### **FLOOD DANGER IS** PAST, BELIEF OF CITY ENGINEER

Tuesday Night's Cold Snap Allowed Surface Water to Escape Easily.

ICE EXPECTED TO STAY

Will Hardly Move Until Snow Is Gone, Because of Its Unusual Solidity.

The cold snap of Tuesd 'night has relieved for the time at lea any danger of a flood, and embled the surface water of a flood, and embed the strace water to get away without danger.

There was considerable flooding of cellars due to frozen sewers, and similar condittions. One sewer on Ridout street flooded badly, and it looked as if considerable damage would be done, but the frozen place was cleared up, and the water get free.

pelieved, most of the snow will be "It looks safe enough now," said City Engineer Brazier, "although one can never tell. We are keeping close watch on the ice."

intle more passable, but many of them are still in bad condition. Where the residents have cleaned them off and made drains, the walks are in fair condition, but not all residents are similarly afflicted with a public spirit. Walks that have not been touched are many inches deep in frozen slush. s deep in frozen slush. The condition of the roads is much he same. The country roads are bad, itch-holes have already made their appearance an are dangerous. In some

The thaw has created a miniature several feet deep in the big hollow justice south of the C. P. R. depot. The inta of the tile drain is frozen over. Had the continued its progress of Tuesda

pecial committee appointed bunty council to revise count of the most imp No definite action

McCLARY'S USING COAL .- The Mcto the effect that such gas was only to used by domestic consumers until

GOOD SHOWER BATHS.—In many sections of the city, both yesterday the Tecumseh House. W. B. Preston of the Brantford Expositor, is the origin-walked on the road in preference to

BIG SKATING PARTY .- Arrange-

GREAT RINKS POSSIBLE.—If the weather remains hard extemporized skating rinks will be in full operation in many parts of London, particularly in vacant lots abutting on open creeks. The freezing of the ice in these open streams backed all surface water of the past .ew days into the fields, where it has now frozen.

WELCOMED RUBBERS DAY.

WELCOMED RUBBERS. — Rubbers issued to the men of the C. E. F. are now one of the most welcome parts of their equipment. Men sent over by the British-Canadian Recruiting Mission from the States who were able to see the effects of the lack of rubber issues in the American army canton.

Military Changes. sues in the American army canto n the choice of armies.

of Mr. and Mrs. Art Taylor o 188 Mahel street tendered them a sur prise party on Tuesday night. Euchre was the first entertainment feature and Mr. Hall walked away with the prize for men. The men's booby prize fell to Mr. booby winner. Dancing was indulged in until an early hour. Supper was served the evening.



even if you are now weak and run-down-even if your nerves are all unstrung. The food phosphates and iron, of which



ng blood, brain and nerves the exact nourishment needed to bring them up to standard. Men and women suffering from weakness, nervous exhaustion, sleeplessness, bad blood, depression, need this vitalizing tonic, which restores strentgh and vigor. It feeds the nerves and brain and puts more in the blood. Contains no ol. We have sold large quantities of this wonderful remedy and recommend it positively. Large

composed, supply to the starv-

TREATMENT \$1.50 FOR SALE ONLY BY



#### READY TO COMPETE FOR "PERFECT BABY" HONORS



Just a few of the babies and their mothers photographed by an Advertiser camera man at the Child Welfare Exhibit in the Y. M. C. A. building. Baby week in London has brought out a wonderful exhibition of the future generation. Babies are being brought in to the clinics in scores by their proud

# "DOLLAR DAY" IS **GIVEN BOOSTERS**

DEFINITE ACTION HELD UP. Originator of Bargain-Giving Sales Talks to Local Organization.

SANDING WALKS-City gangs have ANNOUNCING DATE SOON

Committee of London Merchants Working Enthusiastically for First Sale.

centily formed among London's merthe sidewalks were given semi-shower baths by passing street cars. The rails were small rivers and passing cars shot water for many feet on each side of the track allowance.

school students on Friday, under the auspices of the two high school clubs. Westminster rink has been secured, and as the second and third years and the upper school are invited, it is expected to be the biggest social affair ever held by the school. for launching the mo

NAMED FOR DEPOT

Returned Men Join W. O. R .- Other

Lieut, Charles H. Atkinson of the Cyclist Platoon of Military District No. 1 and Lieut, John K. Pope of the 33rd Battalion have been appointed to the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment,

mp orders announced today.

