AGAINST MASSACRE

KURDS REVOLTED

YORK COUNTY SUBURBS

COUNTY REFUSES AIRPLANE GRANT Professor G. M. Wrong Discusses Matter

Motion in Council to Spend Nine Thousand on One is Lost.

AGAINST MORE SPEED

Legislators Also Make Protest Against Proposal to Increase Speed Limit.

The closing meeting of this session of the county council was held on Saturday in the York County buildings. P. W. Pearson of Newmarket was appointed auditor for the criminal justice

The finance committee brought in endation that the county council purchase an airplane, costing \$9000, the same to be presented to the Royal Flying Corps. After discussion by the council

orps. After discussion by the council of committee of the whole, the recommendation was voted down.

To increase Speed.

Discussion of the proposed legislation of the proposed legislation of the Ontario Government to increase the peed limit of motor vehicles to 30 miles rought out a strong resolution against uch legislation, the council being of the pinion that the present rate was speedy nough. nough.

The auditor, R. C. Jennings, presented report on the year's accounts of the ighways commission treasurer, which

was passed.

Petition Legislature.

A resolution was brought in to petition the Ontario Legislature to grant the statutary amounts for the maintenance of public highways, and that the legislature be shown that the County of York spent \$156,344.34,on public highways.

A motion was unanimously passed thanking Fred Miller for the cut flowers with which he so generously decorated the council chamber during the session.

FOR FLYING MEN

Mrs. Charles Beatty Gives Another House to Be Used as Convalescent Home.

Mrs. Charles Beatty, who some time ago turned over her handsome and commodious residence. "Longwood," at York Mills, to the military authorities for a convalescent home for the Royal Aviation Corps, has again tendered another one within a short distance of "Longwood" to be used for the same purpose Mrs. Beatty's latest gift will be known as the Longwood annex and will accommodate 25 convalescent airmen and will be ready in about ten days.

BLESSING OF THROATS.

Yesterday, in all Catholic churches throut Toronto, was commemorated the Feast of St. Blase, when the ceremony of blessing the throats of the people is performed. Large congregations were present at St. Clare's Church, Earlscourt, and St. Clement's Italian Church, when the ceremony took please are and at the ceremony took please are and at the ceremony took please are as and at the ceremony took please are as a constant of the motorman in applying the brakes was responsible for the fact that many were not killed, as the car would have turned over the bank, which at that point is took please after mass and at the ceremony than the ceremony that ceremony the ceremony the ceremony that took place after mass, and at the eve- high rate of speed.

TRUCK CAUGHT FIRE.

About 7.30 Saturday morning, while driver for the Canada Bread Co. cult the passage of a motor car or any heavily loaded vehicle. There is anywhere from six to twelve inches of fine is thought, thru a defective wire a Earlscourt fire department was ckly summoned and extinguished fire with the chemical apparatus. Additionally apparatus, a damage is estimated at \$25. was delivering bread on Nairn avenue, Earlscourt, the front portion of the truck burst into flames, caused, it is thought, thru a defective wire. The Earlscourt fire department was quickly summoned and extinguished The damage is estimated at \$25.

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in their consultations at Paris, have

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* WAR SUMMARY *

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

found no approximation to their peace sures on the Russian Bolsheviki, where

terms in the speeches of the German they become known, will be to widen imperial chancellor and the Austrian the breach between them and the Ger-

toreign minister, and consequently man negotiators for peace still further will continue the vigorous prosecution of the campaign until they

secution of the campaign until they tary punishment, the Russian Bol-

their war policy this year as agreed negotiations admit the accomplish-

general distress in German cities and In Palestine the British under Gen-

have held out longer than they ever the same sort of operations are pro-held out before and one of their strike ceeding. On the Italian front British

committees has decided to order out again a number of employes who returned to work in the Hamburg shipyards. The German military camers

