## SUNDAY'S RECRUITING MEETINGS

R. R. Gamey, M.L.A., who spoke some of the recruiting meetings

AT THE PARK THEATRE

Results.

RECORD ENLISTMENT

Col. Vaux Chadwick's Pals Bat-

talion About Completed in

Two Weeks.

Over sixty recruits were secured at

last night's meeting in the Park

Theatre, hen 1200 people heard Major

Boehm of the 124th Battalion make

an appeal for the young men to rally

to the colors. Eight recruiting serge-

ants had a busy time at the con-

clusion of Major Boehm's speech, and

several more men were secured be-

fore the end of the meeting. All Can-

adians had good red blood, the speak

er asserted, and they only needed to

have the matter presented to them

in the right light, in order to make

best battalions that has been raised

in Canada since the outbreak of war

was secured for this unit, in the re-

cord time of two weeks. In asking

Chadwick made an appeal for chums

to enlist together to form a platoon. Proof of how this idea has caught on

was evidenced when the record made

Monroe Doctrine Useless.

ville, who acted as chairman of the

meeting also made a vigorous appea for men to seek the recruiting ser-

geants. Speaking of the effects which

Canada has already experienced, he

said that suffering makes character

and that this character would make

Canada the greatest country under the sun. "The Monroe doctrine is

not worth a snap of the finger if the

kaiser wins the war," said Mr. Dono van. Confidence in the ultimate is

sue was expressed by the speaker, but he said that Canada had to send

Live it nobly, live it for the welfare of your country," he exclaimed.

Sergt.-Major Donovan, of the R.C.

o, invited men to jo'n his unit and

his remarks were met with a hearty

esponse from the big audience. When

the recruiting sergeants stated that

sixty men were secured, they intimated

that at least that number would pass

he medical examination and that the

for the artillery and infantry units

the first of a serious of meetings to

be held in the Park Theatre, under the direction of Walter Packer of the

Boasi, and R. Wilson Kenney.

The One Hundred

Many committees of more than one

money, served in artistic surround-

arms. "This is not a war of nations

it is a war of decency and truth." he

Mayor Church, after declaring that

recruiting in Toronto was good, had some interesting things to say about

the meeting of women held in the par-

other things, he said that as long as

called upon to sweep the streets of

Twelve recruits were secured at the

he was mayor no woman would

buildings recently. Among

finest sons to secure the desired "We have only one life to live.

E. Donovan, M.L.A., of Brock

by the 124th was shown.

end.

would probably

the theatre.

men to jump into the fray Col

them willing to don the khaki.

Toronto yesterday.

HETHER or not the recruiting methods emenquiry of a number of critics recently, and the answer was given yesterday at the five recruiting meetings held thruout the city, 115 men responding. At each of the meetings, which were held in Loew's Theatre (two), the Star Theatre, the Park Theatre and the Templars' Khaki Club, enthusiasm ran high, and after listening to the addresses of a number of prominent speakers,

recruits came forward eagerly.

The Park Theatre gained the highest number, 60 enlisting; at two meetings, Loew's accounted | zlewood and Major Boehm.

for 22; the Star, 21, and, at the evening meetingin the Khaki Club, 12 were recruited. At Loew's Theatre, Dr. Norman Allen occu-

pied the chair, and addresses were made by Miss Helen Losanitch, Mayor Church, J. Benjamin Gould, Colonel Vaux Chadwick, Captain Mayor, Lieut. Price and R. R. Gamey, M.L.A. D'Arcy Hinds presided at the Star, where the speakers

Major Boehm, Sergt.-Major Donovan and A. E. Donovan, M.L.A., were responsible for the large number enlisting at the Park, while at the Khaki Club speeches were made by Hon. Thomas Crawford, M.L.A.; Thomas Hook, M.L.A.; Oliver Hez-

## MAKES STIRRING CALLS TO JOIN THE COLORS

Rousing Recruiting Meetings Held at Loew's During Afternoon and Evening.