Jieut. Franklin A. Herman of the
th Battalion has been appointed to
Unit, Military Hospitals Commission

noon at St. Paul's Cathedral of Miss trenches. Helen Roberta Harvey, youngest daugh-Talbot street, to the Rev. Clarence Wardlaw Foreman, B. A., curate of St. Paul's Cathedral, son of the late Mr. J. W. Foreman and Mrs. Foreman, Toronto. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Precentor Tucker, assisted by the Rev. R. G. Peever, pastor of First

The groom has recently been appointed an overseas chaplain with the honorary rank of captain, and may leave for overseas shortly. He enlisted in the A. M. C. some time ago as a

Fort Worth, Texas, Feb. 13.—Second

RELIEF SHIP STRANDED.

### INSPIRATION FOR INSTRUCTIONS CALL FOR MORE STRINGENT ROUND-UP MEASURES VOTES TAKING

Provost Marshal Notified Fro m Ottawa That All Evaders of Military Service Must B e Gathered In at Once.

A more stringent search than ever for ish subject, he should be able to estabdefaulters under the military service act is forecast in telegraphic instructions reserved today at district headquarters is not in class one, or if so that he has been exempted."

The wire which was sent to the de
"Every man who is evading the caft the company of the artiment of the assistant provost-mar-hal in this district gave the tatter regent instructions to apprehend all lose who are dodging the provisions of the act will be rounded up," said the officer, "and no one who is likegally dodging service will be able to escape." Adding to Force. urgent instructions to apprehend all those who are dodging the provisions of the act in Western Ontario.

"It means that we are to carry on our search for defaulters with more energy than ever," an officer of the district staff informed The Advertiser.

No Excuses Will Go.

Adding to Force.

In order to make the search more effective twenty more men are to be taken on the staff of No. 1 Detachment, Military Folice, and applications will be received at once at district headquarters, Wolseley Barracks, for positions on the force. London's Dollar Day organization, recently formed among London's merchants, heard the ideas of the father of the movement today, when it met at heave compulied with its provisions."

No excuses will Go.

'No excuses are to be taken from the force.

Applicants should be at least five feet eight inches in height, and returned soldiers, and men who have had previous they are not subject to the act, or, if so, houseful Barracks, for positions on the force. "If a man is mauried, or is not a Brit-

#### INCREASED PENSION OF SOLDIER'S WIFE BY \$450 ANNUALLY

Efforts of G. W. V. A. Secretary Successful.

PRAISE BY ONTARIO HEAD

In Letter He Commends Work Being Done by Local Branch of Veterans.

Lieut. Franklin A. Herman of the 111th Battalion has been appointed to F Unit. Military Hospitals Commission Command.

Pte. Clarnece W. Foreman of the Army Medical Corps has been appointed chaplain with the honorary rank of captalin, and will, it is expected, be given an overseas appointment in the near future.

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CURATE OF ST. PAUL'S WAS MARRIED THIS AFTERNOON

Rev. C. W. Foreman and Miss Helen Harvey Wed.

The marriage took place this afternoon at St. Paul's Cathedral of Miss was given and the meaner in which the veterans here are standing behind one and the work being done by the Great War Veterans' Association was given at the meeting of the veterans' Association by the Great War Veterans' Association was given at the meeting of the veterans' Association association of the services of Secretary and association of the subtile of the efforts of the expression of the Expression of Mrs. Patterson of 789 the efforts of the expression of the

Utilities Commissioner Mitchell Getting Levels to Determine Best Location of 20.000,000-Gallon Reser-

Utilities Commissioner F. G. Mitchell will have the levels at the Foster wells and Springbank taken to determine what pressure can be obtained from reservoirs which might be erected at either place. From the present Springbank system, a pressure of 80 pounds can be secured. Commissioner Mitchell is confident that an equal pressure can be obtained from Foster's wells.