PATRONAGE SYSTEM

THE GREATEST EVIL

untry is the patronage system which as cut political freedom to the heart and must be eliminated root and branch," said Professor G. M. Wrong, flirector of the department of history, Toronto University, in a deeply interesting address delivered at the Men's Own Brotherhood meeting in Central Methodist Church, Asot avenue, Earlscourt, yesterday afternoon. The speaker pointed out that 25 per cent. of all money paid out by the government in the past was spent to keep up the patronage system, which he traced down from the earliest times. He quoted many instances of the unfairness of the system. irness of the system.
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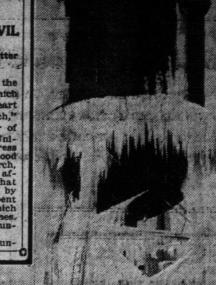
CAR LEFT TRACKS

Many week-end passengers had a mir-

culour escape from death when a southhound Richmond Hill Metropolitan car left the rails in the Mount Pleasant

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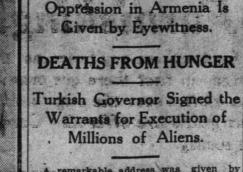
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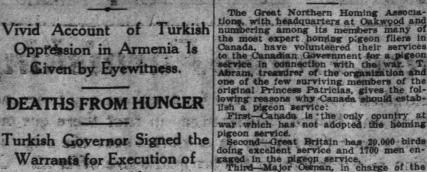












PROTEST TO BOARD.

East Toronto and the Danforth aven

CANADA SHOULD HAVE GOOD PIGEON SERVICE

Fourth—I have fifty birds which have flown 500 miles and upwards in one day which are at the government service if requested.

HAMILTON NEWS

ESCAPING GAS KILLS THREE MEN

Austrians Found Dead in Their Rooms at Hamilton.

as. at the rear of 331 North John street about six o'clock tonight. Peter Onicevick, who occupies the front part of the small frame house at that address, on returning with his family from spending the day with relatives, detected a very strong odor of escaping gas and summoned Constable Gravelle. The officer broke open the door, which was locked, and found in the front room an open gas plate, from which unburned gas was escaping, and Borocvich lying dead on a bed, with the lifeless body of Korosky lying across him, while in an adjoining room Wookalle was found dead also.

The bodies of the three foreigners were

The bodies of the three foreigners were paritally frozen, showing that they had been dead for some time.

It is thought that they left the gas plate burning when they retired Saturday

drill season and in spite of the fac of the draft act having come into for it is likely that most, if not all, the militia units will resume regula weekly drills and parades as in other ears. Some of the regiments a clined to make no plans until son definite word about resuming drawnes from the Ottawa militia depar nt, while the others see no rea

The 9th Mississauga Horse, Lieut.-Col. John H. Moss, commander, has made no change in its drill program. Its commander says: "I see no reason why we should not carry our or

Lieut.-Col. C. W. Darlin, com-mander of the 48th Highlanders, which unit called in the uniforms of its mem-bers last fall, said the Highlanders' bers last fall, said the Highlanders organization was in shape. "It all depends upon the militia department," he declared. "Most of our men who were eligible, have gone. They are mostly older men who are left. We won't be drilling this spring unless the department gives us some definite The Queen's Own Rifles Regime

plans yet,
"The 109th Regiment," states Lieut.
Col. W. S. Dinnick, commander, "expects to resume its regular weekly parades when the weather conditions become favorable in the spring." The 109th is now carrying on a training class, one for n.c.o.'s, and also a "re-fresher" course for qualified officers esher" course for qualified officers ome officers from the 110th Iris

UNIVERSITY MEN WIN

Many Varsity Graduates Bring Honor to the Blue and White—Col.
Sharpe, D.S.O

T. H. E. DAVIES

PRISONER IN GERMANY

The Aviator Had Been Missing Since the Middle of January.

The Lieutenant Harold E. Davies, Mr. J. E. Davies, 272 Poplar Plains

Lieut.-Col. L. E. Jones, D.S.O., Can. Inf., B.S.A., 1911; Major K. H. McCrimmon, D.S.O., Can. Inf., U.C., 1912, M.B. (McG.); Major J. A. Morphy, D.S.O., Can. Ploneers, B.A. Sc., 1912; Capt. E. F. Coke, Can. Inf., B.S.A., 1909; Lieut. W. H. King, D.S.O., Can. Inf., B.A. (U) 1910; Lieut.-Col. H. J. Dawson D.S.O., Can. Inf., B.A. (U) 1988, M.A.; Major K. A. Mahaffy, D.S.O., M.C. Lieut.-Col. L. E. Jones, D.S.O., Can son of J. E. Davies, 272 Poplar Plains Major K. A. Mahaffy, D.S.O., M.C. Can. Inf., B.A. (U) 1898, M.A. (Can. Inf., B.A. (U) 1915; Lieut.-Co. who enlisted with the R. N. A. S. in April, 1917, has been m i s s i n g since January 13 of this year. Lt. Davies was transferred to the Royal Flying Corps in England. His father received a cable from h i m yesterday