WOULD DISMISS FIT

Lieut.-Col. Vaux Chadwick Suggests That Employers Assist in the Work of Recruiting.

Capacity audiences attended the meetings held yesterday aftermoon and evening at Loew's Yonge Street Theatre, under the auspices of the Citizens' Recruiting League. Immense crowds formed along Yonge street on either side of the entrance long before the time for the doors to open and a bystander was heard to remark that if all the eligible men in the line were to enlist there would be little work left for the recruiting sergeants. Within five minutes of the opening of the doors the big auditorium was packed. An exceptionally good program of speakers and artists was provided un-SIXTY MEN SECURED

der the direction of D'Arcy Hinds.
Lieut. Price of the American Legion took the chair in the afternoon. Lieut. Price appealed to the men present as a citizen of a neutral country, to rally to the flag which every nation the world over respected as an emblem of liberty, freedom and honor. Should Respond to Call.

R. R. Gamey, in an inspiring address, urged all those who were eligible, to try and realize the state of Belgium and what Germany had done there, and to consider that but for British honor, that might easily have been the fate of Canada under German rule, and worse.

"No eligible man," said the speaker,
"can consider himself free to refuse
this call of the empire. You and I are
as much concerned in the war, as ich concerned in the death of Edith Cavell, as those in London or Glasgow Any man who refuses to enlist to help prevent atrocities condones with them." Private Andrews, of the first con-tingent, who had been badly gassed and has yet to go up north for treatment, still shows signs of his terrible experiences, but his speech was of the most inspiriting and plucky character. With graphic gestures he urged men to wake up and realize how badly they were needed at the front, characterized the whole German machination as an agency of the devil, "but as the devil has been overcome before now, so we are going to overcome Germany, but we need your help. he said. Private Andrews advised the men who funked enlisting to get into

A Serbian Refugee. At a call for recruits in the after-noon meeting several men stood up in various parts of the house, and were invited to the front where their names were taken for the various regimen's. Other speakers were Private Shan-nahan and Miss Helen Losanitch, the plucky little Serbian lady, who gave an account of some of her experiences during the second Austrian invasion of

The military arrangements were under the direction of Lieut. W. B. Livett, of the 109th Regiment. Miss Florence Good and Miss Munro gave recitations and the following artists contributed songs: Miss Hurst, Miss Boasia, Jack Oldfield, Miss Roach and Norris Manley. William T. Davis,

accompanist, also gave assistance.

The number of recruits at the afternoon meeting was 10.

The Night Meeting.

Another capacity audience attended the night meeting, and in addition to a number of addresses by prominent speakers an excellent musical program was rendered.

Miss Helen Losanitch, who is in this country on behalf of the people of Serbia, related her experiences when the Austrians invaded her country for the second time. She drew a vivid picture of the hardship and privations suffered by the Serbians and referred to the atrocities which were per-petrated. After thanking Canadians for the help they were giving thru their contributions to the Red Cross, Miss Losanitch concluded, "Believe me every officer, soldier, man, woman and child are confident that victory will

ultimately rest with the allies."

R. R. Gamey, M. L. A., made a forcespecial stress on the fact that Gerhad been preparing for many years for this war, which was one for freedom and liberty against autocracy In appealing to the young men spoke of the atrocities committed in atrocities would happen if the Germans

Dismiss the Fit. Lieut.-Col. Vaux Chadwick of the 124th Battalion, in a brief address, said that only 150 recruits were now required for the "Pals" Battalion. He winted out that the unit had made a record in Ontario for recruiting, and with the exception of a regiment in Winnipeg it had been completed most rapidly in Canada. He urged employers to dismiss employes physically fit for service, and asked the women to refrain from entertaining young men fit

Capt. Mayor of 15th Battalion, who said. wounded at Festubert, related a number of experiences at the front. and in asking for recruits said, "I ton't think it is any more dangerous in the trenches when an attack is not being made than it is to walk down

J. B. Gould of Boston referred to the war from an American standpoint, and was of the opinion that all Americans with a love of justice should take up night meeting.