"The city of London must have a "The city of London must have a reserve supply of 20,000,000 gallons of water or more," said Mr. Mitchell. "It is all nonsense to imagine that we can go along living from hand to mouth. We must have a reserve of water. I

families of their commades still in the have to get an adequate water supply.

That's all there is to it."

#### ter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Harvey, OFFICIAL SANCTION SECURED FOR BRINGING HOME BODY OF AVIATOR FOR BURIAL

Father Notified That Remains of Flight-Lieut. Reginald Sanborn May Be Brought to Canada.

Definite assurance that the body of Flight Lieut. Reginald Sanborn, whose teath occurred in England as a result of a fall in his airplane, will be brought home to London for burial, was given his father, W. H. Sanborn, of 379 Dufferin avenue today. Wr. Sanborn was Fort Worth, Texas, Feb. 13.—Second Lieut. Peyton C. March, son of the chief of staff of the American army, is not expected to live through the day, following a 1,000-foot fall yesterday afternoon in his airplane at Taliaferro Field. He was commissioned but a few days ago. March, who was 20 years old, sustained a fractured skull.

RELIEF SHIP STRANDED.

The Relief of the Sanborn, of 379 Dufferin avenue, today. Mr. Sanborn was advised that permission to bring the body to Canada had been granted. C. P. R. officials in Old London will arrange the details with officers of the Royal Flying Corps. Information as to when the body will be forwarded to Canada will follow. Mr. Sanborn was informed. Until such time as this is received no arrangements can be made here for the funeral.

The assurance that the body will be RELIEF SHIP STRANDED.

The Hague, Feb. 13.—The Belgian relief steamship Tunisie, of 2,467 tons gross, while bound from New York to Amsterdam, stranded on Tuesday evening near Scheveringen. The accident presumably was due to fog. Attempts will be made to float the vessel at high tide.

LOSE PART DISCHARGE PAY.—Civil employees of the federal or provincial government who, on being discharged from the Canadian Expeditionary Force or on being retired, are privileged to return to their former positions in the government service are not to receive the usual three months' post-discharge pay, according to regulations published in camp orders today.



PTE. ARCHIE PINNELL, South African war veteran, who has never been able to walk since the Boer war, was on Tuesday night made an honorary member of the Great War Veterans' Association. He will be presented with the badge of the association. The veterans were unanimous at their meeting Tuesday night, in making the injured veteran of South Africa an honorary member. The case of Pte. Pinnell has attracted the greatest interest in London for many years. As the result of one campaign started by The Advertiser, \$1,200 raised for the rebuilding of the injured soldier's home.

### ABLE TO RELIEVE 120 MORE HOMES tion of Fuel From Dealers Into 500-Pound Lots.

CITY CONTROLLER

Divides 30-Ton Appropria-

DISTRESS NOT SO ACUTE

Clamor For Fuel, However, Is Just as Incessant as Before -No Coal Arrived Today.

Local Fuel Controller J. W. McCallum

Local Fuel Controller J. W. McCallum today received another donation of 30 tons of coal from dealers of the city to distribute to those who are suffering severely from a fuel shortage. This supply has been divided up into 120 lots of 500 pounds each, and is being delivered to 120 fuelless homes of the city. The garbage department has provided carts for the distribution.

No coal is reported to have reached the city today. Independent dealers expected shipments today or tomorrow. pected shipments today or tomorrow, but so far have not been advised of their

## IN DEMOBILIZATION OF CANUCK TROOPS

SAYS HAIG OF

Unionist Paper, However,

Calls It 'Strong Arm Squad'

Methods at Front.

Election Machine Overseas.

A special dispatch from London ngland, states that Sir Edward Kemp

Strong Arm Squad,
Reports are coming back on the
method of taking the soldier vote in
France. A Windsor officer, who was
Liberal, but voted for conscription,
with name of candidate left blank,

as he did not know who was running in his district, sends the following:

"During December an officer arrived at our camp to take the votes of the Canadians in this area. There were only eight or nine Canadis, and we were all in the room together. Particulars were taken and

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each sworn. A ballot was shoved down with the words from the of-fleer: 'Going to vote for or against the Government?'
"Several fellows voted against

conscription and the officer snapped at them: 'What are you, Boche or Austrian?' and remarks of the same order. This coming from an officer of the Umpty Ump battalion to a chap of a fighting unit and doing what he contractives are seen in the contractives.

what he can to carry on seems just a bit thick, doesn't it?"

