RESPONSIBILITY TO REST UPON CANADA

"No Nation Confronts More Beneficent Future," Said Rev. W. A. Cameron.

AT THE EMPIRE CLUB

Movement Launched at the Annual Meeting to Rouse Interest.

Launching a movement having as its object the awakening of active interest on the part of the younger members of the organization and their election to office, the Empire Club, with sixty members present, held its annual general meeting and luncheon at the Cafe Royal, King street, last night, and discussed tentative means of accomplishing this purpose.

Vice-President W. B. Tindale suggested a revision of the constitution insofar as it affected the election of officers as one means. After brief discussion definite action was postponed until the fall session. Tindale was of the opinion that members should not be named for office by the nominating committee without their consent. He advocated greater liberties of speech being extended younger and new members and other members arose to concur in this view.

The principal speaker was Capt. Rev. W. A. Cameron, who, in his address on "Canada and Empire After Twenty Months of War," declared that the only peace worthy of such a war as Great Britain is involved must include the following:

The Only Peace.

"The destruction of Germany's military machine. The restoration of Belgium. The return of Alsace-Lorraine to French control. The independence of Poland, and the exclusion from Europe of the 'unspeakable' Turk."

"No nation confronts a more beneficent future than Canada," he said, "and since there is nothing new beneath the sun except the United States of Great Britain, great responsibility rests upon Canada as the chief state of the empire. But she will only prosper as she lives righteously, and the goal of her history will be reached only when the Redeemer becomes King of Kings.

"There are three requisites in this war. First, a proper sense of perspective; second, a limitless stock of patience, and third, an overflowing reservoir of active and passive courage. Great Britain is manifesting them all in her fight for the peace and liberty of the world."

Appealed for Harmony.

His remarks were frequently applauded, and other speakers were given similar ovations. Before he concluded Capt. Cameron lauded Kitchener, Jellicoe and Haig.

President Albert Ham, who presided, appealed for closer harmony in the club.

Other speakers were R. S. Neville, who responded to a toast for the Veterans of 1866, and John Creighton, who, in his reply, spoke generally on the unity of the empire in the war.

Two resolutions were passed. The first embodied the congratulations of the club upon the distinguished success of Gen. M. S. Mercer, former vice-president of the club, in overseas service, and the other offered members of the club as speakers for recruiting and other patriotic purposes.

Secretary's Report.

The report of Edward Wodson, secretary-treasurer, showed that the total number of fully-paid up members was 511, including 26 in overseas service, 27 life members and 11 newly-elected life members. The total expenditures were $1919.41 and cash on hand is $275.16. The amount of $425 was paid to the Citizens' Recruiting League.

J. B. Perry was named president and the following other officers selected for the 1916-1917 season: First vice-president, W. B. Tindale; second vice-president, Norman Sommerville; third vice-president, Fred J. Coombs; secretary-treasurer, Edward Wodson; executive committee, William Brooks, C. H. Ellston, A. Roy Macdougal, Dr. T. Shaw Webster, J. Murray Clarke, M. S. Shields, A. E. Donovan, William Craig, F. S. Coombs, Frank Maclean, Rev. Alfred Hall and J. S. Roaf.

Enthusiasm marked the meeting, the program of which included several quartet songs.

WILLIAM BLEVINS MET HIS DEATH BY ACCIDENT

Coroner Dr. Rickard last night conducted an inquest at Mimico into the death of William Blevins, the Grand Trunk employe, who met his death on the night of Wednesday, April 27, while walking on the Toronto-Mimico Suburban line by being struck by a car. The accident occurred about 9 o'clock in the evening. A number of witnesses were examined, and a verdict of accidental death was returned.

HAMILTON NEWS

The Hamilton Office of The Toronto World is now located at 40 South McNab Street.

NEED ELEVEN HUNDRED TO FILL BATTALIONS

Hamilton Statistics Show That Units There Are in Great Need of Men.

CAPT. McNAIR KILLED

Former Hamilton Man Enlisted at Biggar, Sask.—Three Other Casualties.

HAMILTON, Friday, May 5.—Statistics issued by the chief recruiting officer yesterday gave the information that 1100 men are needed to complete the different battalions that are recruiting in the city. This is a small figure in comparison with the number of recruits already obtained, but at the present daily average, two months will pass before the battalions are up to their full strength.

