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New York, Feb. 8.—Gold coin to the mount of \$1.100,000 has been withg of the Ontario last night, and on from the sub-treasury for ex-to South America and \$500,000 been taken for shipment to Cuba. eeting produced A new light is now shed upon the motive for the steadily continued export of gold from New York to Chile, the horse situder's standpoint has been handiand other South American tries. These exports have been dily continued in the face of rates ventures alor ance and war risks that ald ordinarily be regarded as promade clearer is the fact that has been no attempt at interwith the vessels carrying this old. The opinion was general again erica for at least a number of eks past has been for German ac-It will be recalled that Ger-was credited with having liquithat has epartment is very large amount if not the in Great Britain, the Unitbe increased ap-er cent, and finthe outbreak of the Eurolet the live stoc with those inter called to discuss

German farsightedness may terman interests to preparedness any possible restrictions that allens from belligerent countries in the event of war between the United States and Germany. The presumption is that Germans may believe that their interests would be more secure in some of the South American countries also hear considered by es. It has also been considered by ameial experts that part of the gold ed to Spain until recently was for the account of Germany to the sechision of the central from outside communications.

ENDS SPECULATION IN

Wilson's Proclamation Regarding Shipping Has an Immediate Effect.

Special to The Toronto World. Washington, Feb. 3.—Following the proclamation of President Wilson to shipping interests of the United tates it became known today that the ale and transfer of ocean-going vessels has virtually ceased. While the president made use of the power vestd in him under the new shipping law, and embarrass the administration by aking the matter into court. It has been a source of gratification

the government that no such acion has been taken, and that ship-milders and shipowners without ex-peption have shown their intention of thele-heartedly supporting the ad-

Because of the hazardous situation shipping circles the federal war risk insurance bureau again has inreased its insurance rates. Other increases are likely to be made in a

CHECK RISE IN PRICE OF NEWS PRINT PAPER

Manufacturers and Publishers Have Effected Results by Co-operation.

Special to The Toronto World. Washington, Feb. S.—The federal trade commission announced today that it would send its report of the news print paper investigation to new print paper investigatio manufacturers and publishers together ave succeeded in checking the rapidly soaring price of news print paper.

It is also understood the commission will ask for passage of legislation giving authority intended to prevent any such condition arising in

MRS. SEIBERT DEAD.

Special to The Toronto World.

Kitchener, Ont., Feb. 8.—Mrs. Henry selbert, one of Kitchener's oldest and most highly respected residents, pass-

FOREST GETS HYDRO.

Forest, Ont., Feb. 7.—Forest is lighted tonight for the first time by the Hydro system, the current being turned on at four o'clock this after-General satisfaction is expressed at the change.

There's Something Interesting

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President and managing director of the Sun Life Assurance Co. of Can-ada, the largest of Canadian life assurance companies.

CIVIL MOBILIZATIC. IS THORO IN FRANCE

Certain Classes May Be Shifted

From Army to Other Work. Paris, Feb. 8.-Etienne Clementel, minister of commerce and agriculture, today introduced in the senate a measure respecting general civil mobili-zation. The salient feature of the bill ies, France and other countries is the giving to the government of the but to the outbreak of the Euromales between the ages of 16 and 60 now serving in the army, who may be assigned to such work for the national defence as their fitness and domicile make most advantageous.

Farmers or other persons in pations directly concerned with the national defence will be left where they are now working, under certain conditions, as will also the public of ficials and government employes whose services are indispensable in their present posts.
Alphabetical indexes

subject to be called up will be comevery township. They will be made up by classes, professions and call-

OCEAN GOING VESSELS FRENCH ASSAIL FOE IN ARGONNE WOOD

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BELGIANS BEAT HUNS

was feared that certain shipping therests might question the authority Drive Off Strong Party From Post South of

Dixmude. Paris, Feb. 8 .-- The official communight, says:

nication, issued by the war office to-"Spirited artillery fighting took place south of the Somme in the reof Deniecount and Lihons. "Enemy aeroplanes dropped projec- wounded shortly after going to occurred on the rest of the front. tiles in the region of St. Vincent France. bridge. Four civilians were killed and five wounded."

Belgian communication: "Last night the Germans attempted to enter the Belgian lines, A strong enemy party advanced and attacked our post south of Dixmude, but was received by infantry and ma-chine gun fire. Our assailants were decimated, the survivors retiring. We took about a dozen prisoners also

parts of the front.

