Fair and Cold

Aviators Shower German Stations With Bombs

MANY NEW PAVEMENTS WILL BE LAID IN LONDON IN 1915

CITY TO EXPEND \$200,000 IN 1915 BRITAIN HOLDS CALM ANXIETY PAVING MANY STREETS OF LONDON

About Five Miles of Permanent Surfacing Will Be Laid This Year. Which Will Bring Total Mileage of Paved Streets To At Least Eighteen Miles.

LONDON SPENT \$126,168.35 ON PAVING WORK IN 1914

London last year spent \$126,168.35 in paving. Such an expenditure was exarded as remarkable. It set a new figure for future records. It meant the permanent surfacing of more than three and a half miles of streets-3.65 miles, 10 be exact—or a little better than one-third as much permanent pavement as had previously been laid in this city.

This year the city will expend somewhere in the neighborhood of \$200,000 paying, will lay about five miles more of permanent surfacing, and will bring the total mileage of paved streets to at least 18 miles. In his initial paving program for the year, City-Engineer H. A. Brazier makes provision for an estimated expenditure of \$156,937.29 in pavements. Practically all of this is for asphaltic concrete work with a few short sections of vitri-

Totals Up To \$184,909.79.

In addition, there is work "hung over" from last year to a total of \$27,872.79, which brings that total to \$184,909.79. Considerable amounts of money will have to be expended in curbs and gutters for the streets that are to be paved, and this, it is believed, with the addition of other sections that will be authorized later. in the year, will bring the total to well over \$200,000.

It will be noted that in the following tables, which were compiled by The

Advertiser from the reports of the city engineer, and which will come before the board of works, the board of control and the council at an early date, that alternative estimates have been submitted for the Hamilton road section. because of the double-tracking proposal on this street. Engineer Brazier has estimated on both double and single track Study of the estimates will show that the difference to the ratepayers in the

WORN FEW DAYS

Issued to Soldiers Seen

This Morning.

URGING AN INVESTIGATION

Men Who Supplied Such Shoes

Should Be Shot, Declares

Military Man.

A specimen of one of the "shoddy"

shoes that has been issued to sol-

diers now training here was shown

The Advertiser at headquarters

this afternoon, and the leather in

the sole appeared about as strong

as brown paper. There was a hole

about as big as a 25-cent piece in

it, after it had been worn only a

short time, and a big crack in the side. Local officers are highly in-

dignant over the matter, as a large

number of such shoes have been

issued to their men. They will urge that a thorough investigation be

Should Be Shot.

such trash," said a medical officer

this afternoon, "there is no punish-ment too severe. Any person who

for the sake of making a few dol-lars will take advantage of the

Government during a war like this

should be shot, Nothing is too good

through what the soldlers have

been up against right along, and

there is no doubt that a large per-

centage of the pneumonia and simi-

lar troubles that have developed is

Trashy Quality,

vestigating the class of shoes closely stated that he was amazed

taken contracts to suply the British

Government with shoes send out

this sort of stuff," he said, "Canada

will get a black eye that she will

Another officer who has been in-

the trashy quality of leather

"If any Canadian firms who have

for the men who have to

"If the militia department can

out the firms that supplied

made into the fraud

supplied."

Figures On Single Track Basis.

The figures of \$156,937.29 are made on the single-track basis for the Hamilton road. On this basis the relative cost to the city and ratepayers would be:

Ratepayers

With the addition of the city's share

Anxious Inquiry.