The Canadian Mounted Rifles are making a special effort to secure at least 50 Hamilton men for the mounted service. While this unit has secured many men in outside points, the boys of Hamilton have not been coming forward as quick as was expected. This is the only mounted regiment in Canada, and as it is constantly sending drafts overseas it should appeal to the men who are anxious to get to the front quickly.

Word was received here last night that Capt. George McNair had been killed in the same engagement with Maj. Norman Leckie and Lieut. Herbert Daw. Capt. McNair was a well-known Hamilton man, and for a number of years was chief clerk at the local Grand Trunk freight office. Three years ago he accepted a position with the G.T.P. at Biggar, Saskatchewan, and enlisted there, joining his battalion in Toronto. He leaves a wife and three small children.

Mrs. Charles Edward Foster, 258 London avenue, this city, received an official telegram, stating that her husband, Pte. Foster, was in the British Red Cross Hospital at Etaples, suffering from gunshot wounds in the thigh.

Private Harry Crabtree is also reported to be in the hospital, suffering from shell shock.

Pte. John Thornton, 191 Queen street, was reported killed in action. He enlisted in this city in January, 1915, but was transferred to the 1st Canadian Division.

A strong plea was made by Dr. Carr last night at a meeting of the internal management committee of the board of education that the health of the children at the schools be looked after. The question of feeble-minded children was also taken up, and Inspector Gill was instructed to report as to the advisability of having them all attend one school where special care could be given.

After being in session for three days, the annual meeting of the Niagara Diocesan Board of Women's Auxiliary was brought to a close yesterday. Mrs. T. E. Leather was elected president for the coming year.

The offer of Barton township to grant $600 toward the construction of the new roadway to the Mountain Sanatarium was accepted, and the city will pay the remainder of the cost.

An unknown woman was found in an unconscious condition at the corner of King street and Victoria avenue yesterday afternoon. When taken to the city hospital a card bearing the name of Oscar Blatloop was found on her person. At a late hour last night she had not regained consciousness.

The official investigation of the working conditions that exist in munition plants here was concluded yesterday. The evidence obtained during the three days of the inquiry will be compiled and forwarded to the department of labor at Ottawa.

Today the members of the board will make an inspection of the local plants for the purpose of viewing the actual conditions of the workers.

WOODSTOCK INSPECTION POSTPONED.

WOODSTOCK, May 4.—The big military parade of the 168th Battalion, arranged for Saturday, has been postponed for one week. Lieut.-Col. McMullen received word from military headquarters at London, refusing to grant transportation to Woodstock of the companies stationed at Ingersoll and Tillsonburg. They will come by foot, and the same program as previously arranged will be carried out.

WAR SUMMARY

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

(Continued from Page 1).

"We are officially informed that the exaggeration and misstatements in this report are of the usual kind."

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Fighting on the British front in Flanders still consists of bombing attacks, explosion of mines, air raids and cannonading, according to the official report of Sir Douglas Haig last night. There were one or two small offensives. British and French artillery co-operated with good effect at Pilkelm.

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About the only event worth noting on the French front yesterday was the stoppage by a barrier of fire of a feeble attack of the Germans on one of the trenches which the French had captured at Le Mort Homme. The French artillery engaged in a violent bombardment with the Germans in the region of Hill 304. In Belgium, French shell-fire destroyed German works on the Grand Dune and caused the explosion of a depot of munitions.

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In praising General Townshend for his gallant defence of Kut-el-Amara, Earl Kitchener, speaking in the house of lords yesterday, said that the surrender was made only as a result of starvation and that adverse elements alone denied success to the relief force. The floods had made staurning movement impossible and had therefore compelled the British relieving force to attack the Turks upon an impossibly narrow front. The dispositions for the defence of Kut-el-Amara were such that the Turks, tho numerically superior, were unable to penetrate the line of General Townshend.

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Weather conditions in Armenia are now such as to preclude active Russian operations against Baiburt and Erzinjan, excepting the capture of a series of trenches now and then. The Russians reported yesterday that they had beaten off Turkish attacks on both these wings. Nothing further has been announced by the Russian war office concerning the operations west of Trebizond, but as the Turks speak of submarine attacks on Russian ships laden with troops and supplies, it is supposed that the Grand Duke Nicholas is amassing a fresh army at this port for the coming campaign.