WAY ABOVE OBJECTIVE. Brantford Canvassers Reach Hand-

some Sum for Patriotic Fund

in Campaign. Special to The Toronto World. ed away at her home here today. She lars set for Brantford Petriotic fund siop. had been ill for about a year. She is was not sufficient for local canvassers, who tonight completed a three-day survived by three daughters and two some. Deceased was 71 years of age. campaign with the record mark of \$158,000. This includes a civic grant of \$24,000 voted at a special meeting of the city council this evening. The

is total was received with cheers and singing of the national anthem.

ELGIN LIBERALS MEET. Special to The Toronto Werld. St. Thomas, Ont., Feb. 8.—The annual meeting of the Elgin Liberal Asseclation was held in Dutton today. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, W. J. Galbraith; vice-president, William Galbraith; vice-president, West; secretary-treasurer, Wm. Patterson. It was decided that the Liberals would raise funds to enable the party to carry out expenses of the



ONE THING IS CERTAIN

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CANNOT BE FOUND SIMCOE LOSES BIG RETURNED SOLDIER

Pte. Frank McDonald, Belleville, Has Not Been Seen Since

Special to The Toronto World.

Belleville, Ont., Feb. 8.—Pte. Frank
McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McDonald, of this city, has been miss-ing since Sunday last, and his disuppearance is causing his relatives and friends much anxiety. He went to mass at St. Michael's Church Sunday morning and left before the services were over. McDonald was recently invalided home, having been a victim of shell shock and nervousness shock and nervousness. He was for a time at the convalescent home at Kingston, leaving a week ago to visit his parents. Enquiry has been made at Kingston, but he is not in that city. He is 19 years of age, tall and well built for his age. It is feared that he has wandered away. He was dressed in his kickly innform

LIEUT:-COL. CLARKE RETURNS TO GALT

Former South Waterloo Battalion Commander Was Four Weeks in France.

Special to The Toronto World.
Galt, Ont., Feb. 8.—After having raised the 111th South Waterloo Battatlion, taking it overseas and spending four weeks on the firing line in France, Lieut.-Col. J. D. Clarke slipped France, Lieut.-Col. J. D. Clarke slipped quietly into town today, but when his return became known he received a hearty greeting from friends. He was accompanied back by Major L. W. Johnston, of the same unit. Both officers are in good health and come home quite satisfied as to what the result will be of the great conflict after what they have seen. While the 111th arthey have seen. While the 111th arrived in England only in October, practically the whole unit is now on the

THREE WOUNDED MEN RETURN TO ST. THOMAS ITALIAN MASSED FIRE

City Officials Give Warm Welcome to Heroes of the Somme.

Special to The Toronto World. St. Thomas, Ont., Feb. 8.—Three wounded men received 2 warm welcome from their families and the city officials this morning on their return home. Pte. T. G. Flint went overseas with the 33rd Battalion. Later he was transferred to the 7th Canadian Battalion. He went thru all the heavy fighting on the Somme. He is permanently disabled by gunshot wounds. Boland, we carried out against the Pte. Harry Moody also went thru the German trenches a surprise attack Somme fight and was severely wound-which enabled us to bring lack about ed. He enlisted with the 18th Bat20 prisoners. Nothing of importance tailon. Pte. R. B. Gillick went overcocurred on the rest of the found. seas with the 91st Battalion. He was

STREET RAILWAY MEN UP AGAINST HIGH COST

Brantford Trades and Labor Council Recommend Labor Men for Commission.

Special to The Toronto World. Brantford, Ont., Feb. 8.—There seems to be little relief in sight for the street railway men here, following night by the French near Bonzee, in the street railway into the verdun sector," today's official their request for higher wages, because their request for higher wages and higher wages are not higher wages. of the increased and unforeseen high ers occurred during the night in other cost of living. The Trades and Labor Council appointed a committee to walt on the municipal railway commission and have presented a report stating that they were courteously received, but that the commissioners held that the men should live up to the agreement made last year as living cost had not increased since them. The with a number of the local coal deal-committee recommended that steps be ers, is negotiating in Buffalo for the had not increased since them. taken to see that in future years work-Brantford, Feb. 8.—The objective of taken to see that in future years work-one hundred and fifty thousand dol-ing men were elected to the commis-

> KILLED IN ACTION. Pte, Hugh Ne I McArthur, Seymour Township, Makes Supreme Sacrifice.

Special to The Toronto World. Cobourg, Ont., Feb. 8.—Mrs. Neil McArthur, Seymour West, has been officially informed that her son. Pte. Hugh Neil McArthur, was killed in action on Jan, 17. Pte. McArthur was a popular young citizen of Seymour Township, 29 years of age. He went overseas last year and was later sent with a draft to France. Besides his mother, he is survived by one sister, living at home.

FINDS ORE IN GALWAY.