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The figures On Single Track Basis for the Hamilton of the enemy who were holding the first barricade and captured the second barricade and captured the victoria Cross
for conspicuous bravery at Cuinchy, on February 1. O'Leary was one of a storming party which advanced against the German trenches. He killed five of the enemy who were holding the first barricade and captured the second barrica With the addition of the hung-over work, the city's share is swelled to official report of the feat states that discussed at length. 47.826.04, and the portion to be paid by the property-owners whose property he "practically captured the enemy's uts on the streets to be improved goes up to \$137,083.75. be noted that in the pavement for the south side of South street

WESTERN MAN WHOLE



SERGT. MICHAEL O'LEARY, V. C., he former member of the Royal Northpromoted on the field from lance-corporal, and awarded the Victoria Cross

No Decision As To Retaliatory Londoners Who Have Loved

INTERFERENCE RESENTED AWAIT CASUALTY LISTS

Others Trying To Prevent This Policy.

Measures Against Germany

Yet Announced.

[Canadian Press.]

with the absolute blockade of Germany should Great Britain care to enforce this with her sea power.

news may be flashed to them at any time now, so they are simply waiting, and hoping for the best.

position by himself and prevented the rest of the attacking party from being only information has been gleaned from of the 1st Battalion as major, received

(Continued on Page Three.)

Have Recruited in

Sons of the Land of

young Italians have enlisted with the troops now training at the fair grounds and are busy learning the various drills and manoeuvres. It was stated have received information that they will likely have to return home soon to fight, and want to get all the training they can in the meantime. Dominic Cusolito stated to The Advertiser today that he expected that Italy will be at war at any time "She will undoubtedly fight on the Hies' side," he said. "England has Allies' side," he said. always been Italy's best friend. Germany is trying to buy Italy's neutral ity by offering Austrian territory which Austria formerly stole from Italy Italians want that territory back, and ntend to get it, but not by any such bargain as Germany purposes has already spent over \$400,000,000 or war preparations and is getting ready

be sent home. around London who would go as quick-

CHINESE LAUNDRYMAN AT VICTORIA HOSPITAL OROFPED DEAD TODAY

ly After Coming To Work -In Canada 20 Years.

Jung Wing, a Chinese employee in dead early this morning in the laundry, shortly after he had come down boat in a snowstorm, which caused them to work. Heart failure is thought to to suffer acutely, the men say they sig-

only a few minutes later dead. Coroner Some members of the Robert Ferguson will conduct a post- saw the wake of a submarine after the mortem examination today, and it is Deptford was struck. Wing had worked at the hospital for about a month. He lived at Charlie For's laundry, 347 Clarence street. He British coasting steamer Western was a widower, and had been in Canada for nearly 20 years, being one of torpedoed in the English Channel at a the first Chinese to be seen in this point off Beachy Head. The crew was part of the country. He is stryived by landed at Portsmouth today

REPORT ON MAN'S CONDITION.—
James Mitchell, of Dorclester, was brought into the county jal today by is alleged that Mitchells in abrought will make an examination as to the will make an examination as to the man's condition and report in the authorities.

ICanadian Press.]

Berme. Switzerland, Feb. 25.—Via court clerk about the head and face. Medical assistance was summoned and the wounds, which were bleeding procluded arrangements for the exchange of prisoners of war totally incapacitated for any future military activity, and in a few days the repatriation of these will begin. Swiss hospital trains will be made use of for the transportation of the invalids.

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Sir Lomer states that he happened to have his hat on while he was aiding the legislature now being held.

ly to the authorities.

Mayor of Montreal Took Ones at Front Show No Cowardly Spirit.

THIS C. M. R. MEMBER

SHAMES WALLINGFORD

cels Stolen in City.

would steal the parcels marked C. O. D.

For some time men in the delivery

The detective department was no i-

Board of Control Again.

The special committee from the coun-

cil and board of control named recently

extension. Sunday fares, installation of

air brakes, putting on of more cars,

pavements are put down, and many

and all other available space is filled.

Ald. Palmer contends that the street

railway is not allowed to carry more

passengers than there are seats for.

EXCHANGE PRISONERS

Incapacitated for War.

[Canadian Press.]

and the result is that the atmosphere

becomes at times almost u

ON TAPIS TONIGHT

STREET CAR QUESTION

Average Britisher Objects To Knowledge That Forest City Men in Trenches in France Enhances Patriotism.

