COUNCIL HAD SHORT SESSION YESTERDAY

Ninety Minutes All That Was Required to Dispose of Business.

TO BUY CIVIC CARS

Publicity Committee Recommendation Dropped-Instal Fire Hydrants.

Ninety minutes was all that was nesary for the city council to transact s business yesterday afternoon, With

report and many matters of considerable importance were disposed of in a suick manner.

Little was said about daylight saving he mayor to telegraph the chief magerates of all the towns and cities in Canada to ascertain whether they are in favor of the daylight saving plan to so into effect on June 15. This the council carried unanimously.

Minister of Municipalities.

get another chief."

Considerable discussion followed in which the controllers spoke in favor of their recommendation, but the board lost the day and the hydrants will be installed. The best laugh that the members have had for some time came when Ald. Plewman moved a resolution that the fire chief should be given a free hand. He smilingly pointed out that it was his intention to withdraw the motion, but Ald, MacGregor had

not a murmur was heard as Ald. Mc-Bride put the matter to the members. According to the recommendation the works commissioner will purchase parts for 13 cars at a cost of \$112,066, and

ment, and the guns were removed to safety.

the controllers decided against the project on the ground, that it was against the economic policy being followed by the city. He pointed out that it was three-quarters of a mile from Mount Pleasant boulevard to Bayview avenue, and that there are no intersections at all in this distance.

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New Fire Hydrants.

The only contentious matter of the afternoon proved to be the recommendation of the property committee for an appropriation of \$4700 for new fire hydrants, which the board of control decided against. Ald. Maguire led the fight for the committee, maintaining that the recommendation had only been made after they had given the matter earnest consideration. He was of the opinion that the fire hydrants were absolutely necessary. "Fire. Chief Smith has said so, and we should take his word," he said. "This cutting out of expenditures which are absolutely necessary by the board, is a very foolish policy."

In view of the present financial situation, Mayor Church wanted the expenditure stopped. He pointed out that if the council passed this amount other departments would be asking for similar sums.

Get Another Chief.

amount of \$4700 recommended by the property committee for the installation of 25 fire hydrants and the cost of the water supply, there was practically no discussion.

Ald. Sam McBride, the chairman of the committee of the whole did retarrable work with the controllers' port and many matters of considerie importance were disposed of in a ick manner.

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CHINAMEN WERE PINCHED.

works commissioner will purchase parts for 13 cars at a cost of \$112,066, and the sections will be assembled here.

Ald. Ball put up a strong fight for the extension of Cleveland street, so that it would intersect Merton and Balliol streets and Davisville avenue. The alderman was successful, although the same period.

Chin Fat, Ching Lee and Wong is Boy came up in the police court yesterday on a charge of keeping an opium dive at 10½ Elizabeth street. They were remanded for a week. Thirteen Chinamen "found in" were also remanded for the same period.

* WAR SUMMARY *

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

(Continued from Page 1). troops. On Monte Mosciag two batteries were surrounded by Austrians.

principles of warfare, the invasion was aimed at some vulnerable political

point in the territory of the enemy to bring him to an engagement. When a

dommander-in-chief opens a campaign his practice is to aim at the heart of the enemy's country or at his capital for the purpose of forcing that

enemy to fight at a disadvantage, for if the enemy was not at some disad-

Mantage, he would be the first to invade the other's territory. In this instance the advance of the Italians was a menace to southern Germany.

Neither the Germans nor the Austrians could afford to neglect this danger very long, and so they were compelled to mass a large force and attack the

win the coming battle they would have the way clear for an invasion of

Therefore, General Cadorna, the Italian commander-in-chief, by invading the Tyrol, effected his purpose of forcing the enemy to fight an engagement. In former wars such a battle would probably be decisive. If the Austrians were defeated, the result would soon appear on the map. But in

the present war the armies are so large and occupy such a vast extent of

territory that they cannot be destroyed in a single battle, especially, since with conscription, the losses in casualties can speedily be replaced up to a

certain point. That point is exhaustion. Hence it comes aboutthat the group of belligerents which are first exhausted in men will lie prostrate at

the feet of the other group which has still other and fresh armies in being.

between Mort Homme and Cumieres Village. The only gain realized by the enemy was a foothold in about 325 yards of first line trenches northwest of Cumieres. This success is too limited to be of any advantage to the enemy.