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Amsterdam hears that Metz is being evacuated by its civil population. Metz is a great entrenched camp, and it admirably served the Germans as a base for their operations against Verdun. Of late French airships and aeroplanes have been dropping bombs pretty frequently on the Sablons station in the purlieus of Metz. The evacuation can be explained in several ways. It may imply that the Germans suspect espionage, or that they desire to clear the city of civilians to avoid the danger from aerial torpedoes, or that they really expect that an allied attack upon Metz is coming in the near future.

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DONATIONS NEEDED FOR NEW HOSPITAL

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CHARITABLE WORK

Suffering Women Receive Medical Attention by Female Physicians.

Very few people in Toronto are aware that there is an institution in the city where women who are too poor to pay for medical services can be treated free by duly qualified physicians of their own sex.

Ten months ago a hospital was commenced at 125 Rusholme road by a number of public spirited men and women, which was to be maintained solely for poor people. Gradually the number of applicants has increased until the officials are unable to cope with the great number of women seeking medical attention from female physicians, and an appeal is being made to the citizens of Toronto to raise $120,000 for the establishment of a larger institution. This amount will provide for a hospital with 60 beds, of which 30 will be public ward beds. It will also pay off the debt on the present building, which will then be available for nurses' quarters.

The present building is absolutely inadequate to provide for the great number who seek attention, as it has only 22 beds in all. It has been recognized by the Ontario Government and the city council as a general hospital, and patients are sent there by the medical officer of health. There are 12 public ward beds in this little building on Rusholme road, and since the hospital was established no less than 199 patients have been accommodated. Since January it has been necessary to turn away 23 women who sought admission.

It is quite possible for women to obtain excellent treatment at other hospitals, but it is a well-known fact there are thousands of women who, in preference to confiding their troubles to strange physicians of the opposite sex at public clinics, will suffer for years in silence. It is for these people that the $120,000 is required. The hospital in Toronto is the only one in Canada where such treatment can be obtained.

The committee in charge of the campaign are confident that the amount asked for will be raised within a very short time, when the citizens know for what purpose the money is intended.

Those in charge of the campaign are: Ladv Eaton, Mrs. A. M. Huestis, Mrs A. O. Rutherford, Mrs. F. G. Clarke, Mrs. R. S. Wilson, Mrs. W. T. Harris, Mrs. F. H. Torrington, Miss Janet F. Anderson, Mrs. Plumptre, Dr. E. L. Skinner Gordon, Mrs. J. A. Withrow, Mrs. R. A. Biggs, Dr. Caroline Brown, Mrs. A. B. Fisher and Mrs. Arthur Peuchen. c.

"MARTYRDOM OF NURSE CAVELL" AT THE GAYETY

Film Drama of Immortal Sacrifice to Be Shown in Aid of Irish Battalion.

Beginning at noon on Monday next, the Gayety Theatre will be the centre of interest for the patriotic women of Toronto when the great photo-drama of supreme sacrifice, "The Martyrdom of Nurse Cavell," will be exhibited for the entire week, in aid of the field kitchen fund of Lt.-Col. Lennox's 208th Irish-Canadian Battalion. This great moving picture production portraying the most soul-stirring instance of female war heroism yet recorded, has been secured by Mrs. Ambrose J. Small for exhibition purposes, and the entire net proceeds are to be turned over to the battalion. Special arrangements are being made at the Gayety for the accommodation of women in large numbers all next week. Under Mrs. Small's direction the picture will be presented in such a manner that it will constitute one of the most vivid and striking demonstrations of female patriotism that Toronto has ever seen. Mrs. Small and a committee of women will operate the theatre. The ushers will be women. The no-smoking rule will be in force and everything necessary to enable every woman in Toronto to witness Nurse Cavell's immortal example will be done. Thousands of tickets have already been sold. Those who have seen the pictures at private exhibitions say that they are masterpieces of film portrayal only to be compared to the "Birth of a Nation" and "The Battle Cry of Peace" for realism and thrilling incident.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

INFANTRY.