Can. Inf., B.A. (U) 1915; Lieut.-Col. M.C. (U) 1906, LL.B., 1909; Capt. L. C. (U) 1906, LL.B., 1909; Capt. L. C. (U) 1910, Major A. D. Wilson, D.S.O., Can. Inf. B.A. (U) 1904, LL.B.; Lieut. F. K. Heywood, M. Gun Corps, Vic. Coll. 1917; Major W. N. Moorhouse, M.G. (Corps, App. Sc., 1904; Lieut.-Col. F. F. Clarke, D.S.O., Can. Ry. Troops, B.A. Sc., 1906, staff; Major J. H. Thornley, D.S.O., Can. Ry. Troops, B.A. Sc., 1906; Major K. H. McDougall, Can. Forestry Corps U.C., 1913; Major D. J. Cochrane C.A.M.C., M.B., 1904; Lieut.-Col. J. E.

BABY DIES OF BURNS.

Reisa Delillo, a baby, one year old, was so severely burned when her clothing caught fire while playing around a kitchen stove on Saturday afternoon that she died at a late hour on Saturday. on Saturday night at the Hospital for



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FALLS INTO WELL Rev. F. Crossley Hunter occupied the chair and there was a large attendance. AND IS DROWNED

Many of the women who went to Major Kilgour's Sunnybrook Farm on Saturday were interested in this water tower, which was en-cased in ice.

Motorman Applied Brakes and So Avert. Edwin Smith of Milliken's Corners Meets a Tragic Death.

WAS FEEDING STOCK

responsible for the fact that many were Slipped on Ice When He Removed Covering to Get

The condition of "Gallows Hill," just north of the C. P. R. subway on Yonge street, is such as to render very difficult the passage of a motor car or any heavily loaded vehicle. There is any-The funeral of the late Edwin Smith of Milliken's Corners, who met a tragic death on his father's farm, was held on Saturday afternoon to Agincourt Cemetery, the funeral being one of the largest seen in that district in a long while. Mr. Smith, who was 30 years of age and unmarried, was in company with his brother feeding the stock at the barn and went alone to the well, a short distance away, to draw some water.

The well was without a pump, and in removing a board from the covering the young man in some way slipped in and was drowned. There was about eight feet of water in the well, and when his absence was noted assistance was at once procured and the body removed, but all attempts at resuscitation were unavailing, the body having been in the well The supreme war council of the have arrested some of the men's lead-about two hours. The family five allies, according to a London official ers, including a deputy to the reichsallies, according to a London official statement, has come to unanimous agreement vigorously to prosecute the by court-martial on charges of high treason, and as many other capital of the bull treason. Milliken's Corners and were removing war until the enemy cries, "Hold, fences as they can contrive against young man is survived by his father, mother and two brothers, one of the latter at home and the other in the

SMALL DELIVERIES ADD TO COST OF COAL

Repeat Orders Are Sequence of Inability to Deliver Only a Little at One Time. obtain a peace based on principles of freedom and justice and respect for international law. In other words,

The long continued steady cold weatheir war policy this year as agreed upon, calls for a continuance of an active offensive. This means that they will not wait for the Germans to attack them, but will proceed to attack the Germans.