## KHAKI CLUB'S RALLY HELPS IN RECRUITING SECURES TWELVE MEN

That Number Comes Forward in Answer to Appeal of Major Boehm.

BIG RUSH TO COLORS

Speaker Prophesies That Ten Thousand Will Join in Toronto in Few Weeks.

In answer to a recruiting appeal by Major M. S. Boehm twelve men joined the colors at the Sunday night rally, held in the Templars' Khaki Club building, West Queen street and Dovercourt road.

He had the audience stand in classes, these is labely more over 45 men. re-

those in khaki, men over 45, men rejected and those "who had red blood in their veins." Most of the latter class who stood up remained standing and gave their names to the recruiting sergeants, who came down the aisles.

Major Boehm prophesied that 10,000 men would enlist in Toronto during the next few weeks. He concluded his speech by getting a portion of the women in the audience to rise and promise they would endeavor to get their men relatives to enlist.

"Pals" About Complete.

Lieut.-Col. Vaux Chadwick, com-

mander of the 124th Pals Battalion, stated that his regiment was now up to a strength of 1048. He predicted enough recruits would come forward today to bring it up to 1126, its full

Hon. Thomas Crawford, who was introduced as one of the most active members of the Toronto Recruiting ague, said he thought some citizens ere disposed to treat rather severely se who had not yet volunteered and lon khakl," and pointed out that it is not always possible to tell by outdenlisted. He believed that it was recessary to let men know they e needed and they would respond League, said he thought some citizens "were disposed to treat rather severely those who had not yet volunteered and put on khaki," and pointed out that it was not always possible to tell by out-ward circumstances why a man had not enlisted. He believed that it was were needed and they would respond readily enough. Thomas Hook, M.L.A., was chair

Oliver Hezzlewood said that recen investigations had shown that there was no danger of starving Germany out. He thought the war would last a good while yet. This meant that many more men would be needed from Canada. Women would probably have to get down to manual labor in order to keep the financial status of Canada

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head.
Because of its tonic and laxative effect
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE can be taken

### MEN THE GREAT NEED The address by Col. Vaux Chadwick of the 124th Battalion was one of praise for Toronto, as one of the SAYS SERGT. ANDREWS

Returned Soldier Makes Stirring Address at Star Theatre Recruiting Meeting.

TWENTY-ONE COME UP

Respond to Appeal of Speakers for Men to Fill Gaps" at Front.

Twenty-one men were recruited a he Star Theatre last night at a big ecruiting rally. Lieut. J. B. Price of he American Legion, Major Boehm of the 169th, and Colonel Chadwick of the 124th "Pals" Regiment, were intrumental in getting the men to en-

A stirring address was delivered by Pte. Andrews, who is a returned soldier from the front. He said: "There is only one way to check the great onslaught of the kaiser, that is to fill up the gaps that are being made. And don't get the idea intotal number of men who signed up to your head that Germany is starving, y and infantry units for she has been preparing for this total 100. This was great event for the past forty years. It is true that our navy has got the German navy bottled up, and it will keep it so until it is covered with dust recruiting league and D. A. Lockie of and cobwebs, but all fronts need soldiers and that is the only way the war Those who contributed to the musi- will be won. My mother has given cal part of the program were: Fred three sons and that is the only kind of

Brown, Mrs. Gregg. Miss Marci scontributions that will win for Great D'Arcy Hinds acted as chairman of the meeting.

warship was launched in 1903, has a speed of 181/2 knots, and was armed by four twelve-inch, four 9.2 inch, and twenty-four smaller guns. She was Lieut. Price said: "During the civil hundred daily visit the Hotel Teck to war there were 28,000 Canadians get the best dinner in the city for the crossed the border and fought in that dreadnought. struggle, and only 14,000 of them came back. The American Legion is going for a number of reasons; some are going for adventure, but the greater drew under protection of a Russian battleship which exchanged shots with number are going because they think that Great Britain is fighting for

the Goeben at long range. The Goeben fled into the Bosphorus. verlasting justice and freedom Major Boehm made his appeal anadian-born. In asking for records Turks. Germans, and rebels, who at one time threatened serious trouble to British and Russian interests. It is said that the Russian incursion into he said he was asking for men to save Canada, for to the victor belonged the Persia has already had a good effect in Afghanistan and on the Indian spoils, and Canada would be one of frontier. the first things asked for if Germany

was the victor. Among those taking part in the musical end of the program were Miss Shannon, Miss Reodding, Miss Gray, "Wee" Paddy and C. R. Tuttle.

