa, Peterboro, Stratford and Toronto. Candidates who failed to obtain the necessary standing for interim first or second-class certificates, but whose marks bring them within the provisions of the normal school regulations, will be granted interim second or limited third-class certificates, and upon passing at a later date will be granted interim first-class or second-class certificates as the case may be.

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WAGE PAY CUT AT ONCE

Same Reductions To Become Effective As Were Made in States.

CUT AVERAGES 12 PER CENT

Wages and Working Conditions Being Discussed At Conference.

MONTREAL, July 13.—Thirty thousand men are affected by the tentative agreement reached tonight by the Railway Association of Canada and the representatives of the locomotive and car departments of the leading Canadian railwaymen. The reduction of wages effective immediately is eight cents an hour, and the railways involved are the Canadian Pacific, Canadian National, the Grand Trunk and the more important of the smaller Canadian railways. The agreement was signed by Grant Hall, vice-president of the Canadian Railway Association, and the representatives of the railwaymen. The tentative agreement does not preclude the pending negotiations for a general revision of rates of wages and conditions of labor.

AGREEMENT REACHED. MONTREAL, July 13.—A tentative agreement was reached by the Railway Association of Canada and the company representing railway employees in the locomotive and car departments providing for the application of the same reductions in the rates of pay for such employees in Canada as were recently made effective in the U.S. The reduction will take effect immediately. It is understood that if in the final settlement a modification in the tentative reduction in rates is agreed upon the employees will receive the benefit of such modification from the date on which the tentative reductions are made effective. A conference between shop employees of all roads and officials of the Canadian Railway Association took place today when a number of matters affecting wages and working conditions were under discussion. When maintenance-of-way men meet the association next week, practically all conferences will be completed. One result of the trip will be that a steady drive will be initiated in the United States for congressional action looking toward the introduction of legislation providing for the participation of the U. S. in the work.

BROKE BLOOD VESSEL WHILE SWIMMING

W. R. Fulton Meets With Accident At Port Stanley Camp.

PORT STANLEY, July 13.—Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fulton of St. Thomas, who are staying for the season at the Maple Leaf cottages, William Fulton, while swimming, ruptured a blood vessel in his leg. Other relatives present tried to help him to the L. and E. S. tent hospital, and it is feared that a considerable time will elapse before he recovers. The Heights were gay today with about two dozen small family parties and several large picnics. Part of the Hamilton Road Presbyterian Sunday School, London, escorted by Mrs. J. J. McLaughlin, D. Williams, had their holiday married today, when Mr. Fulton, while swimming, ruptured a blood vessel in his leg. Other relatives present tried to help him to the L. and E. S. tent hospital, and it is feared that a considerable time will elapse before he recovers. The Heights were gay today with about two dozen small family parties and several large picnics. Part of the Hamilton Road Presbyterian Sunday School, London, escorted by Mrs. J. J. McLaughlin, D. Williams, had their holiday married today, when Mr. Fulton, while swimming, ruptured a blood vessel in his leg. Other relatives present tried to help him to the L. and E. S. tent hospital, and it is feared that a considerable time will elapse before he recovers.

ENGINEERS ACCEPT WAGE REDUCTIONS

Majority of Members in Favor of Taking Lower Wage.

LONDON, July 13.—The engineering unions today voted in favor of accepting the wage reduction proposed by the employers. There was a substantial majority in favor of acceptance.

TO MAKE VALUATION OF ELECTRIC PLANT

OTTAWA, July 13.—J. U. Fairlie, railway engineer of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission, who is in charge of the valuation of the plant of the Ottawa Electric Railway, has written Mayor Plant that the commission has no objection to his being present at the valuation of the plant. The valuation of the plant is being made by the commission, and the city is to be paid for the use of the plant.

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SEVENTY-FIVE PER CENT OF CITY TAXES IN

Nearly \$1,700,000 Collected Up To Date, Says the Treasurer.

Approximately \$1,700,000 incite taxes has been collected according to City Treasurer James Bell, which is 75 per cent of the \$2,300,000 to be collected in taxes this year. The second installment is due August 2, but as many citizens have taken advantage of discount by paying their entire assessment in one shot, this accounts for the 75 per cent received.

"Payments are just about the same as previous year," City Treasurer Bell informed The Advertiser today. "There is very little difference despite the hard times which have been preached to us this year. The owners manage to get their taxes together in time, although a few forget when payments are due, and unintentionally allow them to lapse."

ECONOMICAL SQUAD HAS LEFT LONDON

Griffenhagen Experts Now On Jaunt to the Far West.

W. Middlebrook and C. Everett, traveling representatives of the "economical" squad of the firm of Griffenhagen, having completed their activities at the London postoffice, departed today for the west. Winnipeg is scheduled as the next full stop on their swing around the circle.

It is anticipated that events under the new system of efficiency will now move "according to Hoyle" (or Griffenhagen). Re-classification and amalgamation of the different departments is finished and everything has been fully explained. Harmony, efficiency, speed and the utmost satisfaction will now prevail is the advice of the experts.

JUSSERAND POSTPONES TRIP. Washington, July 14.—Probability of international conferences here on disarmament and pacific questions caused Jules J. Jusserand, French ambassador, to make an eleventh hour change in plans for a leave of absence in France. M. Jusserand was booked to sail today from New York, but it was said at the embassy that the trip had been postponed indefinitely, and that the ambassador would remain in Washington.

Everybody Enjoys a fine cup of Tea.

"SALADA" TEA

IF YOU DRINK JAPANESE TRY "SALADA" GREEN TEA Infinitely Superior to the best of Japan.

POLICE FIND FOUR CHILDREN IN HOME AND PARENTS DRUNK

Father and Mother Remanded Following Visit to Clarence Street House.

Local police had a distressing case to deal with last night when they visited a house on Clarence street. The mother of the house had complained that the father was drunk. When the officers arrived they found both parents drunk and using profane language.

They were locked up until court this morning, when they were remanded for a few days in order that Inspector W. E. Kelly of the Children's Aid Society might investigate the case. He has taken care of the four children, but it had not been decided what disposition will be made of them.



FIREMEN HAVE A RUN.—The fire department extinguished a small blaze at 57 Barker street at 11:37 o'clock today.

COLLAPSED ON STREET.—Thomas Green, a local citizen, collapsed on Richmond street about 11 o'clock today but recovered after being taken to his home. His collapse is attributed to heat prostration.

ROBBED STREET CAR CONDUCTOR.—Sneak thieves were at work on Ridout car No. 102. Children on their way to the circus gave Conductor Frank Smith many pennies. He placed more than 50 cents worth in his coat pocket, which was hanging near the door of the car. While he was busy collecting tickets someone stole them, for when he put his hand in his coat pocket to get the money it was gone.