The Germans have not removed their large calibre guns from the Verdun region, for they bombarded the whole of the French lines between Avocourt

continued yesterday, but in all this firing the enemy was not given his own way by a great deal for British guns retaliated, and in some cases silenced

hostile batteries. The chief centre of the heavy bombardment was between La Bassee Canal and Arras, with the volume of fire being heaviest in the neighborhood of Loos and the Town and neighborhood of Arras. On the

British left the front from Zillebeke to Hooge and the vicinity of

fine and British aeroplanes accomplished much successful work. Few Ger-

begun the invasion of German East Africa from the west. It crossed the frontier between Lakes Nyassa and Tanganyika and advanced 20 miles into

hostile territory in one day's marching. Portuguese troops, it is said, have

also occupied a portion of the southern frontier of the colony.

A second British column under command of Brig.-Gen. Northey has

Elverdinghe were heavily shelled. North of Hooge, British guns breached

The lavish use of shell by the Germans against the British front was

In a resumption of the fighting in the region of Verdun yesterday the French beat off with heavy losses to the enemy two successive German attacks launched against Hill 304, and they smashed with their barrier fire German attack launched from the Corbeaux wood against their trenches

Italy. The Italians merely fell back to a good defensive position.

Therefore the allies have so far preferred to husband their men.

wood and Cumieres with heavy shells yesterday.

men aeroplanes were seen.

They also directed their march on Brescia, so that if they could

were rescued by a brilliant counter-attack on the Italian 14th Regi-

WHAT THE COUNCIL DID NINETY-SEVENTH IN

Decided to allow \$4700 for the installation of fire hydrants.

Donated \$500 towards the erection of a monument to Nurse Edith Ca-

Passed resolution asking the mayor to get opinions of mayors of other towns and cities regarding daylight saving. Sent. Ald, McBrien's motion regard

Sent. Ald, McBrien's motion regarding the appointment of a minister of municipalities to the board of control. Withdrew the board's recommendation in connection with the appointment of a publicity committee.

Authorized purchase of thirteen civic cars at a cost of \$112,066.

Allowed the extension of Cleveland street to intersect Merton and Balliol streets and Davisville avenue.

WILL DRAW PAY AND ALLOWANCES

This is for Officers and Non-Coms Attending Schools of Instruction.

AT NIAGARA CAMP

Twenty-Five Successful Sergeants and Corporals Announced in Orders.

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members invited to invited to officers or non-commissioned officers in excess of the authorized establishment of a C.E.F. unit.

Men of Engineers' Corps here domplain that it is the intention to authonor of the also bear in their pay to \$1.10 instead of \$1.35 a day, they having been promised 25c extra.

Lieut.-Col. R. W. Gregory, St. Catharines, who has been in charge of the internment camp at Petawawa and ourt yesping an the street.

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CANADIAN CASUALTIES

was being transferred from one unit to another.

Transfers and Appointments.

Major E. G. Switzer of the 208th Irish-Canadians has been transferred to the 204th Beavers' Battalion.

Lt. James Belton, 36th, has been appointed to the 208th, with rank of captain. Lt. H. E. Gee, 36th, has been appointed to the 204th. Lt. F. G. Dyke, A.S.C., has been appointed assistant adjutant of the 208th.

The Beaver Battalion, under direction of Major A. D. Watts and Capt. J. Glass, was inspected at the university campus yesterday afternoon by Lt.-Col. J. S. Campbell of the headquarters staff, and made a good showing. The battalion went thru company and battalion drill. Wards One and Six showed up with full companies, while Wards Seven, Four and Five formed a third company, and Wards Two and Three the fourth company.