Special to The Toronto World. Keene, Ont., Feb. 8.—George J. Mc-Kee of Smith Township is receiving congratulations because when he traded part of his landed possessions in Galway for a farm near Campbell-ford he retained one hundred acres in the former township, upon which valuable ore has been found. A company, it is stated, will be formed which will begin operations in the spring. The ore has been tested, it is said, and it is believed that lead, copper and gold deposits exist in paying quantities.

RECRUITING AT KITCHENER.

Special to The Toronto World. Kitchener, Feb. 8.—Recruiting rooms were opened today in this city for the purpose of enlisting men in the 256th Railway Construction Battalion, Sgt. W. H. Benninger is in charge. Nine recruits have already been

OTTAWA CITIZEN **ANSWERS ROGERS**

F. H. Southam's Offer of Property to Rogers is Explained.

COURT FULL INQUIRY

Light on "Notorious Carslake Deal" is Demanded by Paper.

Special to The Toronto World,
Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 8—The Ottawa
Citizen says today:
That the Hon. Robert Rogers of all
men in public life has earned the undisputed title of apostle of untruth
and unfairness no one will deny the
has any knowledge of the circumstances referred to by him in the
house yesterday afternoon, when he
so bitterly attacked The Citizen and
those associated with it.

It has been left to him to establish Lithographing Plant Destroyed in Spectacular Blaze at

It has been left to him to establish record unprecedented for degrading a record insprecedented for degrating and distorting the privilege of his office to discredit a newspaper and despicably impugn the sincerity of its motives in criticizing him as a minister of the crown. The Citizen much prefers its independence to being a party organ and assuming an attitude and pursuing a policy that would make possible such rancid deals, for instance as are associated with the name of the Hon. Robert Rogers in Manitoba. The Citizen courts the fullest investigation of the incident referred to by him. It Special to The Toronto World.

Simcoe, Ont., Feb. 7.—One of the worst fires here in many years occurred tonight, when the entire plant of the Simcoe Lithographing Company, Limited, was destroyed, involving the loss of something like \$200,000 in valuable machinery and stock, both of which will be difficult to replace. The cause of the fire is as yet unknown, and there are many sensational theories, connecting German agents with the fire.

The plant consisted of a two-storey, fireproof, brick building in Robinson street, extending from Metcalf to Queen street, and was erected two or three years ago by a subsidiary company to the Dominion Canners, Ltd., whose immense canning plant stands across Metcalf street, and which was saved with difficulty in the face of a strong west wind, which threatened to drive the fire in that direction.

which threatened to drive the fire in that direction.

The fire started somewhere near the centre of the long building about eight o'clock, and in two hours' time nothing remained save parts of the outer walls.

T. J. Smith, manager of the plant, was out of town, and in his absence an accurate estimate of the loss on stock is difficult to make, but it is understood that both the building and centents were insured.

Were \$10 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for the outside. I am prepared to dispose of the half of this property nearest Windsor street, or say 20,000 square for the outside. I am prepared to dispose of the half of this property nearest Windsor street, or say 20,000 square foot for the outside. I am prepared to dispose of the outside. I am prepared to di were \$10 per square foot for the inside portion, and \$12.50 per square foot for

stantial advance in the value of this The company printed all the labels required by the Dominion Canners, and carried on a thriving general trade as well. About 30 people, mostly highly-paid artists, will be thrown out of employment, and the town will suffer at least the temporary loss of one of its best industries. property during the last two years, would not go on record as having sold this property to the government at the price mentioned unless after an inves-tigation they were satisfied it has equal or greater advantages than other property under consideration and that it can be developed for the government's purposes for approximately haif the sum which a development on the other side of the street, the Carslake SILENCES FOE'S GUNS

property, would require."

What is there in the above to justify Austrian Attack Attempted in the accusation that he is being attackbecause he was not prepared to despoil the administration of his department for the personal gain of that compact? Nothing, surely. The Citizen and all those connected with it not Reme, Feb. 8,-'Our concentrated fire silenced several enemy batteries at various points on the front," says to-day's war office report. "In the Sugarna valley, after a violent bombardment, the enemy at dawn yesterday attempted another attack upon and of the post of attempted another attack upon one of

The public has the right to know the whole truth. Let there be light con-cerning that notorious Carslake proour positions on the right bank of the Brenta. It failed at its inception, however, owing to the combined action of

"A similar operation attempted by the enemy on the Freikofel had a like **FARMERS' COMPANY HAS ENCOURAGING YEAR**

Western Weather Insurance Or ganization Helps Patriotic More New York Evidence Fund by Good Sum.