FINED FOR NO LIGHTS.—Peter McPherson, when fined \$2 and costs in police court this morning for not having three lighted lamps on his car, said that they were not in proper working order. He was told that he must keep his lamps trimmed and burning. Like the virgins, he said that he would have to buy up for repairs. The magistrate remarked that this was required of him, as he could not go on the streets with a car which was improperly lighted.

BATHING CAMP PLOTTING.—Children who act as patrons to Tecumseh and Alexandria public school playgrounds, enjoyed a picnic at the north end bathing camp Wednesday. They met at their respective playgrounds in the morning, armed with lunches, and were transported to the "Valley" by autos, where they spent the day in bathing and other sports under supervision, returning home early in evening. There were 110 children at the picnic, which is a bi-weekly playground feature, with different districts participating each week. A similar outing will be staged on Friday.

EARLY ELECTIONS MAY GIVE KIDDIES EXTRA HOLIDAY

Trustees Favorable to Granting Use of Schools For Polls.

In all probability the public school children of London will enjoy a holiday on Monday, December 5 next, because that is the date upon which municipal elections will be held here, and school rooms throughout the city will be utilized for polling booths. If school is not closed for this day the civic authorities will be required to rent 73 polling booths in dwelling houses, at a total estimated cost of more than \$300.

Money Looks Good. The city fathers are in favor of paying this amount to the board of education as in previous year, thus saving the city more than \$500, as the money is merely transferred from one department to another. The city clerk has been instructed to confer with the chairman of the board of education to ascertain if the schools may be closed on election day, as in addition to cutting down expenses, they provide central polling booths for the electors.

"I have no power in the matter," said chairman Thomas Colledge, of the board of education to The Advertiser this afternoon, "but I do not think that the board will have any objections to such a reasonable request from the city council."

May Order Holiday. "The board may decide to give the children a holiday on the election day," said Secretary W. A. Tanner, of the board of education to The Advertiser, "if the holiday is objected to, they may add it to the end of the fall term. The regulations call for 200 school days in the year, and it may be necessary to add the extra day. However, I would refer you to the chairman of the board of education."

An early decision on the part of members of the board of education must be reached owing to the fact that City Clerk Baker is required to make all arrangements for the municipal elections weeks in advance of nomination day.

ACT AS LIAISON OFFICER. Belfast, July 14.—Ald. Michael Staines, member of the British House of Commons for Dublin, who was released from Mountjoy prison on June 30, arrived in London yesterday. As a commander in the Irish republican army Staines handed Divisional Commissioner Cruise a document from the authorities in Dublin Castle, authorizing him to act as liaison officer to insure observance of the truce.

Sir James Craig, the Ulster premier, still is in Belfast. It was reported last night that he had started for London.

CHICAGO GRAIN FUTURES. [Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.] Chicago, July 14.
Wheat—Open, High, Low, Close.
July 1.29 1.33 1.27 1.32 1/2
Sept. 1.27 1.32 1.26 1.32 1/2
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Claims one-seventh of oil—
Duncan C. Gilles, through his solicitors, Elliott & Moss, of Glenora, has issued a writ in the county court against the Castle Oil and Gas Company of Niagara Falls, for one-seventh share of oil produced on the southeasterly half of the southeasterly half of Lot 7, Concession 6, Mosa Township, under the terms of an agreement alleged to have been made on July 6, 1917, by the plaintiff to Leo Wilson, and assigned to the defendant, and for damage to crops, timber and improvements.

FIGHT PICTURES WILL PROBABLY COME TO CITY

Members of Ministerial Alliance Will Be Greatly Surprised.

From present indications it is not altogether improbable that those "fight fans" who were unable to attend the real championship contest at Jersey City will be enabled to witness the next best thing, the pictures thereof. A manager of one of the leading theatres of London was queried from his headquarters Wednesday as to whether he desired to handle the "Demsey-Carpentier" struggle for next week. Six interesting reels are promised, the theatre manager states, with nothing of an offensive nature shown. The pictures are said to include views of the training camps, the fight itself in four rounds and special pictures of the stadium and crowds in vicinity, etc.

Will Be Surprised. "We shall be greatly surprised," commented Rev. M. Kelly, president of the London Ministerial Alliance, "if the board of censors do not stand true to the test. I do not fancy it will be in compliance with the wishes of the Government if these pictures are shown."

"There has been a great deal of talk about the fight being shown on the screen, although it would be a very innocent affair. However, it is certainly demoralizing. There are plenty of good pictures that may be shown instead. Moving pictures may be employed to great advantage as an educator as well as for amusement, but when they throw on reels of this nature it takes away a certain amount of sympathy from people who would otherwise champion good, clean productions."

Obituary. The death of Mrs. Mildred Frayne, of 791 Lorne avenue, took place at Victoria Hospital on Wednesday, July 13. She is survived by her husband, Asa Frayne, of the London police force. The funeral arrangements have not been made.

FUNERAL OF MRS. M. LLOYD. The funeral of Mrs. Martha Lloyd, of 16 Bathurst street, who died on Monday, July 12, was held from the undertaking parlors of George Logan & Sons at 3:30 this afternoon and was strictly private. The services were conducted by Rev. J. N. Norton of Malindang street, Baptist Church at 3 o'clock. Interment was made in Woodland Cemetery.

DEATH OF ANDREW KENNY. Andrew Kenny, 29 Empress avenue, a resident of this city for 45 years, a cabinetmaker by trade, died at his home this morning. He is survived by his wife, Catherine, two sons, Andrew of Detroit, and Leo, and three daughters, Sister Gabrielle, of St. Joseph's Community, city; Mrs. R. Forrestal, city, and Miss Elizabeth, at home.

The funeral will be held on Saturday at 8:30 a.m. Requiem mass will be sung at St. Peter's Cathedral at 9 o'clock, and interment will take place at St. Peter's Cemetery.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. New York, July 14.—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—The strength of oils and chemicals and the heaviness of motors and equipments were the contrasting features at the opening of today's stock market. Mexican Petroleum, which advanced yesterday's bid dealings with a sudden advance of 7 points, was in further demand with Pan-American and Houston Oils. Virginia-Caroline Chemical preferred, Atlantic-Gulf, Central Leather and American Tobacco also made variable gains. Studebaker, Chandler, General Electric and American Sugar comprised the reactionary shares. Oils cancelled much of their advance within the first half hour.

Noon.—Mexican Petroleum fell back 3 points in the reversal of the first hour, other losses 1 to 2 points. Motors, especially Chandler, reflected further pressure, and Bethlehem, Crucible, Republic and United States Steels forfeited 1 to 2 points with Baldwin Locomotive and other equipments. Dealing in rails were on the lighter scale and at nominal change, excepting Northern Pacific, which lost 1 point. Mexican Petroleum made full recovery before noon, but other leaders showed little improvement. Call money opened at 6 per cent.