London is taking calmly, although London, Feb. 25.—The proposals of anxiously, the news that her sons are Washington to Great Britain and Ger-many, which are in London, assumed in scores of London homes where many, which are in London, assumed to embrace the abandonment of Germany's self-declared war zone and the adoption by the belligerents of some definite policy regarding foodstuffs to the civilian populations, have noticeably quickened the public interest both in this country and in Germany in this the Canadian troops were under five n this country and in Germany in this delicate diplomatic situation. the Canadian troops were under fire. The British press, as a general thing, is restrained in tone, but the average Britisher plainly resents what he considers a hint at an attempt to interfere lines are quite well aware that dreadful

Anxlous Inquiry.

a regulation postcard yesterday, saying "I am well." It was posted shortly after the Canadians arrived in France, but

Capt. Hunt In-England. Capt. Gordon Hunt, who left London

battalion, which is stationed at rorth Barracks. He does not expect ng to a letter received by Advertiser Illustrations.

J. Taylor, and Lieut. Campbell Gal-

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GERMAN PIRATES SINK TWO MORE

Steamers Deptford and Western Coast Torpedoed or Hit Mines.

ONE SAILOR LOSES LIFE Crew Sailed Seas In Leaky pear for trial in a week.

Boat For Hours Before Being Rescued. [Canadian Press.]

Feb. 25-11:40 a.m.-One and take them to the residences and ailor lost his life when the small collect the money, which he later spent teamer Deptford, 230 feet long and on candy and other luxuries. 1.208 tons, was sent to the bottom in twenty minutes either by a German business have been trying to find ou orpedo from a submarine or by com- how so many of their C. O. D. parcels ng in contact with a mine in the North went astray, but they were unable to ea, at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, at ascertain where they went to. point off Scarboro. The fifteen other landed at South Shi lds at an caught the youth red-handed. rly hour this morning. Saw the Flash.

The engineer of the Deptford says he vas on duty in the stokehold at the e the explosive in the torpedo head in the mine rent the Deptford in Manager King Will Meet Council and He says he saw a flash of blue dame shoot up from the bottom of the ship and through her deck. The orce of the explosion threw him down riolently and stunned him. He man- to discuss with the street railway of- Local Officers Much Interested in the aged to reach the deck, however, as the ficials a number of important questions essel was heeling, and just as the life- will meet this evening, and Manager It was the carpenter of the Deptford thoroughly into such questions as track

who lost his life. Appeal Ignored. After hours in an open and leaky double tracking Hamilton road before Some members of the crew say they

ANOTHER GONE. London, Feb. 25-1:30 p.m.-The small Coast, has been sunk by a mine of

Same Privilege Given Duke

ALLIED AIRMEN EFFECTIVELY

BOMBARD ENEMY'S POSITIONS

Montreal, Feb. 25.—A summons was this morning issued for Mayor Mederic Martin, M. P., at the request of Samuel Thompson, president of the Hackmen's Protective Association, on a charge that his worship violated a city bylaw by driving in an automobile on Mount Royal. No automobiles are allowed by law on this section of the city. Mayor Martin has stated in explanation that as he had given per-mission to the chauffeur of the Duke of Connaught to drive on the

mountain he did not see why he could not grant the same permission to his own driver. Mayor Martin appeared in the recorder's court this afternoon and pleaded not guilty to the charge of breaking the bylaw.

BLOCKHOUSE DESTROYED

Successful Movements Are Described in French Offi cial Statement.

Paris, Feb. 25, via-London, 3.45 p.m.

At the war office this afternoon the following statement was given out: "Near Lombaertzyde our artillery de

"In Champagne we have maintained erday. All of the enemy's counterttacks were repulsed. Our aviators threw sixty bombs on railway stations ains and concentrations of the enemy This bombardment was very effective

Says Britain Is In Accord With in the Cheppy Wood, we made further progress. Our heavy artillery destroyed shalters. The enemy was unarmored shelters. The enemy was un mans being put to flight."