# THREE DROWNED WHILE

Two Bodies Recovered From Bay and Police Are Dragging for a Third.

WENT THRU THIN ICE

Earl Robins, John Smiley and

Shortly following the report of Roseberg's drowning, the police were notified that Earl Robins, 244 Rossiyn avenue, had been drowned at the foot of Weilington street. Robins, along with another you h, broke thru the ice. Their cries were heard by others, who rushed to their assistance, but Robins had sunk refore he could be taken out. His body was recovered about 6 o'clock Saturday evening, and removed to the city morque evening, and removed to the city morque. Coroner Anderson ordered an inquest,

was recovered about 6 o'clock Saturday evening, and removed to the city morgue. Coroner Anderson ordered an inquest, which will be held at noon today.

Around three o'clock several young boys reported to the police that a young man had been drowned near Willow Pcint. Late Saturday evening Joseph Smiley, who resides on the Plains road at Aldershot, reported to the police that his nephew had started out across the Bay for Hamilton to have his skates sharpened early in the afternoon, but had not returned. Early yesterday morning two policemen and Mr. Smiley commenced a search for the body, and at 11.15 were successful in recovering it in menced a search for the body, and at 11.15 were successful in recovering it in the vicinity of Willow Point.

Several others went thru the ice, but were rescued and escaped with a good ducking. The police have issued a warning agains, skating on the bay until the ice is at least six inches thick.

LAND IS BLOCKED

Caledonia Ratepayers Complain of Fence South of Hughes School.

"but when the property was purchased by the city they fenced it in, thereby depriving the residents of a right-of-

way."
The matter will be brought to the attention of the civic authorities by the Caledonia Ratepayers' Association. ENJOYING THE SKATING.

Owing to the ideal weather conditions for skating prevalent during the last few days crowds of people in the Earlscour' district took advantage of the occasion and patronized the two rinks prepared by the civic authorities at Boon and Ascot avenues. A noticeable feature was the large number of men in military uniforms skating and indulging in ice sports. forms skating and indulging in its sports. Young men of military age not in military clothes were conspicious by their

at other points of the front.

encounter and operation.

of a good system of metaled roadways.

among the Muscovite spoils of war.

: WAR SUMMARY:

Today's Events Reviewed

(Continued from Page 1).

and taking the retreating party under a rain of shells from their 75's. Not

far from this place the French guns caused several fires in the German

works near Stossweir, northwest of Muenster. It is here that an offensive

of the middle Stripa and two attempts of the enemy to recapture Czartorysk

were defeated with considerable losses to him, the Russian official com-

munique on the war announced yesterday. It further adds that in the

fighting northeast of Czernowitz on Friday the Russians captured 20 offi-

cers, 1175 men, and three machine guns. Other information is not given,

the war office merely contenting itself with publishing the results of each

Saturday, Petrograd officially reports. The entry of Russian detachments

into this town drew to the spot considerable forces of the enemy which

repulsed the Russian advanced troops, but the foe was afterwards dis-

lodged, leaving three officers and fifty men in Russian hands. Further

attempts of the enemy to drive the czar's men from this point failed. The

advantage in holding this position is that it gives the Russians the control

Russians in the middle Stripa, where Russian units captured an enemy po-

sition here and there, according to Saturday's official Russian communique.