1:30 p.m.—A 4-point break in Western Union Telegraph to the low price of the year was the feature of the dull noon hour. Mexican Petroleum again reacted from its second rally, and rails, equipments and food specialties were mostly heavy. [Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company for The Advertiser.] New York, July 14.

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ADVERTISERS, NOTE.
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THE PERILS OF AVIATION.

The terrible death of Harry G. Hawker, the first
aviator to attempt a flight across the Atlantic in an
aeroplane, will come as a shock to those who have
admired the achievements of this intrepid man and
others associated with him in what is, after all, the
pioneer work of what is bound to be in time one of
the greatest and most effective means of transporta-
tion. The tragedy took place at Hendon. The machine
was seen descending in flames, and Hawker's body,
terribly mutilated, was found 200 yards from the place
where the aeroplane fell.

Despite the tremendous advance which has been
made in aviation, particularly during the war, the
science is still in its initial stages, and its votaries
are, therefore, exposed to all the perils pertaining
to a pursuit which is full of uncertainties, and which
has a long way to go before it attains anything like
perfection. One, therefore, cannot withhold a tribute
of admiration for those who risk their lives in this
manner in the service of their fellow-men.

In his attempted flight from the Canadian coast to
Ireland, in May, 1919, it will be recalled, that Haw-
ker's machine came down in mid-ocean, and that he
was rescued by a Danish steamer and landed at Thurso,
on the north coast of Scotland. He was afterwards
decorated by King George for his plucky deed, and has
since continued in the pursuit of his perilous profes-
sion. The crossing of the Atlantic was accomplished
about a month later, by Capt. Sir John Alcock, and he
himself died in December, 1919, from injuries sustained
in a crash in France.

It has been said that the occupation of an airman
cannot be continued by the same individual for too long
a period. Its uncertainties are too great, and the con-
sequent nerve strain enormous. It can readily be
imagined that abnormal alertness and nerve are essen-
tial for a successful aviator, and no one possesses an
illimitable store of energy of this description. The
running of the human machine for too long a period
at too high a rate of speed is bound to have its effects
in time, and this is probably why men, like the machine
they control, are unable to keep up this high pressure
indefinitely. Apart from engine trouble or any other
adverse circumstance that makes possible such a tra-
gedy as that which has overtaken the brave Hawker,
there is apt to occur the contributory circumstance
of a man whose powers are on the decline through
excessive and strenuous employment.

A SHOCKING INCIDENT.

An automobile driven along the street early in
the morning smashed a milk-cart at a crossing and
killed the driver of the cart. If the proofs are forth-
coming that the motor was greatly exceeding the
speed limit, justice would become a laughing-stock in
this province should not severe punishment be meted
out.

Too many cases of carelessness or worse have been
passed over with light reproof or nothing at all.

There is a great deal of minor law-breaking by
motorists in this city. Waterloo street is one prin-
cipal scene of it. Children living within 50 or 100
yards of the Waterloo pavement are exposed every
hour of the day to peril of life and limb even from
sensible traffic, let alone the mad-dog type of driver
who comes along every ten or fifteen minutes some-
times. Some cars do not trouble to slow up at cross-
ings, the drivers thinking they have full right to shoot
past with or without a honk to all and sundry. Babies,
deaf people, aged persons, have simply no claim to
exist in that region; as for dogs, they are run over
with indifference.

Macaulay says that a tendency may be judged by
its extreme manifestations. The slaughter of a milk-
driver busy about his matutinal task, necessary to the
community he serves, by a bull-headed motorist, useful
to the devil knows whom, may be regarded as
one of those manifestations that show up a general
tendency. It is highly important that a case like
this should be treated with full seriousness.

Not only the prevention of danger on the streets,
but the general maintenance of order is at stake. It
is not easy for parents and teachers to train boys and
girls to respect law and authority when they see law
defied and ridden over at all hours of the day and
night by reckless drivers. Even if the cost of law
enforcement be very great, a community that aims
at a decent, law-abiding life should see to it that
criminal recklessness is stopped on the pavements.

THE CALL OF THE SEA.

There is no more manly training for a boy than
that which breathes the spirit of the sea. Britain
as an island nation has had from the earliest dawn
of her history her coasts to defend, and the call of
the sea has sounded in the ears of her sons for
many a century. That the nautical stream which
flows in the veins of every Briton has a vivifying and
wholesome effect has been proved again and again,
and the tang of the ocean has had a fascination for
our sailors from the time of the defeat of the Spanish
Armada to the battle of Jutland.

If it had not been for the hardy navigators of the
past—Eric the Red, the Sabote, Jacques Cartier, Henry
Hudson and Sir John Franklin—Canada might have
remained a terra incognita for many more years, but

the voice of the sea and the spirit of adventure had
an irresistible influence on these men, and, responding
to the call, they achieved great things.

The sea is not only a bestower of manliness and
healthy vigor, but it is a begetter of laudable ambi-
tion. This is why the nautical training of boys who
have not yet shaped their course, and of others who
have taken the wrong turning at the beginning of
their career, is a wise one. This is why the Boys'
Naval Brigade work of the Navy League of Canada
has much to commend it. The league claims a two-
fold value for this branch of its work, namely: "Cre-
ating a sea-trained personnel in Canada, so that on
short notice our merchant ships can be manned, and
from which our Naval Volunteer Reserve can be
drawn in times of national crisis, and their educational
value in spreading a sea-conscious spirit in the com-
munities in which they are training, often a great
many miles from the sea." At the present time the
organization is training approximately 2,000 boys
from coast to coast, this number being considered suf-
ficient for present and contingent needs.

The question of the provision of training ships for
the fitting of young men for a career at sea is at
present attracting the attention of legislators, both
federal and provincial, and the opinion is expressed
that it is a matter well worthy the attention of the
authorities. Training ships have for many years been
recognized as a useful adjunct in the process of build-
ing up character, and are used for this purpose at
some of the principal British ports. The suggestion
has been made that training vessels should be sta-
tioned at some of the Canadian ports, and the idea
seems a perfectly sound one in view of the fact
that its usefulness has been proved elsewhere.

Of course, Great Britain, with its extensive fisheries,
possesses an immense advantage over a country where
the fishing population, besides being scattered over a
very large area, is not nearly so numerous. The
British fishermen have for many years furnished ex-
cellent recruits for the Royal Naval Reserve, and
during the late war the value of their work in mine-
sweepers and patrol vessels would be hard to esti-
mate. As for the British mercantile marine, its
splendid record of war service will stand for all time.
It was the material which was ready to hand in the
shape of those born and brought up within sound of
the sea, and imbued by all its heroic traditions, that
made this possible, and there is no reason why Canada
should not have in reserve similar material to man
her ships in times of peace, for the sea-going instinct
must lie dormant in many thousands of her sons, their
heritage from their island sires.