GERMAN REPORT

[Canadian Press.] Berlin, Feb. 25.—Via London, 3:00 p.m Probably Means Russia Will Get One of Turkish Black February 25, and reads as follows: London Feb. 25-3:42 p.m.-Sir Ed-"In the western arena of the war: ward Grey, the foreign secretary, an- Champagne, the enemy yesterday nounced in the House of Commons to- tinued his desperate efforts day that Great Britain was in entire spite of the strong forces engaged, were

"With Russia's desire for access to the ance on the western front Claim 10,000 Prisoners SQUADRON SERGT MAJOR TURN. a question from Frederick W. Jowett ments on the Memel, Bobr and Nare whether Britain knew of and approved rivers continue. The town of Przasnys Officers from London, who are presumably at the front, and who were in action, are: Lieut.-Col. H. C. Eecher, lst Hussars for the past ten years, hav- Minister, M. Sazanoff, in the Duma, that capt. G. B. Watson, Capt. Frank B. ware, Lieut. Chester Builer, Capt. W. George's coronation; for which he wears

Minister, M. Sazanon, in the Duna, that "Russia intended permanently to occupy the East Prussian reserves. After a stubborn fight, we were victorious capturing more than 10,000 prisoners."

Taylor, and Lieut. Campbell Galthe medal, has now become a member of The Western Ontario regiments who the 7th C. M. R. He was ordered to rethe was unaware that M. Sazanoff had machine guns, and a very large amount ent men with the first contingent, and port for duty in this city as soon as re- made any, such statement, but, he of war material. who went into the trenches on Sunday, cruiting began, and his services in this, are: Hussars, London; 7th, London; Grey's Horse, Oxford; 21st, Essex; 22nd, as in other matters connected with the cevents on the Russo-Turkish frontier days we have taken 5,000 Russian pris-Mounted Rifles, have been invaluable, would bring Russia nearer realization oners. A good rider and fine shot, combined of the political economic problem bound with the other necessary qualities which up with Russia's access to the sea."

To Sea.

Sea Ports.

| Canadian Press.]

a high sense of justice, which is Important Development. his squadron are justly proud of their first non-commissioned officer, and wish Grey marks one of the important developments in the European political division, taken prisoners at Augustowo situation since the beginning of the asked German officers whether it was

war. Russia's desire for a warm water port and an unrestricted outlet from by the Black Sea, has long been one of When the situation on the western from Youthful Male Tells How C. O. D. Parher most cherished national aspira-Speaking in the Duma, on February

A juvenile arrested by Detective 9, Premier Goremykin said: Harry Down yesterday explained to Police Magistrate J. C. Judd, in the enemy, but her resistance already has juvenile court today, a system he had in robbing delivery wagons which astounded the court attendants and of the Russians on the Black Sea is caused the boy to be bailed out to ap- beginning to dawn near the outer pear for trial in a week.

The lad stated that he watched delivery wagons receive the goods from

walls of Constantinople."

The attitude of Great Britain in the event that the fortunes of war should different places of business and then, favor Russia in the struggle with Turwhen the drivers were not looking, key has been an open question,

> FIRST CASE OF TYPHOID Appears Today in Local Camp-Private in Hospital.

cur at the local training camp was discovered today when Pte. Hillard of the The first case of typhoid fever to ocovered today when Pte. Hillard, of the ion, commanded by Lieut.-Col. Wilpoint off Scarboro, The inteen other point of Scarboro, The international point of Scarboro, The internat His home is in Niagara Falls. Pte. Sharman, of D Company, who into shape. At headquarters it was is in Victoria Hospital with pneumonia, stated that no instructions have been reported to be progressing nicely. A large number of cases of la grippe and severe colds were reported today.