The strike of German workmen became serious in Berlin for one day, when mobs virtually controlled the city. The strikers appear to have returned to work in some districts, while in other districts, like the Rhenish Westphalian coal fields, they have received increases to their numbers. The strike has lasted sufficiently long to disorganize production. Idleness in the coal fields, even for a few days, is bound to increase further the coal admit the accomplishment of the accomplishment of nothing. Trotzky and the other accomplishment of nothing. Trotzky and the other accomplishment of nothing. Trotzky and the other Bolshevik delegates spent the day in wrangling with the Ukrainian and Finnish delegates over the rights of these Ukrainians and Finns to participate in the pourpariers. Trotzky then on news of the tumult in Swetch the conference for Helsing-fors to organize the social revolutionaries. The government forces of Finland, however, are still having the best of the fighting outside of Helsing-fors and have cut off a force of Red Guards at Uleaburg. The Russians are reported to be sending a revolutionary army to Finland to assistatory to either the coal dealer or consumer, he added.

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content will continue to grow. The restlessness in Germany even extend.

wards Sheik Abdulla, a mile nortneast to take the services yesterday, which restlessness in Germany even extend. restlessness in Germany even extended to Trieste, where shippyard employes went out, but later on assurances from the authorities they restances from the authorities they restance from the authorities they restance from the authorities they restance from the authorities from the authorities they restance from the authorities from the authorities

VICTORIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

In Germany the military chiefs who have assumed control of affairs are endeavoring by threats of drafting the makeontents in the army and of sentencing them to death by court martial to compel the strikers to return to work today. German commandants have charged that the present movement owes its origin to anarchist agitation as in Russia and is a deliberate attempt to make Germany another Russia. They accuse the allies of attempt to make Germany another Russia. They accuse the allies of fostering the strikes. The workmen they are they are the strikes. The workmen they are the strikes are pro-

PATRIOTIC W.C.T.U. SALE.

Under the auspices of the West To-ronto branch of the W.C.T.U. a patriotic sale of home-made candy was held at 2860 Dundas street Saturday afternoon and evening, when a substantial amount was realized, which will be devoted to the supplying of comforts to the soldiers.

This photograph shows some of the women being shown the good qualities of a Holstein cow.

wood, yesterday. Miss Butterfield, who has returned after eight years' mission-ary work in the Holy Land, spoke of the terrible starvation and the number of deaths of which she was an eyewitness of in the City of Jerusalem.

"It was a common sight to see little foldering of the supported at the board of deaths of which she was an eyewitness of in the City of Jerusalem.

"It was a common sight to see little foldering on Thursday night. The trouble is over the proposed fransfer of a primary class from Collegan Avenue. This is to make period and related the special proposed fransfer of a primary class from Collegan Avenue. This is to make period with hunger, until they are the special proposed fransfer of a primary class from Collegan Avenue. This is to make period with the papers are not half as bad as what has actually happened among those unfortunate people," said the speaker, "The relief ship from the damong those unfortunate people," said the speaker, "The relief ship from the last wood of the supported at the measure of the common sight to see it in the contract the speaker, "The relief ship from the last wood of the support of the support of the strict trustees declare that to ask young children to tramp thru snow a period was person who got a little sugar, which had also been killed

reached the ocean, eventually arriving in America.

As the result of an earnest appeal by Rev. W. A. MacTaggart, a sum of \$135, was subscribed for the sufferers in the Holy Land by the children of the Sunday school. A special offering for the local Red Cross amounted to \$65, the total contributions by the church yesterday reaching a total of \$366.

HOW TO RAISE POULTRY. North Toronto Association Hears Ad-

The first monthly meeting of the North Toronto Poultry Association was held in the Orange Hall, Stop 16, Metropolitan Railway, on Friday, with the president, C. K. Burdin, in the chair. If good attendance and enthusiasm predict a successful future, the prosperity of the North Toronto assonation ought to be assured It has about 70 members on the roll and live-iy and instructive addresses were giv-en on Friday night by Messrs, Northey and Bickle

The subject of Mr. Northey's address was "Feeding for Fertility and Eggs," when he brought out the following good points. Cleanliness, which costs nothing; fresh air, at the same price; exercise, which costs the price of straw for litten and emphasized the importance of careful feeding which tories. Thus the German misery will be intensified instead of diminishing or remaining stationary, and the discordance of careful feeding which have pushed their patrols forward to-make the make the cubation, natural and artificial.