In a memorandum issued by the Navy League of
Canada it is pointed out that pioneer work of a spec-
tacular kind should no longer be necessary to pro-
mote the growth of our mercantile marine, but there
is work of equal importance to be done. There is the
need to drive home to thinking men and women the
necessity to foster and develop the water-borne facili-
ties of the Dominion, so that our mercantile marine
shall balance our extensive railroad systems. The
water-borne facilities of the country are daily assum-
ing greater importance, the scheme for the deepening
and extending of the St. Lawrence waterways being
an outstanding example of this, and every practical
step that is taken in this direction is of the greatest
moment to the development of the resources of the
Dominion and its continued prosperity.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Cheese is again becoming high, but has not yet
reached the Limburger standard.

It now transpires that the discoverer of the wash-
out on the Grand Trunk was "a lone Lorne critter"
who passed that way.

It will be news to many that the City Council of
London has no control over London's public parks.
There is something wrong here.

Oscar Hammerstein's monument, with a bronze bust
and lyre, is to be sold by auction to satisfy a judgment.
The judge apparently took a grave view of the matter.

"Gosh, there must be a circus in town today!" ex-
claimed a rustic who visited Old London for the first
time and saw its crowded streets. There is a circus
in town today.

The G.W. V. A. has requested Premier Meighen to
capture Haig and Foch. It is uncertain what kind of
ammunition Mr. Meighen will use, but a gas attack
is almost certain.

London housewives are said to be using beefsteak
more than any other kind of meat, and the butchers
can scarcely sell the forequarters of the cow. This is
a case of the first being last.

After October 1 no clergyman who is not registered
with the provincial authorities will be permitted to
solemnize marriage in Ontario. Is this another form
of prohibition, or is it merely a marriage ring?

Although the Yukon Territory has voted wet, it
cannot get liquor owing to the United States restric-
tions. As, according to the latest census figures, the
total population of the Yukon is only 8,512, the effects
should not be serious.

There is a widespread delusion that what are gen-
erally classed as evil odors are good for the health, but
this does not prevent the citizens from being annoyed
by them, and from demanding their eradication or
removal. However, some maintain that smells are
a matter of taste.

THE MIGHTY ATOM.
[Montreal Herald.]

Sir Oliver Lodge has returned once again to a subject
upon which he is entitled to be heard with great respect,
whatever opinion is held of his views in some other direc-
tions. This is the subject of atomic energy, which he has
on several occasions pictured as a vast reservoir of force
existing in the universe about us, and so far practically
untapped.

In its actual dimensions, or quantity, he represents this
atomic energy as being far beyond the scope of the imagina-
tion. It is a thing besides which all the existing sources
of power utilized by mankind are actually insignificant.
To capture this energy and to harness it to the work of
the world is a thing which, when accomplished, will com-
pletely solve the world's fuel problem. Atomic energy will
supply the light and power needed by man and release him
from his dependence upon coal and falling water.

What we have to imagine is the discovery of some
method of breaking up atoms, an operation which nature
itself conducts, it would appear, in a slow way. The libera-
tion of the stored-up energy of an atom means the projec-
tion of the component fragments outwardly with a velocity
only surpassed by that of light. Compared with such a
phenomenon our present projectiles and explosive substances
are quite trifling affairs. Sir Oliver says:

"When one atom, or a hundred, or a thousand, are broken
up, no damage is done; but in any visible speck of matter
there are millions and millions of atoms, and if their com-
bined energy were liberated, the effect could not be con-
templated without dismay. The discovery has not yet been
made, but there seems nothing impossible in it, and in some
form or other it seems likely that it may be made within
say, the next twenty years."

OTHERS' VIEWS

UTILIZING ARCTIC WASTES.
[Cleveland Plain Dealer.]

The Canadians are a thrifty people,
but they have not, until recently sug-
gested a practical way to get any return
from their tremendous possessions. Now
one suggestion of peculiar merit has
been made, and is to be acted on. Rein-
deer are to be introduced in several
localities, where there is a good chance
of their becoming naturalized. This
portant source of meat supply. This,
probably, is the chief consideration. But
of scarcely less importance will be the
service of the reindeer as a means of
opening up new regions. In the sum-
mer the animals may be used in har-
ness.

THE POLICEMAN'S LOT.
[Toronto Telegram.]

At the intersection of two of the
busiest downtown streets yesterday,
where the mercury climbed gleefully to
ward the 100 mark, the policeman on
point duty felt a little pucker on old lady
tug at his tunic sleeve.

"Yes, ma'am?"

"Do you see that horse there?" she
questioned, aquiver with indignation.
The policeman observed the steed, its
head drooping resignedly. "Well, some-
body's left it standing here for an hour!
On a day like this! Why don't you
tell the S. P. C. A. about such things!
It's a disgrace."

"Yes, ma'am," agreed the policeman
wearily, taking out a pocket memoran-
dum book. "I'll make some entry there-
in. Then he took off his stuffy helmet
and mopped his beaded brow. He had
been standing at his post much longer
than the horse, in fact, and he was
heavier than that of passing citizens.

But the lady samaritan never thought
of that.

SUNDAY BATHING.
[Peterboro Examiner.]

As was expected, the Examiner's sug-
gestion that the civic bathing houses
should be opened on Sunday has met
with a good deal of approval and also
with a certain amount of criticism. Some
citizens who have never been
bored to complain of those who summer
at the lakes indulging in a Sunday
plunge, or of people who own bath-
rooms availing themselves of a
chance for a cold swim seem to regard a
change of the law as a matter of quite
a different matter. In Toronto the ques-
tion of the city's bathing places are not closed
on Sunday, in fact the attendance on
the days is usually the largest of the
week and so far as one can judge from
the newspapers, nobody has entered a
protest against the practice. Throwing
out the bathing houses would be a con-
fession of the fact that the majority of
Sunday and the Examiner believes that
the majority of the people are heartily
in favor of the suggestion. The atten-
tion of the civic authorities is directed to
the matter in the hope that action will
follow.

THE POOR LITTLE RICH CHILD.
[New York World.]