Commander Armstrong and staff will be here Wednesday to examine candidates for the motor boat service at the Jarvis Building. 103 Bay street.

Pte. Haliward Dead.

Pte. A. Hallward of the 123rd Battalion (Grenadiers), died in the military isolation hospital, Strachan avenue, from pneumonococos meningitis, a rare form of this disease. He was only ill three days. His home was in Cannington. Ont. His relatives arrived yesterday to arrange for the funeral, which will take place in Cannington today with military honors. Pte. Hallward took ill while at Niagara. Killed in action—448105, Jos. Giroux, Montreal; 415356A, Corp. Horwood, Kipping, Glace Bay, N.S.; 53745, Archie Turner, St. Thomas, Ont. Died of wounde—26468, Geo. Laurent, Montreal; 17170, Roy H. Spicer, East Burnaby, B.C.; 71498, Geo. Pile, England Some blame has been thrown on the Italians for retreating about five alles in the Tyrol before turning about and making a stand against the Austrians. The facts are that the Italians had begun an invasion of the Tyrol. According to the usual military practice and the strict adherence to

land.

Died—Lieut. Chas. Irving Douglas, Petitcodiac, N.B.; 166094, Sgt. Thos. H.
May, St. Thomas. Ont.
Seriously ill—166262, Pioneer Ernest J.
Campbell, Pittsburg, Pa.; 84012, L.-Corp.
Chas. E. Kaulbach, Maplewood, N.S.;
Capt. Murdock E. Sutherland, Six Mile
Brook, N.S.
Returned prisoner of war and wounded
—75572, Gordon D. Drew, Quebec.
Previously reported missing, now prisoner at Glessen—25081, John Budding,
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Wounded—406242, Alfred Allen, 307
Beach avenue. Toronto; 28955, Wm.
Bruce, Vancouver; 9557, Albert E. Callingham, 54 Lightbourne avenue. Toronto; A20033, Hugh Chisholm, North Grant, N.
S.; 81211, Curley F. Davies, Elm Springs, Sask.; 23513, Ben Englehart, Warebrook, N.S.; 489827, Lance-Corp. Norman Fleet, Port Arthur, Ont.; 171012, Assistant Corp. John T. Garbutt, Toronto; 412116, Alfred W. Green. Belleville; 69375, Roy W. Henderson, St. John, N.B.; 415776, Gerald R. Huston, Canning, N.S.; 458622, Thomas Kennedy. St. Mathias, Que.; 65550, Corp. Francis A. Law, Drumbo, Ont.; 18558. John Watts, England; 475292, Sidney L. Luck, 367 Soudan avenue. Toronto; 144622, James L. McCann, Kingston; 420651, Wm. McGregor, Winnipeg; 428281, Harold Malden, New Westminster, B.C.; 439110, Alex. Matier, New York City; 141249, Jesse Matthews, Tillsonburg, Ont.; 69733, Wm. O'Brien, Boston, Mass.; 6531, Corp. Wm. E. Odell, Strathroy, Ont.; 153462, Geo. Hay Parker, Winnipeg; 444580, Wm. Walter Rile, Hillsborough, P.E.I.; A44256, Harold E. Small, Grand Manan, N.B.; Lleut, Geo. L. Smith, Delburne, Alb.; 412747, Peter L. Smith, Delburne, Alb.; 412747, Peter L. Smith, Delburne, Alb.; 412747, Peter L. Smith, Picton, Ont.; 67471, Lance-Corp. Frank Sollows Yarmouth, N.S., 446124, Jas. Stark, Calgary; 473120, Wm. R. Stevly, Prince Albert, Sask.; 409860, Alex Temple, Hyndford, Ont.; 44649, Wm. N. Thomas, Buford, Ga.; 60006, Phillas Turcott, Arnprior, Ont.; 66022, Jas. R. MOUNTED RIFLES,

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Wounded—111032, Raiph S. Bennett, entreville, N.S.: 108106, Tassie Bliss, fedicine Hat. Alta.: 111357, Raiph Mc-conough, Windsor, N.S.