The Russians have fortified themselves in the centre of wire entanglements

in immediate contact with the foe. Several machine guns are included

stop the Russian offensive northwest of Czernowitz, their desperate coun-

ter-attacks with large forces in the face of the advancing Russians being re-

pulsed with enormous losses. Fourteen officers and over 300 men, with

pride of the fleet, has been sunk by a mine. The crew was saved. This

thirteen years of age and was still a useful vessel, altho outclassed by the

encountered by Russian torpedo boats in the Black Sea. The boats with-

two machine guns, were taken prisoner by the Russians.

Seventeen officers and over 1000 men were taken prisoners by the

Austrian military measures taken up to the end of the week failed to

H.M.S. King Edward VII., a second-class battleship, and once the

. . .

The German battle cruiser Goeben, now in the Turkish service, was

The Russian forces in Persia continue their task of dispersing the

The Austrians have undertaken a vigorous offensive against the Mon-

tenegrins and they captured the Villages of Godocha and Goduevo to the

left bank of the Touriak, but they were repulsed everywhere else. The

struggle is being continued with desperation.

After considerable fighting Czartorysk remained in Russian hands

The Germans and Austrians have been driven from the eastern bank

# York County and Suburbs of Toronto

# RECRUITING PROGRESSES JITNEY MEN PROTEST FOR COUNTY REGIMENT

Depots for Acceptance of Re- Claim cruits Have Been Established at Many Points.

CZBress were claimed by the ley-waters of Hamilton Bay on Saturday afternoon when three yeung men were drowned while skaturg.

They were Earl Rooins, aged 16, who resided at 244 Rossiyn avenue; John Shrilev eyed 18 years, who lived win Shrilev eyed 18 years, who lived win Shrilev eyed 18 years, who lived win Compilshed his years are before the bay been recovered, but so far no race of Roseberg, so mains can be found.

The first victim of the thin ice was a Roesberg, who attempted to skate across the bay about 2.30 p.m. He had almost occompilshed his task where Cemeters the bay about 2.30 p.m. He had almost occompilshed his task where Cemeters while the work and the proposed radial situation of Roseberg, who attempted to skate across the bay about 2.30 p.m. He had almost occompilshed his task where Cemeters who will also operate in New Toronto Hill, with Lieut. J. H. Wallace. Rischmond Hill, with the committen of the work of the case of th

Section Send Complaint to Earlscourt Association.

Complaints have been received from several business men in the St. Clair avenue district by the secretary of the Earlscourt Business Men's Association as to the lateness of the hour at which the morning delivery of mails has been made by the postal officials for some time past. The cause is attributed to the refusal of the civic authorities to allow the postmen to ride free of charge on the St. Clair avenue cars, and the matter is still in dispute between the postal authorities and the city.

"In the meantime we receive our business letters around ten o'clock when we

The matter is receiving the attention

FEW CHANGES ARE MADE IN COUNCILS OF COUNTY

Inaugural Meetings in Outlying Municipalities Will Be Held Today.

A majority of the township councils thruout the county will hold their inaugural meetings today, when the arrangement of committees and other initial ment of committees and other initial business will take place. A feature of this year's councils will be the relatively small number of changes that will be seen in any of the municipalities. York Township remains the same, and in Etoblooke, over ta the west of the county, there is no change, while, in Scarboro, two new councillors, Messrs. Heron and Crawford, replace Robt. McCowan and George B. Little. Markham Township made no change; neither did Whitchurch or Stouffville, and Richmond Hill, Aurora and Newmarket sent back the same

# AGAINST RESTRICTIONS THRUOUT THE TOWNSHIP

Running Are Unnecessarily

ev. D. T. S. McKerroll Conducts Interesting Ceremony at Morning Service in Church

rdination of eldership at the morning gest that the various school section ordination of eldership at the morning service. The newly ordained elders are: Hector Forbes, J. A. Howson, Angus McLean, J. D. Morrow, Donald Mc-Eachren, Geo. Park and W. Radford. The impressive ceremony was conducted by Rev. D. T. S. McKerrall.