A child welfare survey in Chicago
reports a wealth of poverty in 50 per
cent of the pupils of an exclusive pri-
vate school. Back of the stockyards
only 18 per cent of children were under
weight. In tenement districts the lower
end of the scale was reached. The find-
ings are further strengthening of the case lately
presented to the American Medical As-
sociation by specialists in children's
diseases. According to their testimony,
it is mainly from malnutrition. A St.
Louis physician said that he found the
condition more common among the
children of the wealthy than in the
homes of the poor, and other members
of the convention agreed with his con-
clusions. The practice of a Grand
Rapids physician disclosed 40 per cent
of cases of under-nourishment among
well-to-do children, as against 20 per
cent among poor children in Chicago.
An expert of the survey attributes the
weakening of the children of wealth to
bottle-feeding in infancy and too much
rich food later on. Before the war
association, blame was cast upon what
was termed the complexity of modern
life. Too much excitement, too fre-
quent dances and parties, too little
enough rest—these are the causes that
retard proper nourishment. Aside from
their vital import to the nation, these
revelations are humanly interesting in
showing where the poor little rich child
has cause to envy his rugged brother
for the tenements.

THE SOLDIER'S GAME.
[London Morning Post.]

Polo (like love and war) is one of the
games it is better to have played and
lost than never to have played at all.
It is the "soldier's game" above and
before all others. It is by far the oldest
of all the pastimes in which com-
petition is now the decisive factor, and
it is a living link between east and
west, which are still extremes that
meet only in the manly heart. More
than all that, polo is the climax of the
ancient partnership between a man and
his horse, which is half the history of
civilization—for without it there could
have been no such thing as chivalry.
It is not the man that makes the polo-
player. It is not the horse. It is the
man and the horse.

THE ALLIANCE WITH JAPAN.
[London Daily News.]

If our alliance with Japan can be
used in China's interest that is a
strong argument for its continuance. If
it is to be used as shelter for Japanese
campaigns of penetration in China, as
there is reason to fear it has been used
for the annexation of Korea, then bet-
ter make an end of it at once. But
this is not a matter on which the im-
perial conference should say the last
word. What is wanted is a frank and
open interchange of views between four
parties—the British Empire, America,
China and Japan—if possible at one
table. It is beyond the power of Em-
pire statesmanship to initiate conver-
sation which, once begun, would ex-
tend, to the general benefit, over a
much wider field than the question of
the Japanese alliance alone.

THE WOMAN ATHLETE.
[Natal Advertiser.]

It is highly probable that in their
innmost thoughts there are few people
who like the athletic woman. The
emancipation of women has produced
too good a deal more than was ever in-
gained for when the movement was first
set afoot, and the lengths of masculin-
ity to which they have proceeded could
certainly never have been anticipated
a couple of decades ago. Into the right
and proper idea of the full development
of women mentally and physically has
crept an unfeeling desire to excel in
all that men have done for centuries,
but the change of attitude has had to
be attained almost in a flash, and the
result is by no means pleasant. There
is a vast difference, of course, between
healthful exercise for women and the
Amazonian efforts that are being made
nowadays in the name of sport, and it
is exceedingly doubtful, in the long run,
whether they will tend to the better-
ment of the race. Rather it is likely
that they will have a reverse effect.

SPANISH DOUBLOONS
BY CAMILLA KENYON

Shortly before sundown Cuthbert and
Cookie were dispatched by Dugald Shaw
to the cliff above the cave with supplies
for the innured pirates. These were
let down by ropes. A note was brought
up on the rope, signed by Mr. Tubbs,
and containing strangely jumbled ex-
hortations, prayers and threats. A sec-
ond and decent of the rope elicited another
missive, neatly folded and addressed in
the same hand to Miss Jane Harding.
Cuthbert gave this privately to me, but
its contents must forever be unknown,
for it went, unread, into Cookie's fire.
I had no mind to find Aunt Jane, with
her umbrella as a parachute, vanishing
over the cliffs to seek the arms of a
repentant Tubbs.

The fly in the ointment of our satis-
faction, and the one remaining ob-
stacle to our possession of the treas-
ure, was the presence of the two pirates
in our midst. They were not nice
pirates. They were quite the least
choice of the collection. Chris, when
he was not swearing, wept moistly,
and so touched the heart of Aunt Jane
that we lived in fear of her letting him
go if she got the opportunity. He told
her that he had lost an aunt in his
tender youth, of whom she reminded
him in the most striking way, and that
this long-mourned relative had lived
he felt he should have been a better
man and not led away against his
higher nature by the charms of a
woman who had companions. Aunt Jane
thought her resemblance to Chris' aunt
a remarkable coincidence, and an op-
portunity for appealing to his better
nature should be improved. She
saw to it that he improved it by
his hands, because he had sprained his
wrist in his childhood and it was gen-
erally known that he was a scoundrel.
He had sprained it in rescuing
the companion from drowning, who had
the child of a drunkard who had unfeel-
ingly thrown his offspring down a well.
This episode had been an example to
Chris, which had kept him from drink-
ing his life, until he had fallen into his
present rough company.

Aunt Jane took it very hard that the
Scotchman seemed quite unfeeling
about Chris' wrist. She said it seemed
strange to her in a man who had
so recently known the sorrows of cap-
tivity himself. She said she supposed
even suffering would not soften some
natures.

As to Magnus, his state of sullen fury
made him indifferent even to threats
of punishment. He swore with a de-
termined and flaccid air to regard a
termination of his life as a matter of
no consequence. For myself, I could not
endure his neighborhood. It seemed to
me I could not live through the day
must intervene before the arrival
of the Rufus Smith in the constant
presence of this wretch.

More than that, it made Dugald and
Cuthbert unwilling to leave the camp
together. There was always the pos-
sibility that the two ruffians might
with none but Cookie and the women
present, to obtain control of the fire-
arms and the camp. For the negro,
and means to free themselves, and
once the men were free, could not sur-
vive. He was, and in his fashion, but
old and with the habit of submission
for one did not see him standing up to
before two berserker-mad rufians.

What to do with the pirates contin-
ued for a day and a night a knotty
problem.

It was Cuthbert Vane who solved it,
and with the simplicity of genius.
"Why not send them down to their
asked."

It seemed at first incredibly fantas-
tic, but the more you thought of it
the more practical it grew. It was
characteristic of Cuthbert not to see it
as fantastic. For him the shades of
of fact were never shaded off into the
dim and nebulous. Cuthbert, when he
saw things at all, saw them steadily
and whole. He would let down the
dire outrages greeted the decision.
Aunt Jane wept, and Chris wept, and
said this never could have happened
to him if his aunt had lived. Oaths
flowed from Capt. Magnus in a sturdi-
stream. Nevertheless the twin were
led away, firmly bound, and guarded
by Dugald, Cuthbert and the negro.
And the remarkable program proposed
by Cuthbert Vane was triumphantly
carried out. Six prisoners now oc-
cupied the old cave of the buccaners.

With the camp freed from the pres-
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CHAPTER XX.
"Twixt Cup and Lip."