ENGINEERS a German parapet and destroyed a machine gun emplacement. Besides engaging hostile batteries with success the British artillery did considerable damage to the enemy at various points. The heavy shelling begins in the morning and it becomes intermittent in the afternoon. The weather was fine and British aeroplanes accomplished much successful work. For Charles and British aeroplanes accomplished much successful work. For Charles and British aeroplanes accomplished much successful work. For Charles and British aeroplanes accomplished much successful work. For Charles and British aeroplanes accomplished much successful work. For Charles and British aeroplanes accomplished much successful work.

ARTILLERY. Killed in action-415659, Thos. Wm.

MEDICAL SERVICES. Wounded-106275, Sgt. Percy Harrison,

SEVERAL GOOD FEATURES AND CLEVER BURLESQUE

Theatre. Will Engage in Tactical Exer-

Members of the 97th Battalion, American Legion, will be in the limilight today. A battalion tactical exercise, to be held at Cedarvale, has been arranged, and it is also expected that Brig. Gen. W. A. Logie will be in Toronto today from Niagara to review this battalion. The 97th will rendezvous for the manocuvres at the corner of Eglinton avenue and Bathurst street at 10.30 a.m. Volunteers for onlistment totaled 151 in Toronto yesterday, 78 being accepted. The number attested was below the average for a Monday, but this was largely due to last night's rain, wet weather nearly always checking the coming forward of recruits.

The recruiting honors were won by No. 1 Construction Battalion yesterday with 18 attested recruits. The Irisin-Canadians led the infantry battalions with 13 recruits. The Beavers secured eight men; C.A.S.C. seven; Toronto Light Infantry, five; Buffs and 70th Battery each four; 69th Battery three, and the Mississaugas and Sportsmen's Battalions each two. The battalions now stand at follows:

representing "The Slave Market,"
"Diana at the Bath" and "The Surprise" bring to a close a decidedly pleasing entertainment.

Good Musical Turns Provide

TRY SCORE'S FOR SHIRTS.

Hamilton Woman Picks Him Out in Group of Canadian Pris-

oners in Germany.

Oners in Germany.

The following letter was received at arrange for the funeral, which will take place in Cannington today with military honors. Pte. Hallward took ill while at Niagara.

PORT HOPE SOLDIER
BURIED ON SUNDAY

Private Thomas Kerr Was Highly Respected Resident of That Town.

Special to The Toronto World.
PORT HOPE, May 29.—One of the most popular and highly-respected residents of Port Hope, Pte, Thomas Kerr of the 136th Battalion, who died on Friday last, was hurled on Sunday afternoon in the Union Cemetery with full military honors. Pte. Kerr, who was 48 years of age, was a South African war veteran, and two days after the outbreak of the present conflict enlisted with the Cobourg Heavy Battery, which was immediately despatched to assume guard duty on the Pacific coast.

Later when H.M.S. Rainbow with Later was received at the World office today: a the World office



LIMELIGHT TODAY Former Toronto Lad Sings and Dances Well at the Star

Will Engage in Tactical Exercises in the Cedarvale

District.

RECRUITING IS BETTER

Volunteers at the Depot Total
One Hundred and
Fifty-One.

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LOTS OF VARIETY IN

Clever Songs and Dances and

Marie Richman, formerly featured with the Ziegfeld "Follies," is a favorite on the Hippodrome bill this week. Miss Richman possesses an excellent and well-trained voice. She had the knack of "putting her songs across," and all her numbers knack of "putting her songs across," and all her numbers were winners.