Another Windsor boy who has been on the firing line from the first time the Canadians set foot in France, writes that "nothing was said out here about any Liberal and interest that "nothing was said out here about any Liberal and interest was a second to the sec

candidates supporting conscription in the last election." He adds: "All the campaign literature, until

HAIG'S WAR REPORT.

LONDONER WAS IN CHARGE Col. Frank Reid, Well-Known Conservative Worker, Ran

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The dispatch mentions that Col. Frank Reid of London, Ontario, was the officer in charge of the election in France.

As is well known, Col. Reid was a well-known Conservative while in London. He was first in the crockery business and later launched a large automobile sales enterprise. He left the city unattached, in a military sense, and was chosen by Sir Sam Hughes to supervise transport at Valcartier. Since that time he has been busily engaged in England, the election occupying his energy for the last few months.

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Balance of \$31,782.

The disbursements were: Prizes: Speed, \$2,800; horses, \$4,792,50; cattle, \$5,154; sheep, \$2,204.50; swine, \$1,772; poultry, \$2,283.50; agriculture, \$956; dairy and honey, \$1,130; fruit and flowers. potatry, \$2,283.00 agnorating, \$350, agnorating, \$351, and honey, \$1,130; fruit and flowers, \$1,110.50; kadies' work, \$1,016.75; dogs, \$110.50; ladies' work, \$1,016.75; dogs, \$14,947.90; printing and advertising, \$4,986.84; police, \$351.76; office expenses, \$4,931.09; general expenses, \$2,180.98; \$4,936.84; poince, \$531.75; office explaints, \$4,331.09; general expenses, \$2,180.95; grounds and buildings, \$9,109.94; gates and tickets, \$1,254.87; live stock and poultry, \$650.82; agricultural, horticultural and dairy departments, \$465.55; poultry, \$650.82; agricultural, horticultural and dairy departments, \$465.55; machinery and carriage departments, \$125.75; main building, \$207.14; ants department, \$122.50; dog show, \$834.19; attractions, fireworks, etc., \$5.901.11; cheese and butter, \$2.819.66; deposits refunded, \$50; furniture and chattels, \$125. beaving a balance of \$31,782.64, composed as follows: Cash in bank, \$3.681.60; city of London debentures, \$5.000; Ontario Loan debentures, \$5.000; and Victory Loan, \$9.910.80. This balance is by far the largest in the history of the association.

The assets amount to \$122.373.21, including the balance of \$31,782.21 mentioned above, real estate, \$8,900, land and buildings held by the city, \$29.282.72, dairy buildings and equipment, \$10.022.84, art buildings \$3.913.26, new grandstand, \$63.350.46, and furniture and chattens, \$5,120.29. There are no liabilities.

Re-Elections Expected.

It is expected that Lieut.-Col. W. M.

after the votes were polled, was Unionist. The fact was emphasized that a vote against a union candidate was a vote against conscription. Naturally not many of the boys here voted the Liberal ticket." Re-Elections Expected.

It is expected that Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore will be re-elected president, with Controller J. H. Saunders, first vice-president, and W. E. Robinson as econd vice-president.

The directors, already elected for 1918, London, Feb. 12 (delayed).-The of : City council, Mayor C. R. Somer-le, Controller E. S. Little, Aid. F. Harley, Ald. C. G. Moorhead, Ald. G. Drake, and Ald. J. J. Harding, and icial statement from British headquarters in France and Belgium tonight

"A few prisoners were brought in by our patrols at different points along the front.

Our airplanes carried out a raid into Germany and bombed Offenburg (in Baden, southwest of Karlsruhe). Details have not been received."