Killed in action—406059, Richard Clausey, Brantford; 457890, John Cope, Montreal; A1280, Samuel Heather, Chatham, Ont.; 457345, David Webster, Montreal; 163558, George Cook, 57 Uxbridge avenue, Toronto; 406270, Joseph Franklin Curry, 215 Lottridge street, Hamilton; A6400, Ronald Flagg, North Head, N.B.; 21304, Reginald Leonard Foster, Winnipeg; 458038, Lance-Corp. Michael Gilligan, Montreal; 57114, Sergt. Walter Hubbard, 611 Brock avenue, Toronto; 406740, Albert George Hughes, 252 Emerald st. N., Hamilton; 420404, Douglas Hurrell, Port Arthur, Ont.; A6428, Everett Meredith Kirk, Fredericton, N.B.; 57088, Reginald Frank Knight, Simcoe, Ont.; 406755, Daniel Leishman, 367 Catharine street, Hamilton; 404911, Wm. Robert Paul, 1934 East Queen street, Toronto; 405387, Jos. Charles Porter, 414 East King street, Toronto; 42259, James Slinger, Clifford, Ont.; 418231, Andrew Sutherland, New Harris, N.S.; 406822, John Thornton, 191 North Queen street, Hamilton; 153695, Frederick Armados Varrin, Dacre, Ont.; 413429, George Waite, Coe Hill, Ont.; 430019, Trafton P. Woodland, Chelsea, Mass.

Died of wounds—54915, Harry Drinkwater, Galt; 477666, John Jos. Nearing, Halifax, N.S.; 22925, John Soutter, Laurent, Que.; 166097, Corp. Ernest Henry Sproule, London; 415621, Elizear Steel, Newfoundland.

Died—67037, George Lynch, Halifax, N.S.

Missing—467040, Thomas Buchanan, Scotland.

Dangerously ill—615040, Jos. Clermont, St. Jacques le Mineur, Que.

Wounded—401856, Withemell Forbes Bynum, Richmond, Va.; 192158, Wm. Cain, 34 Gilford street, Toronto; 412928, George Wm. Carter, 23 Northern Place, Toronto; 154414, Corp. Harry Dyson Donkersley, New Westminster; 406482, John Duff, Gladstone, Man.; 457963, Peter Alphonsus Forestall, Hampton Village, N. B.; 458629, Clyde H. Gill, Montreal; 171097, Charles Gray, Oxeden, Ont.; 59427, Wm. W. Harper, Cobourg, Ont.; 457060, Corp. Frank A. Hart, Montreal; 153597, Wm. Johnstone, Winnipeg; 89118, Gunner Kenneth D. McDonald, Carlyle, Sask.; 414263, Duncan McKay, Grand River, C.B.; 55248, Corp. Earl de Loss McNeely, Brooklin, Ont.; 405179, Herbert Baker, 113 Cambridge avenue, Toronto; 153358, Roy G. Barton, Winnipeg; 27169, Robert R. Branciere, 229 St. Clarens avenue, Toronto; 420137, Wm. Burnett, Winnipeg; 55243, Edward Cecil Maile, 162 Kew Beach, Toronto; 79593, Lance-Corp. Chas. Finlay Messick, Malden, Mass.; 406138, Albert Money, Cainville, Ont.; Lt. Elmer Morgan, Bear River, N.S.; 459610, Fergus Henry Pelletier, Salem, Mass.; 150202, Charles Perry, Winnipeg; 420966, Sergt. Harry Potts, Winnipeg; 473186, Alfred Frederick Reid, Cornwall, Ont.; 104704, Pioneer David Proudfoot, Reid, Ont.; 428284, Bertram Cecil Ruddock, Vancouver; 477800, Lance-Corp. Thomas Wm. Crussel, Lethbridge, Alta.; 420346, Dennis Ryan, Winnipeg; 73846, John Alex. Scott, Indian Head, Sask.; 72405, Charles Snyder, New York City; 435390, Walter Harold Stevenson, Newark, N.J.; 477900, James Sylvester, 116 Markham street, Toronto; 477916, Joshua Thomas, Newfoundland; 448234, Raoul Tremblay, Jonquiere, Que.; 414614, Edward Patrick Waller, Halifax; 68380, Willis Wareham, New Aberdeen, N.S.; 60106, Corp. Wm. L. York, Kingston, Ont.; 406435, Wm. Jn Young, St. Catharines, Ont.; 27313, Wm. George Bacon, 32 Frankish avenue, Toronto; Lieut. Charles F. Bailey, Hudson, Mass.; 478510, Dan John Campbell, Woodbine, N.S.; 457183, Albert Cassidy, Montreal; 488682, Pioneer Charles Henry Connolly, Halifax; 17211, Sergt. Powell Sheffield Crosby, 138 Roxboro street, Toronto; A16007, Frank Dumont, Montreal; 456313, Laurence Dwyer, Montreal; 420544, Herbert Elliott, Carman, Man.; 459517, Edward Ford, Montreal; 428609, Arthur Fowler, Vancouver; 458481, Co. Sergt.-Maj. Victor Fuller, Montreal; 548185, Arthur John Gittins, Montreal; 27634, Sergt. Fred Charles Gledhill, 815 Shaw street, Toronto; 46305, Thomas Harris Wilmot, N.S.; 66251, Thomas Harturs, England; 472263, Edward Wm. Higham, Saskatoon, Sask.; 67830, Lance-Corp. Clifford Hiltz, Kingsport, N.S.; 415450, Charles Holt, Sydney, N.S.; A15509, Colin Harry Horne, New Glasgow, N.S.; 6820, Clayton Knechtel, Southampton, Ont.; 430139, George Alexander Macdonald, Harrison, Ont.; 27237, Albert Edward Mackenzie, 185 East Queen street, Toronto; 67567, Dan A. McAskill, Glace Bay, N.S.; 458475, Lance-Corpl. George James Reay, Montreal; 412849, John Ronaldson, 7 Ridcau avenue, Toronto.