FOLLOW CLOSELY

Probe at Hamilton. King is expected to be present and go

Wigle is attending, and before which Lieut.-Col. Ross is charged with breaking military law by criticizing his of-ficers because none had volunteered for duced by Lieut, N. W. Cook, wa Shortly after he had come to work at 7 o'clock he told other employees that he felt sick, and went into an adjoining room to sit down. He was found

JOHN MOULE HURT

Clerk of Police Court Cut When Glass Fell on Him.

Police Court Clerk John Moule re-French and Germans Will Trade Those ceived a number of nasty cuts on his head today when a transom rod broke in the court room causing the glass in the window to fall and strike the Berme, Switzerland, Feb. 25 .- Via court clerk about the head and face. has been advised that the privy counc

Sixty Bombs Dropped On the Railway Stations, Trains and Concentrations.

nolished a blockhouse and some of the

Further Progress.

"In the Argonne, at Marie Therese, the enemy made an attack, which was

able to retake trenches captured by us. "In Lorraine, near Porroy, there was a skirmish between patrols, the Ger-IMPORTANT STATEMENT

The town of Przasnysz, in Russian Poland, was yesterday taken by storm by German forces, according to the official announcement given out in Ber-lin today. The Germans captured 10,000 Russian prisoners. The report is dated accord with Russia's desire for access again absolutely without success. Otherwise there has been nothing of impor-

with Russia's access to the sea."
"With these aspirations," he congo to the making of a first-rate soldier, there is, above all things, in Sergt.

Major Turnbull a kindliness tempered doubt be settled in the terms of peace."

With these aspirations, he considered to Major, which is southeast of Bolimow, and occupied this position. Their forces in this movement outnumbered ours five to one. Otherwise there is nothing of importance to wise there is nothing of importance to report in this region

> true that Antwerp was being besieged was explained to this Russian officer he ern army was on French soil.

TO WAR STRENGTH

33rd Lost 30 of Its Best Men Today as Result of

received from Ottawa regarding the matter The 33rd lost thirty of its best me today as a result of an order from Ottawa that the 18th Battalion is to be COURT OF INQUIRY kept up to war strength at all times ready for departure at any time. men were at once picked out and inspected by Major Milligan, who is command of the 18th during Col. Local militia officers are following with the keenest interest the court of inquiry at Hamilton, which Lieut.-Col. successful. concert last evening at successful. Wigle's absence in Hamilton, and

not expected home until the end of the it has been decided to hold them reg-

PRIVY COUNCIL ASKS GOUIN TO INTERVENE

Quebec Premier Invited to Take Hand in Famous Marriage Case.

Montreal, Feb. 25 .- Sir Lomer Goui

premier and attorney-general of Quebec

night: Highest, 43; lowest, 36. Highest, 36; lowest, 31,

TOMORROW-FAIR AND COLD.

never get over. No one could blame the British authorities for refusing buy another cent's worth of goods from this country." THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following were the highest and lowest self, an ex-non-commissioned officer of if a wet canteen was allowed, and temperatures recorded in London during the British army, ready and anxious to stated that it was looking for a speedy the Victoria Hospital laundry, dropped the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:

Toronto, Feb. 25-8 a.m. Forecasts. oday Fresh to strong northerly ds: local snow flurries, but partly and coider.

Friday—Fair and Control Friday—Fair and Temperatures, The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:
Stations. High. Low. Weather. Parry Sound

GERMANY TO START IN ABOUT 2 MONTHS

Specimen of "Shoddy" Shoes Information Said To Have Been Received From Source Con- During Past Few Days 25 nected With General Staff - Prussians Wroth at Alleged Austrian Weakness.