Special to The Toronto World. Washington, Feb. 8.—Following the Special to The Toronto World. Woodstock, Ont., Feb. 8.—At the anadjournment of the stock leak inquiry today, Chairman Henry of the house rules committee announced that the nual meeting here this afternoon of the Western Farmers' Weather Insurance committee will probably make a secon i Mutual Company encouraging reports were presented. The business of the trip to New York next week to take the testimony of additional brokers. It is past year was shown to have been exbelieved that the hearing will be concellent, although a certain falling off cluded in a few days as far as, the was noticeable, due to the fact that the Washington witnesses are concerned agents, who are all farmers, were The committee will have to submit a short-handed. The financial statemen report to the house on or before Satshowed a cash surplus of slightly more than \$30,000 on hand. A proposal to subscribe \$500 to the Patriotic Fund and a similar amount to the Red Cross was referred to the directors with power to act. In this connection it Mayor of Kitchener Takes Up Mat-ter of Solving Fuel Shortage Problem. was pointed out that American comneting companies were not subscribing

to any of the war funds. Special to The Toronto World. Kitchener, Feb. 8.—Mayor Gross, The following officers were elected President, David Bonis, St. Marys; first vice-president, C. Ross, Embro; second Special to The Toronto World. vice-president, H. Hemsworth, purchase of enough coal to make a good-sized train. He has the guaranstown; managing director, Geo. Mc-Intosh, Harrington; secretary-treasantee of the G. T. R. that they will urer, E. L. Sutherland, Embro. supply the engine and crew to haul

the train to this city. Mayor Gross expects by this plan to bing instant relief to the coal situation. Ask Remedy, if Possible, For Scarcity of Leather fifty

which a good portion of the hides has

come. Newmarket and Montreal in-

terests were represented in the depu-tation. Sir George promised to do

Canadian Associated Press Cable.

London, Feb. 8.—The following wounded Canadians have arrived in France: Lieuts. G. W.

hospitals in France: Lieuts. G. W. Little, shot in lower body, slight; A.

Mortimer, shot in face right eye and right hand, slight; R. G. Dibble, abra-

sion of left cheek and concussion irom shell, slight.

At Weymonth street, Lieut. C. E. Kidd, contusion of left knee.

TO ASK FOR REFUND.

Kitchener, Ont., Feb. 8,—The council of the board of trade tonight endorsed

a resolution of the Waterloo County Board of Agriculture requesting the

Special to The Toronto World.

Is Only Slightly Wounded

Lieut. Dibble of Toronto

BATTALION ARRIVES SAFELY. By Staff Reporter. Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 8 .- Sir George Special to The Toronto World. Kitchener, Feb. 8.—Relatives in this Foster was asked by a deputation of city of the men of the 118th Battalion leather workers today to do something received cablegrams today stating if possible to relieve the leather sitthat the battalion had arrived safely nation in Canada. That commodity in England after an uneventful voy- is scarce, and one of the reasons is age. Their boat put in at Liphook that a restriction has been put upon the export of hides by Australia, from

what he could.

on the south shore. BIG SUM FOR AGRICULTURE. Special to The Toronto World. Washington, Feb. 8.—The senate to-day passed the agriculture appropria-tion bill carrying approximately \$24,-

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CHILD DIES OF BURNS. Little Girl Sets Fire to Her Clothes

Special to The Toronto World. Brantford, Ont., Feb. 8 .- Jessie, the hree-year-old daughter of Biggs, Durham street, got hold of some matches from which her clothes caught fire, and after suffering greatly at Brantford General Hospital, to which she was hurriedly removed, she passed away.

PARIS HYDRO PAYS.

Brantford, Ont., Feb. 8.—Paris Hydro-Electric, which had a deficit of \$210 in 1914, with a surplus of \$632 in the next year, has closed the past year with a surplus of \$4687. This is after paying interest and sinking fund on lifty thousand dollars waterpower plant scrapped for which debentures had not matured. The water had a surplus of \$2719.

DRAFT FOR BRANTS. Two Hamilton Battalions Will Co. tribute Men to Unit at Witley Camp.

Special to The Toronto World. Brantford, Ont., Feb. 8 .- Word v. received here today that men of the 120th and 173rd Hamilton Battalic would be drafted into the 125th B. talion now at Witley Camp, Engla and that the non-coms. of the battal have been ordered to brush up the b talion to perfection as a unit. former Brant, battalion has won th its attention to duty, discipline to

LOSE EIGHT MEN.

Special to The Toronto World. Brantford, Ont., Feb. 8.—The bullband of the 215th here loses ei

You can't beat

Old Dutch for taking rust and stains off knives