"The Fortune Seekers" is a mirth-provoking musical comedy playlet comprising a well-assorted cast, and a change of good voices. The threed of comprising a well-assorted cast and a chorus of good voices. The thread of the plot is just enough and the rest is made up with sparkling lines, good dancing and new song catches. Direct from Broadway come the Dorothy Southern Trio in vocal, violin, and dance numbers. The Sterlings supplied the sensations of the afternoon performance in their Sterlings supplied the sensations of the afternoon performance in their daring and danger-defying aerial act. Knowles and White are clever comedians and make the very best of their funny lines. Lent and Borrow, in their act "The Gold Brick Artists," complete the vaudeville turns. The feature picture this week is a Bluebird release "Elusive Isobel," telling a fascinating tale of love and intrigue. The battles between a pretty woman spy from Europe and a clever young chap in the United States secret service are well depicted and the climax is great.

ALDERSON PLAYERS

Home" at Park Theatre
This Week.

The Alderson Players drow capacity

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The Alderson Players drow capacity houses during the past week, hundreds being turned away on the holiday and again on Saturday night. Their offering for the first half of this week is "Why Girls Leave Home," a melodrama of city life in the tenement district. "Amateur night," Wednesday, is always looked forward to with interest, when the best talent in the city compete for cash prizes, as an added attraction. The Famous Player five-reel feature for the first half of the week is "For the Defence," featuring Fannie Ward.

The singing was a the evening was a tosether a most pleasant one.

THE FLYING TORPEDO IS

A WONDERFUL PICTUR

Imaginary Warfare is Spectacular feature of D. W. Griffith's Production at Shea's.

It is so much nicer to have your shiris made to order. By doing so you obtain the correct length of sleeve, which one likes, and also a perfect-fitting body and neck. R. Score & Son, Limited, tailors and haberdashers, 77 West King street, are showing a very large variety of Scotch Zephyrs, English Oxfords and Silk Taffeta materials. They also carry an exclusive tures of D. W. Griffith's latest production, "The Flying Torpedo," a triangle motion picture play of four reels which opened yesterday at Shea's Theatre for a week's engagerials. They also carry an exclusive line of silk shirtings. The prices start at \$2.00, which is very reasonable for the made-to-order shirts.

While not professing to advance a theory or state a condition it is founded upon the need of preparation for national defence of the United States with 1920 as an assumed time of an invasion of California by a coalition of foreign powers.

Thousands of troops participate in the battles, together with a fleet inovement. American reinforcements are powerless to stop the invaders, who have compelled the populace of the town to flee as refugees to the hills until flying torpedoes, the latest RECOGNIZED COUSIN IN SUNDAY WORLD PICTURE

oners in Germany.

ANOTHER SLAUGHTER.

Pacific coast.

Later when H.M.S. Rainbow with others provided protection on the Pacific seaboard the battery returned to Kingston, and Pte. Kerr enlisted in The Electric Wiring and Fixtures Co., 261 College street, have reduced the price on their entire stock of samthe second contingent, only to be invalided home after a few months' training. Nothing daunted he reenlisted in the 136th Battalion when the price on their entire stock of sample electric light fixtures 50 per cent, despite the fact that brass has advanced 200 per cent, in the past year, and are still wiring occupied houses, concealing the wires and not breaking the plaster or marking the decorations, at the old prices. at the old prices.



PLAYS, PICTURES AND MUSIC IS TREAT AT GRAND IS CLEVER, THO WEAK IN SPOTS FOR OPERA LOVERS

Large Audience Greeted Pre-

sentation of "Robin Hood"

Last Night.

A SPLENDID CHORUS

selves With Credit in Dif-

ficult Roles.

Inside the Lines" at Alexandra Has Not Got the British Grip.

AUDIENCE ENJOYED IT

Story Centres Around Home Principals Acquitted Themof American Governor at Gibraltar.

Imaginary Warfare is Spectacular

Feature of D. W. Griffith's

Production at Shea's.

While not professing to advance

climax results in the acceptance of

the invention by the government.

The action of the play and the uni-

form of the invaders makes it as interesting to Canadian spectators as it

CHILD SEVERELY BURNED.

Devotees of light opera are given a treat this week in the De Koven Opera

voice, played Anabel. The orchestral ac-companiment, under the direction of Lui-gi de Francesco, was noticeably an im-portant element in the presentation,

"SHERLOCK HOLMES" IS AN EXCITING PICTURE

Film Drama at the Strand Taxes Cleverness of Both Detective and the Underworld.