A farewell banquet was tendered by the Rowntree firm to two of their employes, who have enlisted, and who leave for Kingston this week. Ed. Atwell and Harry Cole, the two youths for whom the supper was given, were each presented with a gold signet ring. William, Henry and Charles Rowntree made brief speeches on behalf of the firm.

The attention of Keele street fire brigade was confined to a double can yesterday. At 2.22 a.m. the brigade was summoned to 1092 St. Clarens avenue, where an overheated stove caused a fire.

summoned to 1092 St. Clarens avenue, where an overheated stove caused a fire, which damaged the building and contents to the ex ent of \$95, which was covered by insurance. Morris Frenstean is the owner and occupant. A defective grate in 146 Mediand street again summoned them at 2.02 p.m. The damage caused was \$20. The tenant is N. S. Robins and Jos. Key is the owner.

R. George's House in Fairbank Finally Damaged to Extent of Thousand Dollars.

Shortly after six o'clock Saturday morning an outbreak of fire occurred at the two-storey unfinished frame house, 93 Seneca street, Fairbank, owned by an Italian named R. George, and occupied by himself, wife and child. The cause of the outbreak is at present unknown, but it is thought to be of an incendiary character. According to statements of various residents in the statements of various residents in the neighborhood, eight attempts have been made by parties unknown to set fire to the premises on different occasions.

As late as six o'clock on Friday evening Mr. George discovered and frustrated an attempt to set fire to the house, wood and inflammable material being placed at the side of the house and set alight.

Mr. George in extinguishing the flames was severely burned about the hands and wrists.

The damage to the building is esti-mated at \$1000, partly covered by insur-

### GIVE FIXED ASSESSMENT TO GOODYEAR CO.

would be pressed against Alsace. Artillery firing marked the operations Proposal Carried in New Toronto by Majority of Hundred and Thirty-One.

By a vote of 189 to 58 the Village of New Toronto on Salurday decided to grant the Goodyear Rubber Company a fixed assessment of \$27,000 a year for 20 years, in consideration of the erection of a factory and the employment of 1500 employes the first year, increasing the next year to 35(0). The vote polled was a very large one, great interest having been aroused in the project. The con-rects are said to have been already let for the erection of the building.

ECONOMY THIS YEAR. Local Improvements in the County Will Be Cut Down.

"Economy in the matter or local improvemens in the Township of York will undoubtedly prevail during the present year," said a member of the York Township Council yesterday. "During the past "ear a considerable amount of improvements were carried out in different parts of the township, and the ratenavers generally are apparently weil ratepayers generally are apparently weil satisfied with the council's efforts. In connection with the campaign of the Toronto and York Patriotic League, it is expected a tax will be levied on the residents to raise the amount required."

GIVEN FIELD KITCHEN.

The 125th Peel Regiment were yester-day made the recipients of a field kitchen by the people of Islington at the morning service in St. George's (Anglican) Church. The Regimental Band and a large number of officers were present.

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# WILL RAISE BIG FUND

Rules Governing Their School Trustees and Ratepayers Meet to Decide on Best Method of Action.

### LEVY WAR ASSESSMENT

Morrey May Be Secured by Direct Taxation on Every Man on Rolls.

Great enthusiasm was manifested by he school trustees and ratepayers of York Township, who attended the meet ng held in the township offices on Sat urday afternoon to atrange for the or ganization of the municipality for patrictic and war purposes. A large ma fority of those present after hearing Somerville of the Patriotic Fund Association showed their interest by asking questions of the officials and making umerous suggestions.

After the addresses a resolution W. F. Maclean, M.P., and George S. Henry, M.L.A., was carried. The resolution read: "That this meeting of the school trustees and natepayers of the Township of York, after hearing the needs of the Toronto and York Patriotic Fund, is of the opinion that the municipal organizations, both county and all others, should levy an assessment suf Victoria Presbyterian Church held its ficient to do their part; and further surthe township organize at once to assist in this and all other patriotic activities while the war lasts. Furthermore that we hereby organize the township war

we hereby organize the township war auxidary."