Next morning an event occurred suf-
ficiently astonishing to divert our
thoughts from the all-important topic
of the island. Cookie, who had
been up on the high land of the point
gathering firewood, came rushing back
to announce that a steamer had ap-
peared in the offing. All the party
dropped their occupations and ran to
look. That the Rufus Smith had re-
turned at an unexpectedly early date
was, of course, the natural explana-
tion of the appearance of a vessel in
these lonely seas. But through the
new arrival turned out to be
not the tubby freighter, but a stranger
of clean-cut, rakish build, lying low
in the water, and designed for speed
rather than carrying capacity.

A mile offshore she lay to, and a
boat left her side. Wondering and dis-
quieted, we returned to the beach to
await her coming. Was it another
pirate? What possible errand could
bring a steamer to this remote, un-
visited, all but forgotten little island?
Had somebody else heard the story of
the Bonny Lass and come after the
doubtless, unthinking that we were be-
forehand with them? If so, must we
do battle for our rights?

The boat shot in between the points
and skinned swiftly over the rippling
surface of the cove, under the rhyth-
mic strokes of half a dozen flashing
oars. The rowers wore a trim white
uniform, and in the stern a tall figure,
likewise white-clad, turned toward us
a dark face under a pill helmet.

As the oarsmen drove the boat upon
the beach the man in the stern sprang
agilely ashore. Dugald Shaw stepped
forward, and the stranger approached,
doffing his helmet courteously.

"You are the American and English
party who landed here some weeks ago
from the Rufus Smith?"

To Be Continued.

THE SILVER LINING
By Fullerton Waldo.

THE CLASP OF A HAND.

Much may be said, without a word,
in the clasp of the hand.

There are as many kinds of hand-
shakes as there are varieties of anoreas
and sneezes.

One style, much affected by young
men of an athletic habit, feels as if
they were using your hand for an in-
tercollegiate strength test.

Somebody tried that kind of hand-
shake on Madame Curie as soon as she
landed in America, and by crushing the
small bones he put her out of the
line-up of many a reception afterward.

When Mrs. Cleveland was in the
White House she doctored that kind of
grip by holding a bouquet and giving a
verbal greeting.

One of the great hostesses of a huge
city shakes hands always with her own
palm upward, which prevents that
crushing hold, as if the party of the
second part were operating an atomizer.

The Chinese shake hands with them-
selves, which is a good, safe way to do.
There is a happy medium between the
handshake that is like a clothes-
wringer and the handshake that is
flabby, like a dead fish.

The clasp that is warm, cordial and
sympathetic and still stops short of the
viselike grip is the best kind.

You can make your fingers tell of
your friendship and your sympathy by
a firm and gentle pressure, and save
a firm and gentle pressure, and save
lemons at a picnic.

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SINGLE IN SEVENTH BAD

With Bases Full, This One-Ply
Knock Cleaned Bags and
Won Game.

BRANTFORD, July 13.—The Brants again trounced London, in a series of games today, winning 6 to 4. The Brants held the lead all the way, getting the jump in the first inning and never losing it, although Noonan was driven out of the box in the seventh. Cully's homer and Hartline's single which cleaned the bases were batting factors.

In the first half of the game, Brants' Herb, former Red Sox pitcher, Orme and Stupp's grounders scored by Werre. Stupp's grounder scored on Babe Dye's single.

One each came in the fourth, fifth and sixth for the Brants, Cully's homer in the fourth being over the center field fence.

London came through with a quarter in the seventh, driving Noonan out of the box. Van Dyke, Schaefer, Kuhn and Malquist singled in succession. Shay bunted for a safety, filling the sacks. Carman sent in Kuhn with a sacrifice, and Malquist came in on Brants' sacrifice fly.

In their half the Brants came back with three. Werre walked, Stupp walked, Babe Dye was deliberately walked to get Hartline. With the sacks full Hartline singled and the three came in. That ended the scoring.

ONE MORE TUFT GONE

The score:	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	E.
BRANTFORD	6	4	0	12	0	0	0
LONDON	4	6	1	12	0	0	0
Van Dyke, 1b.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Schaefer, 2b.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Kuhn, 3b.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Malquist, 4b.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Shay, s.s.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Carman, r.f.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Briggs, c.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Herbst, p.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0

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BRANTFORD	32	4	0	94	12	0	0
LONDON	32	6	1	12	0	0	0
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AT A GLANCE

MINT LEAGUE.	Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Brantford	1	2	0	.667
Kitchener	2	1	1	.500
Sarnia-Port Huron	3	1	1	.500
Flint	4	1	1	.500
Saginaw	5	1	1	.500
Hamilton	6	1	1	.500
LONDON	7	0	2	.000

Yesterday's Results.	W.	L.	Pct.
Brantford 4-1, Hamilton 3-8.			
Saginaw 6, Sarnia-Port Huron 1.			
Bay City 8, Flint 2.			

Games Today.	W.	L.	Pct.
Hamilton at Brantford.			
Brantford at Sarnia-Port Huron.			
Saginaw at Flint.			

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.	Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Baltimore	1	66	19	.776
Buffalo	2	50	37	.575
Rochester	3	44	39	.530
Toronto	4	37	47	.447
Newark	5	36	48	.432
Jersey City	6	36	48	.432
Syracuse	7	23	62	.271

Yesterday's Results.	W.	L.	Pct.
Toronto 8-12, Reading 5-1.			
New York 6-5, Baltimore 3-1.			
Rochester 16, Newark 4.			
Jersey City 8, Syracuse 3.			

Games Today.	W.	L.	Pct.
Newark at Toronto.			
Baltimore at Syracuse.			
Reading at Rochester.			
Jersey City at Buffalo.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE.	Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	1	49	31	.613
Washington	2	46	40	.538
Detroit	3	41	46	.469
Boston	4	38	49	.438
St. Louis	5	35	47	.427
Chicago	6	34	47	.421
Philadelphia	7	23	62	.271

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JURY EXONERATES L. S. R. EMPLOYEES

No Blame Attached To Crew of Car That Killed Price.

No blame was attached to the employees of the London Street Railway Company for the death of John Price, 928 Waterloo street, who, the jury at the inquest at the police station last night decided, came to his death on Saturday by being struck by a street car. The inquest was one of the shortest ever recorded here, the whole time being 30 minutes.

Eight witnesses, namely, Constable Roy Venner, Constable Agmon Barryman, Russell Boyd, Ernest Heard, James O'Neill, William A. Klassen, William Trotter and Colin David, gave corroborative evidence to the effect that the street car which struck Price, who was 71 years old, was proceeding north across the intersection of Dundas and Richmond streets, and Price was walking almost parallel to it, and stepped out in front of the fender, falling on it and then rolling underneath it. The majority of the witnesses heard the going ringing, the others not paying attention to this matter. It was agreed by all that the car was going slow, and that Constable Venner, who was on traffic duty, shouted a warning to Price.

Motorman William Hood, in charge of Normal car, No. 150, which struck the aged man, did not see the victim until the constable put up his hand to bring the car to a stop. He said that he kept the going ringing when crossing the intersection.

