

PIPING FALLS, HITS FIREMAN

Struck by a ten-foot piece of iron piping which rolled off the roof at the rear of 73 Isabella Street yesterday, Fireman John Weir, 37, of 307 Kingsmount Park Road, was knocked unconscious and fell fifteen feet from the ladder which he was climbing to the roof. The pipe struck him on the nose, opening an inch-long gash.

Weir was taken to Wellesley Hospital, where it was found his injuries were not serious.

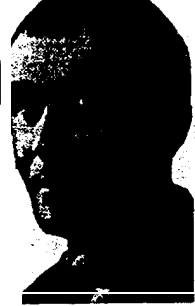
Trucks from Yorkville Avenue and Grosvenor Street fire halls were called to the Isabella Street address to quench a roof fire believed started by a cigaret butt. Two of Weir's mates had already climbed onto the roof, and Weir was following when the pipe was dislodged.

District Chief McKnight estimated the damage to the house, which is occupied by E. J. Marsh, at \$50.

SEES PALESTINE JEWISH HAVEN

Palestine can immediately do more for Jewish immigration than any other country in the world, Dr. Michael Traub, Zionist leader and member of the Actions Committee in London, said last night when he addressed the opening rally of the United Palestine Appeal at the Royal York Hotel.

The campaign, headed by Rabbi Samuel Sachs and David Dunkelman, co-chairmen, will continue until May 14 for the purpose of raising a quota of \$35,000 for the purchase of land and colonization in Palestine.



Dr. Traub.

"We cannot believe the government expected the Jewish people to accept as the basis for discussion, such proposals as those which involved a repudiation of British pledges," Dr. Traub said. "It would mean forcing the Jews into a Jewish ghetto in their homeland. The British Government and the public opinion of this country," he added "must know that the Jews will be no party to a scheme which destroys their last hope."

Dr. Traub stated the struggle of the Jewish people in Palestine was part of the struggle of the democratic world "against violence and terrorism and for the maintenance of international obligations."

HOMUTH RAPS FOREIGN POLICY

Prime Minister Mackenzie King failed to act in the best interests of Canada when he did not take the Leader of the Opposition into his confidence during the recent international crisis, declared Karl K. Homuth, M.P. (South Waterloo), at the annual meeting of the South York Conservative Riding Association, in Vaughan Road Collegiate on Saturday.

A. D. Mackenzie was re-elected president of the association for another year. Other officers included William Graham, Mrs. Roy Robinson, Mrs. Charles Langford and Mrs. Thomas West, vice-presidents; William Stevenson, secretary, and Alfred Willson, treasurer.