ENGINEERS.

Killed in action: 93, Corp. Geo. Houghton Davis, Gananoque, Ont.; 120, Lance-Corp. Harry Wm. Feggley, 430 Walmer road, Toronto.

Wounded: 476, Sapper Archibald R. Babbitt, Fredericton, N.B.; 76215, Sapper Henry Ford Berry, Gananoque, Ont.; 405039, Sapper Chas. Green, 62 Davenport road, Toronto; 439300, Sapper A. Kelly, Ireland; 505512, George Lowe, Lethbridge, Alb.; 430390, Sapper Andrew Parker Muir, Victoria.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

Killed in action: 415415, Wm. James Ryan, Halifax.

Wounded: 111530, C. J. Gill, Bridgetown, N.S.; 442489, Andrew Lorne Stuart, Vancouver.

ARTILLERY.

Died of wounds: 84134, Gunner Orman Thaddeus Gibbs, Guelph, Ont.

Wounded: 41428, Sgt.-Major Noah Elbridge Steeves, Gunningsville, N.B.

MEDICAL SERVICES.

Wounded: 92941, Cecil George Wyatt, Stratford, Ont.

THIRTEEN UNITS FOR NIAGARA CAMP

Distribution of Battalions for Summer Announced by Headquarters.

FIVE FOR TORONTO

Recruiting Dropped Yesterday Only Forty-Six Being Accepted.

The eagerly looked for announcement as to where the Toronto and Hamilton battalions will be distributed for the summer was given out by military headquarters yesterday afternoon, and shows that 13 regiments will be located at Niagara camp and five others at Exhibition Park, Toronto. These battalions will go to Niagara camp on the dates named: 134th Highlanders, May 16; 124th "Pals," May 18; 147th Grey County, May 19; 169th (109th Regt.), May 17; 123rd (Grenadiers), May 17; 98th Battalion Lincoln and Welland, May 18; 119th Battalion, North Ontario, May 20; 126th Peel County Battalion, May 19; the 127th York County, 173rd Highlanders (Hamilton), 120th (Hamilton), 116th Simcoe County, 125th (Brantford), Divisional Cyclists, Mounted Police and Army Service Corps will also go to Niagara, but the dates have not as yet been decided upon.

To Remain in Toronto.

The following units are to come to Exhibition camp when the other units leave for Niagara: 180th Sportsmen's, to government building, May 19th; 166th Q. O. R., to horticultural building, May 18th; 198th Buffs and 170th Mississaugas, to process building, and the 84th will take up quarters in the poultry building.