Dr. George Ramsay, who conducted the post-mortem, pronounced death due to hemorrhage and shock.

Coroner J. C. Wilson presided, and Crown Attorney J. B. McKillop conducted the examination of the witnesses.

3 1/2 Tons Good Coal \$55.25
Anderson Coal Co.

BAKER SAYS LONDON MUST CLOSE SCHOOLS OR PAY FOR BOOTHS

Advocates School Holiday On Day of Municipal Elections.

Unless public and separate school children of this city are granted a holiday on Monday, December 5, the city of London will be compelled to rent polling booths for municipal elections in 78 houses throughout the city. This fact was disclosed by City Clerk S. B. Baker at a meeting of No. 1 committee of the city council Wednesday afternoon, when he asked for instructions on the matter.

Previous municipal elections have been held here on New Year's Day, when school is closed, but new arrangements have altered the date. The committee decided to confer with the chairman of the board of education, to ascertain if a holiday can be granted to the children on election day, in order that over \$500 may be saved, and central voting facilities provided for citizens.

Transferring Cost.
The consensus of opinion was that paying this money for rental of school rooms was merely a matter of transferring it from one civic department to another, and that no cost fell upon the ratepayers. City Clerk Baker was instructed to go ahead and prepare a year book and other printed matter in preparation for the municipal elections and previous nominations.

Asks for Letter Drops.
A communication from the deputy postmaster asking that a regulation providing for letter drops or letter slots in doors of residences, stores and offices be enacted. He suggested an opening 1 1/2 by 3 inches, readily accessible to letter carriers. It was referred to No. 2 committee. The auditor's report for the year was presented and taken as read.

Ald. J. C. Wilson asked if "The public utilities commission can override a bylaw passed by the council closing Victoria Park to vehicular traffic?"

"If they can we had better quit," replied Chairman Watkinson.

As the bylaw to this effect has not yet passed its third reading the committee decided to wait until such time as it has, before taking any action.

Out of Order.
Ald. Wenige moved that intersections of streets with Waterloo street north, which is paved, be paved at once, including those upon which street car tracks run, but this motion was ruled out of order, this being business for No. 2 committee to deal with.

Afraid of Street Railway.
"You are all afraid of the Street Railway Company," he commented. "I never saw such a bunch of pilfers."

The committee unanimously passed a resolution of condolence to the widow and family of the late ex-Alderman Wyatt, who served many terms on the city council and other civic bodies.

city patients in Victoria Hospital who are to be removed to the Home for Incurables would be in the latter institution this week, an agreement being drawn up whereby the Women's Christian Association reserves 24 beds in the home for city patients, at \$1.50 per diem in consideration of the \$50,000 grant voted by the citizens.

GLASS FORWARDS PETITION FOR P. O.

Member Strongly Recommends Postal Convenience For Manor Park Residents.

A petition, asking for a postoffice for Manor Park and signed by 158 names, has been forwarded with a recommendation by S. E. Glass, M.P., East Middlesex, to the postmaster-general. Highland and Manor Parks progressive club have sent through the Hon. Mr. William J. Glass, a request in addition to the petition, that the new office be established at Mr. J. Wright's house, No. 37 Wharfedale road, south, and Mr. Glass has likewise forwarded this with the petition to Mr. Blonidin.

Following is the text of the petition: Township of Westminster, Riding of East Middlesex, Manor Park, July, 1921.

To The Honorable P. E. Blonidin, K.C., M.P., Postmaster-General, Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir: Your petitioners, residents and owners in the Township of Westminster, humbly sheweth, that those of us living in the district known as Manor Park, in the said township, are seriously inconvenienced in not having postal conveniences.

That we cannot be satisfactorily served by rural mail delivery and humbly pray that you will cause to be established, a postoffice in our district, which will result in extending to our people the convenience of postal service which we think we are justly entitled to by reason of the fast-growing population, and the large number now living within this area. We request that the name of the new postoffice be Manor Park.

ONLY FOUR OUT OF SEVENTY IN ARREARS

Of the 70 or more people purchasing houses from the London Housing Commission four only are in arrears in their payments according to a report brought in by City Treasurer Bell at a meeting of the commission Wednesday afternoon. Action will be taken immediately against the four householders who are not paying as they should, if all other means fail the commission will take steps to evict them.

LONDON NOW DUMP FOR CHARITY CASES, CHARGES INSP. KELLY

C. A. S. Official Points Out Danger From Recent Order-in-Council.

That London is the "dumping ground" for charitable cases was the assertion of Inspector W. E. Kelly of the Children's Aid Society, at a meeting of No. 1 committee of the city council held Wednesday afternoon. Inspector Kelly was dealing with a Simcoe case and mentioned the fact that a recent order-in-council makes a municipality liable for charges who have resided there three months, instead of a year as heretofore.

"We have been dealing with the one year basis," he declared, "and if the three months' ruling goes into effect here London is going to be just as great a dumping ground. If it goes it will be a great danger here."

Ask McCullough.
"Write Mr. McCullough to that effect," commented Alderman J. C. Wilson.

"How long was Mr. McCullough here before he was dumped?" queried Ald. P. J. Watt. "Where did he come from?" The case was laid over until the next committee meeting.

Asks For Juvenile Court.
Ald. Harley moved that the council apply to whatever powers that be, for permission to inaugurate a juvenile court in London, with Police Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon in charge, on a basis of no costs, the Children's Aid Society and Soldiers' Aid Commission providing probation officers for the year.

Ald. J. C. Wilson—"You will be confronted with big salaries next year. Have you any figures to show the necessity of a juvenile court. The majority of cases are being charged on playing the sidewalk, or swimming without a bathing suit."

His Name In Court.
"That is a record against them in court," defended Ald. Harley.

"My name is in police court," ventured Ald. Wilson.

"So is mine for letting my auto lights out," said Ald. Wenige.

"We could hold this court in the city hall on such days as are necessary," said Ald. Harley.

"We should try it out and see if it is necessary. Are you willing to take a chance?"

"Once you commit yourself on this thing, it is for all time," warned Ald. Cameron Wilson.

"Then your expense starts. The gratis officers will have to be replaced, and if Magistrate Graydon is not able to handle it you will have to pay someone a high salary. If there is as much juvenile crime in London as some people say, it is a reflection on the home life of the city. There has been only one serious case in months, and that was an inviolable who should have been in a reformatory."

"I think Magistrate Graydon is handling this thing O. K. now," declared Ald. Wenige.

"I would like to see the juvenile figures for one year here, and the class of charges," commented Ald. Cameron Wilson, who moved to that effect.

"Then it will be time to take action," His motion was carried and no further action was taken on the subject.