Berlin, in the course of the discussion London, Feb. 25.—A dispatch to the on the budget in the Prussian Diet, a ITALY TO BE AT WAR SOON Daily Telegraph from Copenhagen says: member attacked Austria strongly, say-I learn from a source intimately con- ing that Austria was unable to beat This Feeling Among the Local nected with the German general staff Servia, and that dissatisfaction with that Germany intends to start peace the members applauded, but the negotiations in about two months." ficial report makes no reference to the

According to a special telegram from incident. JANUARY BANK STATEMENT

Ottawa, Feb. 25.-The Canadian bank statement for January, issued by the epartment of finance today, shows the following comparisons with the preceding to The Advertiser today that the men nonth and January of last year:

	Jan., 1915.	Dec., 1914.	Jan., 1914
Note circulation\$	97,193,699	\$ 105,969,755	\$ 69,611.90
Reserve fund	113,227,654	113,070,859	112,401.14
Demand deposits	329,916,730	340,909,953	339,811,3
Notice deposits	666,960,482	662,830,037	635,135,9
Deposits outside Canada	91,807,007	98,401,413	95,342,3
Current coin	66,067,376	62.569,688	44,775,4
Dominion notes	138,285,051	138,056,339	102,307,8
Deposits in central (gold reserve)	6,950,000	9,700,000	3,500.0
Call loans in Canada	66,154,891	68,511,653	71.248.2
Call loans outside Canada	85,796,641	85,012,964	108,776,7
Current loans in Canada	770,118,911	786,034,378	811,582,1
Current loans outside Canada	43,987,270	43,413,760	56,051,4
Total liabilities	1,278,492,520	1.314.646.254	1,255,440,5
Total assets		1,555,556,815	1,499,392,9

Current loans outside 43,587,270 43,413,760 56,051,465 AGE LIMIT BARS RETURN SONS AS CLEAN MANY GOOD MEN AND MANLY AS EVER

Recruits Not Wanted In Can- This Reply Received By Local ada Over 45 Years of Age -50 Years In Britain. Committee Disagrees

service men in this city, who are tion than the average recruit. swer the call of my country, yet righting of the wrong from Ottawa. here in Canada old service men are not wanted," said a veteran in this city. "We have not, unfortunately money to pay our passage to England. I have my wife's permission to enlist

VACCINATION INTO EFFECT NEXT WEEK

or active service, but the authorities

Board of Health Now Having Cards

It will be next week before the free vaccination of the board of health goes into effect in the city schools. board is now having cards printed. which parents and guardians must sign if they wish to take advantage of the voluntary free vaccination offered by the health department. These will be Montreal 36
Montreal 36
Minus (—) means below zero.

Weather Notes.

The centre of disturbance is now near the Middle Atlantic Coast, and rain has been fairly general from the Great Lakes eastward.

Fair weather prevails in the Western

Frequences.

W.C.T.U. From Premier-

Many men in London, and it is said The sub-committee of the W.C.T.U. all over Canada, mostly old British has received a reply to the letter sent army men, are eager to enlist in the Canadian expeditionary forces, but are barred by the age limit of 45 years. In England the age limit is 50 years, England, and has sent a reply to the and in Australia 50 years. Several old Premier, stating that the minister of slightly over 45 years of age, are anxious militia had promised to return to the to get on the firing line, and declare mothers of Canada their sons as clean that they are in much better condi- and manly as when they left. This There are dozens of others like my-

Learns How To Destroy • German Submarines.

Lieut.-Col. McCrimmon this afternoon received a lengthy communication from a wealthy Detroit manufacturer, a former Canadian, outlining a plan by which German torpedo boats may destroyed. Col. McCrimmon thinks so well of the suggestion that he will at once forward it to headquarters, and it is likely that it will be sent on to England. The communication is being closely guarded in order that the Germans may not learn of the plan, as it would not only put them on their guard but could be used against British boats.

Sunshine.

In the past few days twenty-five

or a fight.' Mr. Cusolito stated that no orders ave been received here yet that men He thought there were number of Italian reservists in and

Succumbed in Laundry Short-

he felt sick, and went into an adjoin-

HAD NO WARNING.