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Newmarket Town Council Has Quantity of Cordwood to Sell

Alarmed at the growing scarcity of hard coal in Newmarket, the town coun-Alarmed at the growing scarcity of hard coal in Newmarket, the town council a short time ago wired an order to a northern point for 100 cords of wood (beech and maple), which has now arrived and is being sold out in small quantities (half and quarter-cord lots) to those really in need. The wood was bought at a price which will enable the town to resell it without loss at \$13.50 a cord. The shipment is a mixed one of green and dry, and is eagerly snapped up at the price. The coal scarcity, already great, will be much intensified by the fact that the fuel controller is said to have switched several cars consigned to Newmarket to other points where the sheed was thought to be even greater.

TORONTO FAIRLY WARM.

Prince Albert, Sask, yesterday registered 46 below zero; during that time Toronto was warm, with a temperature ranging between 22 above and 14 above. Saskatoon registered 28 below; Moose Jaw, 29 below, and Winnipeg 30 below, and that cold wave is rapidly spreading into and thru Ontario.

"Cold weather will remain with us for a day or two," said the weather observer, "rut no high wind or really bad weather is in sight as yet."

in the county or district plan of organization by the various branches in the province were interesting facts reported by Provincial Secretary Turley at Saturday afternoon's meeting of the provincial executive of the G. W. V. A., held at Carlton street club The executive decided to hold its

next annual provincial convention at Hamilton on May 23, 24, 25. Fifty-four branches have been organized thruout the province, the last of these being organized at Grimsby last Thursday night.
Those who attended the

were: President, Capt. C. E. Jeakins of Brantford; first vice-president, Major K. E. C. MacPherson of Otta-Major K. E. C. MacPherson of Otta-wa; secretary, W. E. Turley, and as-sistant secretary, F. G. Pratt of To-ronto; acting Dominion president, J. J. Shanahan; D. D. Shore of Toronto, J. Zivian of Ottawa, R. Dawson of Hamilton and Chas. Norris of Strat-

HARVARD BUILDING BURNED.

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 3.—Dane Hall, one of the oldest buildings of the quadrangle in the Harvard yard, was burned today. Thirty thousand rounds of ammunition in the basealso sayed

PICKED UP IN LANE.

Willby Pafcon, 156 Mutual street, was admitted to St. Michael's Hospital

ward and sided until he was just soon feet above land and had no prospect but to land in German territory. For-tunately, however, his engine picked up, and he finally landed in Belgium. Lieut. Ralph Carroll, 83 Wes Charles street, a cousin, is at ho leave and is returning to the front

BLOODSHED IN STRIKE

Three St. Louis Strikers Shot, and Police Arrest 30 I.W.W. Men. St. Louis, Feb. 3.-Three strikers

were shot and wounded in the riot-ing tonight. The strikers' demands include absolute unionization of the company's employes and an increase was admitted to St. Michael's Hospital in wages as well as reduction in hours late Saturday night suffering from severe bruises. He was picked up in a lane, where he is thought to have been beaten by thugs. His condition is serious.

TORONTO ESLOYA WITTENDED the strike.

APPOINTED RECTOR AT BRANT FORD.

Special to The Toronto World. Brantford, Feb. 2. Rev. G. Latimer, formerly rector of Trinity Church in this city, who has of lat teen doing special work at Bishop Ridley College, St. Catharines, has been appointed rector of St. Matthews Church, Londan The appointment has been approved by the Bishop of Huron.

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Regiment, the 12th York Rangers and the Queen's Own Rifles are among those attending the latter course.

HONORS AT THE FRONT

In addition to the list already published, the following graduates of the University of Toronto have been men-University of Toronto have been mentioned in despatches:

Oapt. C. A. Lawrence, C.F.A., B. S.A., 1903; Major E. L. McColl, C. F. A., B.A., (U) 1915; Lieut. W. R. Skey, M.C., C.F.A., U.C. 1918, Wycl.; Bdr. G. T. Spriggs, C.F.A., U.C. 1909; Wycl.; Major G. A. Cline, D.S.O., C. E., B.A. (V) 1909, M.A., Ed. 1911, staff. Lieut. R. D. Hague, C.E., App. Sc., at Sunnybrook Farm. This instruction will go on until April, a party going to the farm every Saturday.

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