Vacate Storage Stalls.
The committee gave Ald. F. R. Watkinson power to notify those tenants of stalls in the market house, who use same for storage purposes, that they must vacate them for opposition trade.

Ald. Harley declaring "opposition is the life of trade." Ald. Watkinson complained that one tenant paying \$7 per month asked the Western Fish Company \$200 for the use of his storage stall. Quarters will be obtained for this firm when vacancies occur at the expiration of a month's notice to tenants using stalls for storage purposes.

NEAR DROWNING IN NORTH BRANCH
Fifteen-Year-Old Girl Escapes Death After Fainting in Water.

Gertie Lee, aged 15 years, 15 Recent street, narrowly escaped drowning at the north branch bathing camp Wednesday afternoon about 4 o'clock, when she fainted in the water, while bathing. Spectators of the accident carried the little unconscious form to shore, and the pumpmotor was summoned from the central fire hall. Dr. H. S. Ferguson was also called.

The little girl was revived in a few minutes, and taken to her home by Fire Chief John Aitken, who informed The Advertiser that Gertie fainted while in bathing at Port Stanley July 1, and almost lost her life by drowning.

SALVATION ARMY PLANS APPROVED BY OFFICIAL

As a result of the visit of Col. A. Miller of the Salvation Army's provincial property committee, official sanction for the addition of a new wing to Bethesda Hospital and extensive alterations to the Ronald Gray Home for Children on High street has been obtained.

Tenders for the construction work will be called for next week by Brig. A. Chrichton, divisional commander here. It is thought that the expenditure will be in the neighborhood of \$30,000. The details of the plans will be left in the hands of the brigadier and his staff.

ALD. WATT PROVIDES HUMOR AT MEETING

During a lull in business at the meeting of No. 1 committee of the city council held Wednesday afternoon Ald. P. J. Watt amused those present with the following:

"Tuesday when I was down at Port Stanley my heart went out to a woman."

with a whole tribe of children clinging to her on the warm day, and I asked: "Lady, is this a kindergarten picnic, or are they all your own?" "They are all my own, and it is no picnic!" she replied.

Needless to say, members of No. 1 committee and the reporters present enjoyed a good laugh at the humor of Ald. Watt and the woman in the case.

DEATH WAS ACCIDENTAL.

BRANTFORD, July 13.—A verdict of accidental death was brought in by the coroner's jury at the inquest into the death of George Gee. Gee was killed on Saturday when his motor car was struck by a train at a level crossing.

Coroner Finette recommended that bumpers be placed on roads leading to railway crossings as a warning to motorists.

Pumps and Ties, \$1.98
Latest style, worth \$5.

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Bristol Essery
Coal and Wood
630 Maitland Street. Phone 1089.
First Quality Coal and Wood.
Prompt delivery. ywt

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Two Doors East of Majestic. ywt

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PLEASE NOTE
THIS OFFICE WILL CLOSE SATURDAY NIGHTS DURING JULY AND AUGUST.
Openings will be resumed 3rd September. ywt

MARVELOUS BARGAINS AT THE BIG ROYAL REBUILDING SALE

Millinery, Dresses, Furs

The big addition at the rear of our store is completed. Carpenters, painters and paperhangers are now waiting to get into the main store. You know that dust and paint will absolutely spoil Millinery and Furs, so we must clean our stock to a minimum. New shipments of Millinery and Dresses have just arrived, as well as a shipment of Furs and Fur Coats, which the manufacturer sent to us too early. They must go even at a big sacrifice. You gain, because we must have the room, so get in early and save money. This sale starts today, and we want to impress it upon your mind that you will have only yourself to blame if you do not attend this sale early.

Summer Dresses

Only 18 Organdy and Voile Dresses in the newest summer shades and styles. regularly sold at \$15.00. We must have the room. Out they will go at **\$5.75**

Fur Piece Specials

SEAL SHAWLS.
72 inches long. Makes beautiful summer, early fall or winter fur. Will sell next fall for \$40. Now on sale **\$24.50**

ISABELLA FOX AND WOLF SCARFS.
In the new animal shape styles. Makes a beautiful neckpiece. Will sell this fall at \$65. Now on sale at **\$45**

Beautiful Silk Dresses

Taffeta, crepe de chine, charmeuse, canton crepe and georgette, which must positively be cleared out before any work is started. This is our first season in dresses, and these are all of the latest styles and materials. If it were not for the dust and dirt that is made in building we positively would not sell them at these prices. There are only 42 in the lot, and they will not last long. We must have the room, and out they will go at

\$12.75, \$19.50, \$24.50 and \$29.50

Beautiful Tailored Milans

Only 45 left. They make a beautiful and serviceable hat. To clear at **\$2.85**

Transparent Hats

28 only, beautifully trimmed Transparent Hats. Reg. up to \$8. To clear **\$3.95**

Taffeta and Satin Hats

Just received, in the newest of styles and shapes. Regular up to \$12. Your choice of any. **\$3.95 AND \$4.95**

The Biggest Bargain of the Lot

Walk in and pick out any one of our high-class Hand-Made Hats of georgette, leghorn, transparent with jet crowns, and finest of Italian milans. Remember these are the best in the store and sell for \$15. On sale **\$6.95**

Kiddies' and Misses' Milans Now Selling at Half Price

BIG FUR COAT BARGAINS

French Seal Coat
Self collar and cuffs. This coat will sell this fall at \$160. We must have the room. Out it will go at **\$85**

French Seal Coat
Opossum collar and cuffs. This coat will sell this fall for \$185. To the first wise buyer .. **\$95**

Hudson Seal Coats
Finest of skins, trimmed with beautiful sable or beaver collar and cuffs. Will sell this fall from \$385 to \$450. The first ones here get them for **\$285**



Coney Fur Coat
Self trimmed, latest style. Will sell this fall for \$95. The first one here gets it for **\$49**

Finest French Seal Coat
Trimmed with large collar and cuffs of finest sable, beautifully lined and well made. Will sell this fall for \$250. The first one here gets it for .. **\$147**

Finest French Seal Coat
Trimmed with large collar and cuffs of finest beaver and beautifully lined. Will sell this fall for \$250. First here gets it for **\$147**

Chokers and Scarfs

In opossum, brown fox, black fox and French seal. Only 14 of these. They make a beautiful fur for summer or early fall. All to be cleared out at **\$5.75**

Many other Fur Coats and Fur Pieces on sale not listed here, and if you are thinking of buying a Fur or Coat this fall we would advise you to buy during this Rebuilding Sale.

Big Millinery Specials

5 dozen Hats, in Panamas, Kiddies' Milans and Colored and Dark Hats, all to go at .. **50c**

Ribbon Hats

Two dozen beautiful Ribbon Hats, in different styles; the newest hat being shown. On sale **\$3.95**



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