"Sherlock Holmes," the greatest of all detective stories, which is being shown on the screen at the Strand Theatre this week, is replete with just as many thrills as the book. Like all other "movies" there is a strong plot mixed up in a love affair. While strolling down the street the sleuth Battles as realistic as those por-trayed in "The Birth of a Nation," and with an orchestral accompaniment as impressive stand out as vivid feafalls in love with an attractive woman.
Some time later he is hired by a
wealthy family to recover a stolen
wallet which contained valuable

Papers.

William Gillette, the celebrated detective actor as Sherlock Holm plans many hair-raising stunts to a trace of the thieves, and with h many clever moves and experience in the underworld, keeps the spectato on their toes for the two hours which it takes to run the picture off in.

Events of the week in Toronto wer shown in the Strand weekly. The large crowd that attended the Wood bine races on the holiday are distinct ly shown in the stands and on th awns. Several finishes of the fea ture races are also shown. Sir Sam Hughes, who recently inspected the Toronto Overseas battalions in Queen's Park, is seen shaking hands with the officers of the various units.

LAMBERT AT LOEW'S IS FIRST-RATE ARTIST

Has Genuine Dramatic Power on perior to the imaginary warfare seen in "The Flying Torpedo"

John Emerson as "Clavering," a chemist, takes the leading role in recovering a model of the torpedo invented by his friend which was stolen Which to Build His Impersonations.

Lamberti, at Loew's this week, has genuine dramatic power on which to build his impersonations of great musby conspirators. Bessie Love as icians, imitating their eccentricities "Hulda," a Swedish maid in the emand manner, their methods of leading the orchestra and of playing their chosen instruments. He is a quick-change artist of first-rank ability.

Eddie Foyer earned the continued applause that greeted his rendering of "The Shooting of Dan McGrew," by Robert W. Sarvice, by accommandian "The Shooting of Dan McGrew," by Robert W. Service, by acclamation. The people chose "The Cremation of Sam McGee" as a second offering, "The Fighter and the Boss" is a playlet of well sustained contrasts, with a after using stratagem to gain entrance to the headquarters of the gang and finding the model, is caught. but the raid by a police squad as

good "snapper" at the end.
George and Lily Garden made
great hit with their xylophone numb
Al Ward and Michael Faye were w received in their dancing and sing turn. Harry Gerard and Clara We have a dainty comedy skit.

teresting to Canadian spectators as it might appeal to Americans. It is assured that it will have a successful run at Shea's this week if the comments of praise of the first day's crowd are to be taken as a criterion. ATTENTION-AUTO TOURIS To accommodate automobilists, we serving a seventy-five cent Table d'H Dinner Dally from 12.30 to 2.30 o'cle American plan, rates \$2.50 per day and HOTEL ROYAL, Hamilte

Sennett production entitled "The Vil-lage Blacksmith," a farce comedy, which keeps the attendance in con-stant laughter. It is a two-reel play. WASTE PAPER E. PULLAN Buys it

Seven-year-old Bessie Hearn, 178 Major street, was severely burned about the arms and body yesterday afternoon when her dress caught fire while she was playing around a bonfire at the rear of her home. She was taken to the Hospital for Sick Children in the police ambulance. Her condition is serious, PHONE

POOR COPY

it was first organized and was with it

until his death Friday.

Crowds lined the streets Sunday to

pay their last respects to the soldier who had lived in Port Hope all his

life. A magnificent floral tribute was also sent by the 139th Battalion.

He is survived by five brothers, one of whom reached England two days ago with the 80th Battalion, two sis-

FELL OFF LOAD OF HAY.

Frank Sanderson, 104 Logan avenue, had his left leg broken when he fell off a load of hay near his home yesterday afternoon. He was taken to St. Michael's Hospital in the police ambulance.

ters and his mother.

acific coast.