The following were then elected officers of the auxiliary: President, Andrew Grant, Todmorden; vice-presidents, W. F. Maclean, M.P.; George S. Henry, M. L.A., and Dr. Forbes Godfrey, M.L.A., secretary, D. W. Proctor, Runnymede; assistant secretary, William White; treasurer, Township Treasurer W. J. Douglas; assistant treasurer, W. Caswall.

The presidents of the auxiliary organ-

Douglas; assistant treasurer, W. Caswall. The presidents of the auxiliary organized in the diffenent school sections will act as an executive.

Reaching the Stingy Man.

The question of reaching the man not disposed to contribute to patriotic purposes was taken up, and the suggestions made will be looked after by the committee. Many were in favor of a direct levy being made on the ratepayers, but Reeve Griffiths, who occupied the chair, pointed out that it would be obviously unfair for the township council to levy a tax in addition to the one which in all probability will be levied by the county council. In view of this fact, it was decided to wait until the latter reach a decision.

decision.

Norman Somerville was the first speaker, and he outlined the plan of organizing a war auxiliary for the township to supervise the work of recruiting, the Patriolic Fund and the Red Cross He points at out that the governor-general's appear ed out that the governor-general's appeal called for \$300,000 for York County to be raised either by a tax levy or by a whirlwing campaign.

W. C. Noxon, the hon, secretary of the Toronto and York Patriotic Fund, explained in detail the work which is being accomplished by that body, and emphasized the fact that the administration expenses were hardly two per cent. He maintained that the system was being brought nearer perfection every day, and gave illustrations of cases brought to the notice of the association, by which they were gradually discovering the few flaws in the administration which permitted of deception and imposition.

"This association is a friend of those whose advisers have gone to fight for the country," he said "We assume the place of the father or the husband, and act in an advisory capacity, as well as in a charltable way."

the pointed out that every anonymous lette, received regarding people benefiting from the fund was investigated by proper women investigators. Three of the most prominent troubles experienced with the women, he said. were incapacity, improvidence and drunkenness, but he was glad to say that the cases were few, and when brought to the notice of the associaspeaking of deception, he said, "I don't cuppose out of a million dollars spent we lose a thousand from all the cases

He stated that the organization, besides providing for the dependents, was doing a great deal along social lines thru the patriotic spirit in which they were able to approach people whom no other association could reach. Concluding his remerks, Mr. Noxor said that the administration was good and the officials were all over military

W. F. Maclean pointed out the need of every person doing his utmost along patriotic lines. "As taxpayers in the Deminion of Canada, you will have to contribute largely to aid the prosecution of the war and to help the dependents of those who do the fighting. First, there is the need and then there is the duty. We are here to discuss how we shall bear our portion. The member for South York declared that it might be necessary to raise the sources of income could be fallen back on, voluntary contribution or ar. assessment. He was of the opinion that the Township of York would up its share, and probably a little more than its share, when the people learned more about the matter.

Dr. Forbes Godfrey, M.L.A., was in a critical mood and said that the trouble with us that we muddle along raise Cain generally, and in the waste a lot of energy accomplishing little.

"I don't believe in our recruiting niethods. It is a case of the willing horse, he said. We need conscription of the men and conscription of finance." Dr. Godfrey was at a loss to understand how a county jury would be obtained if they were not got tonethods. He pointed out that a Jury man was forced to attend court. The last words of the jury notice read:
"At your peril." Dr. Godfrey deplored the fact that men in the township did not get together enough on matters of public importance. 'You must get down and organize your section,' he said. public importance. "You must get down and organize your section," he said. "This is no fool thing. This is no play. I would suggest that the Township of York levy so many mills on the dollar, and then nobody would be missed." George S. Henry, M. L. A., pointed out that all over the township there was a feeling that the patriotic money was being extravagantly spent, and that the dependents were living like princes, but he was certain that after. princes, but he was certain that after Mr. Noxon's address the opinion would change. "I think that the people of change. "I think that the people the County of York are ready for very considerable levy for patriot

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