The Niagara camp is divided into eight areas. The units and the positions they will occupy at Niagara are as follows: No. 1 area, 134th and 173rd; No. 2 area, 116th; No. 3 area, 124th and 147th; No. 4 area, 125th; No. 5 area, 98th, 119th, 126th; Mississauga Horse area, 120th, 123rd, 169th; Caesar's camp, 127th; No. 6 area, Divisional Cyclists, A. S. C. Hospital and Military Police.

The headquarters staff will move from Toronto to Niagara on Saturday, May 13.

Over 1400 rejection buttons have been given out this week at the Toronto Recruiting Depot. Buttons issued yesterday totaled 125. From now on buttons will be given out every day except Sundays and Mondays.

Ninety-Four Volunteers.

Ninety-four Toronto men offered to enlist yesterday, 46 of them being accepted. The falling off as compared with Wednesday was due to the diversion caused by Kitchener Day.

The 208th (Irish-Canadian) Battalion carried off the recruiting honors yesterday, securing eight men, as compared with five each by the Beavers and Bantams, four by the Toronto Light Infantry and three by the Buffs. The battalion standings are now as follows:

Mississaugas	821
Buffs	817
Toronto Light Infantry	421
Beavers	771
Irish-Canadians	589
Bantams	495

Welcome to Battery.

The arrival in Toronto today of the 53rd Battery, Kingston, and the welcome to be tendered to the men composing it, will be a military event of much public interest. The battery will reach the Union Station at 11.50 a.m. and be met by the 12th Artillery Brigade, Lt.-Col. Odell, commander, and the 166th Q.O.R. Battalion band. All these units will escort the visiting artillerymen in a parade via Front, Bay, King, Church, Adelaide, Yonge and Queen streets to the city hall, where they will be welcomed by Mayor Church. The men of the 53rd Battery will be tendered a dinner at the Carls-Rite Hotel, and are to attend the performance at the Royal Alexandra Theatre.

On Saturday the 53rd Battery men will take part in athletic games at the Island Stadium, competing with the 12th Artillery Brigade and the Toronto University Battery.

Presentation of Colors.

The 10th Royal Grenadiers will parade at 2.15 p.m. on Sunday, May 7, and march to the University campus for the purpose of presenting the regimental colors to 123rd Battalion (C.E.F.), Royal Grenadiers. Last night the Grenadiers' Regiment paraded at the armories under Lt.-Col. T. Cooper Mason, D.S.O., and rehearsed the imposing color presentation ceremony. Lt.-Col. W. B. Kingsmill, O.C., of the 123rd Battalion, was present.

The 123rd Battalion on Saturday is holding an all-day athletic meet at Dufferin Park. All friends and relatives of the men are invited. Refreshments will be served.

To Inspect Mississauga Horse.

Brigadier-General W. A. Logie, commandant of the Toronto military district, will inspect the 9th Mississauga Horse at the armories next Thursday night, May 11. In preparation for this the 9th M.H. paraded over 400 strong last night under command of Lieut.-Col. J. H. Moss, O.C. The regiment practiced the march-past and presented a fine appearance. A route march, with brass and trumpet bands, was also held.

Artillery Practice.

Live shell artillery practice of the 48th and 54th Batteries featured the training activities at Exhibition camp yesterday. The targets were floating ones, placed 3000 yards distant in the lake. Two series of "indirect" rounds were fired by the 48th Battery, the shells being fired from behind the rifle butts, the obstruction preventing the gunners from seeing the targets. Lieut. H. W. Larkin acted as battery commander during the first series, and Lieut. G. Crowther during the second. Fifty per cent. of the shots were effective. In the afternoon the 54th Battery, under Capt. W. Henderson of Brantford, held live shell practice for the first time since starting its training. The firing was "direct."

From Detroit to Enlist.

R. Young of Detroit came to Toronto yesterday and endeavored to enlist, but was rejected, receiving A.R. Button No. 1313. He is a loyal Britisher, and it is a matter or regret to him that he could not get overseas.

A band concert will be given by the band of the 166th Q.O.R. Overseas Battalion between 12 noon and 1.30 today, at the front of the monument, foot of University avenue.

Fourth Pioneer Battalion.

The Fourth Pioneer Battalion, C.E.F., will shortly be mobilized at St. Andrews, N.B. Cooks are urgently required for "A" Co., which is being recruited in Toronto. Bandsmen are also in demand. There are still vacancies for men of good physique of the following trades: Carpenters, mechanics, engineers, contractors, construction foremen, railroad men, masons and general handy men. Those wishing to join should apply at once at the recruiting office at 215 Simcoe street.

TRIO OF SOCIALISTS JAILED IN SWEDEN

Editors Charged With Advising Strike if Sweden Gets Into War.

LONDON, May 3, 11.10 (Delayed.)—Three prominent Swedish Socialist editors, Messrs. Hoeglund, Oljelund and Hedon, were today sentenced respectively to three years, eighteen months and one year's imprisonment, according to a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Copenhagen.

Mr. Hoeglund is a prominent member of the Swedish parliament. He, and the two other editors, were arrested a month ago, charged with advising soldiers to strike if Sweden became involved in the war.

LIVE STOCK EMBARGO PREVAILS IN ILLINOIS

By a Staff Reporter

OTTAWA, May 4.—Foot and mouth disease in the State of Illinois has compelled the department of agriculture to reimpose restrictions on the importation or shipment thru Canada of live stock, hides, wool, etc., originating in Illinois. The importation of cattle, sheep, goats and swine from that state is entirely prohibited, and in connection with all other importations or thru shipments careful precautions will be taken.

PUBLIC OPERATION OF THREE BIG RAILWAYS?

C. P. R. May Be Taken Over by Government With Other Lines.

MONTREAL CONFERENCE

Borden Had Meeting With Lord Shaughnessy Yesterday Afternoon.

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have been introduced into the house in the usual way by resolution. Then it would be within the competence of private members to suggest amendments, propose conditions or move for some declaration of principle. As it was, private members could do nothing but move to reduce or strike out the estimates. The novel procedure adopted by the government, he said, had been adopted for the purpose of choking off debate in the house of commons and preventing any considerations of the measures by the senate. The appropriations for the two roads would be incorporated as items in the general supply bill, concerning which the senate had no power of amendment. The senate, Mr. Graham said, would thus be compelled either to vote the money to the roads or disorganize the business of the country by throwing out the general supply bill and leaving the government without any money for public service.

No Undue Rushing.

Hon. J. D. Reid said no one in the government had ever intended to rush the subsidies thru parliament without full discussion.

A. K. Maclean (Halifax) said the money should be appropriated by a bill because a bill was subject to amendment.

Hon. Robert Rogers said that the subsidies now before the house might be the last ever to be voted in Canada. The government was asking authority to appoint a committee to examine into the entire railway situation, and their report might lead to the nationalization, not only of the Canadian Northern and of the Grand Trunk Pacific, but of all the railways in Canada. Branch lines as required would then be built by the government.

Hon. Charles Marcel: Is it the policy of the government to acquire all the railways and operate the same.

Mr. Rogers: That will depend upon the report of the commission.

When the Welland Canal estimates were under consideration, Hon. Geo. P. Graham called attention to the fact that many foreigners were employed by the contractors.

Hon. J. D. Reid, acting minister of railways and canals, promised to look into the matter.

E. W. Nesbitt (North Oxford) complained of incivility to patrons of the railway on the part of officials at the Toronto Union Depot. The information bureau should be on the ground floor, he said.

Mr. Reid said that prohibition was soon going into effect in Ontario and that would make available for an information bureau a large room on the ground floor now used for another purpose.

NO POLICE GAMES TO BE HELD THIS YEAR

Owing to the enlistment of so many members of the police force and the demand made upon the public for money for patriotic purposes, it has been decided to abandon the Toronto police games this year.

"This is the first break we have had since the games were inaugurated in 1882," said Inspector Dixon of Court street police station to The World last night. "The games have been held every year since that time, wet or fine. In the past the people of Toronto have supported us well, but we feel that the money this year can be put to much better use."

INTERNALLY INJURED.

While working a machine at the Dominion Bridge Works, 228 Sorauren avenue, last night, John Walsh, 48 Woodbridge, had has back hurt and received internal injuries. Walsh was taken to the Western Hospital in the police ambulance.

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