B. Drake, and Ald. J. J. Harveing, and East Middlesex Agricultural Society, Dr. George A. Routledge, James Murray, J. W. Wheaton, Ed. Dougles, Lieut.-Col. R. McEwen and Richard Oke.

There are twelve directors being effected this afternoon. The rethring officers are the client.-Col. W. M. Gartshore, W. W. Greenweege R. S. Orangende Controller I. Details have not been received. are Lieut. - Col. W. M. Gamtsnore, W. W. Gamtsnore, E. S. Crawford, Controller J. H. Saunders, R. A. Carrothers, Wm. Mc-Neil, W. E. Robinson, T. H. Smadlman, John Pringle, Capt. T. E. Robson, Arthur T. Little and William Moore. MEMBER OF G. W. V. A. A. M. Hunt will be re-elected secretary, and Daniel McKenzie, treasurer. There may be some changes in the directors, atthough this is doubted. There are undercurrents of feeling manifest, but it is unlikely that much new blood

will be added. MINIATURE LAKE BLOCKED STREET CAR SERVICE ON HAMILTON ROAD EAST

Water Half Foot Deep-Men Carried Women.

Street railway service on the Hamliton road, east of Hydro street, was cut off this morning until 9 o'clock owing to the miniature lake on the road. Residents of this section of the city crossed on improvised bridges or waded through as chance afforded. Some of the more gallant and stronger



## Over The Top!"

Taking the Town By Storm! This Patriotic Shoe Sale!

In the face of the gravest price conditions ever known, no wonder the WONDERFUL UNDERPRICINGS of this big sale are being so eagerly grasped. Come with the crowd.

dskalants

any census man in order to fill card correctly. H. R. H. the

Street school districts this afternoon.
In connection with the moving pictures, a solo by Miss Dorinda Abbott was much enjoyed during the 3 o'clock

to 4 o'clock matinee for grown-ups in the Auditorium.

Mrs. Edythe Nash Hourd has prom-

FROST AGAIN HEADING FOR THIS SECTION OF

row Night, But Extent Unknown.

The mild spell, which Ontario enjoyed

for a couple of days, has traveled on east, and is now lending relief to the

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

INFANT GIRL BURIED.

daughter of Mr and Mrs. F. W. Han was held from the residence of her par-ents, 578½ York street, to Woodlan Cemetery this morning. Rev. J. H Boyd of Adelaide Street Baptist Church

MISS PATERSON BURIED.

The funeral of Dorothy Lene, aughler of Mr and Mrs. F. W.

conducted the services.

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#### FORCES UNITE IN WAR AGAINST ENEMIES OF "H. R. H. THE BABY;" EXHIBITION DRAWS BIG CROWDS

Steady Stream of Proud Mothers and Their Babies to Clinic Rooms, Where Many Nurses Are Assisting Doctors in Scoring Future Generation of Londoners.

Special Board So Recommends in Its Report.

Cable dispatches from England announce that the report of the demobilization committee, of which Major-Gen, W. E. Hodgins, formerly district, is the senior military member, has been presented to Sir Edward Kemp, overseas minister of militia, to be forwarded to Ottawa. It seems likely that the order of return will be arranged according to seniority of service, except that front line combatants will have a similar privilege over single men.

Hugh Allan is che man of the bond on which are J. H. Flummer, G. W. E. Hodgins and St. Pierre Military on the converse over single men.

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Co's. Hulme and McKinnon and Major Whetmore, with Major A. Sulkivan seed ilberations to the necessary preliminary steps to be taken by the military or the term of the disposal of the nen in industrial life to be dealt with by the Government or private enterprise.

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Three clinic rooms in charge of Doctors McLean, Childs and Bateson, were kept busy as could be all forenoon.

The members of the Isabel Hampton Chapter (graduate nurses), I. O. D. E., of which Mrs. Glennie Wilson is regent assisted the doctors in the clinic rooms.

Where I could get the right food every day."

One small king of a boy brought exchamations of delight from the onlookers over his white plumpness, his fine proportions, the Dutch-cut auburn hair, and intelligent, dark brown eyes.

Phones: 776 and 2922. card correctly. It. It the base of score card makes a passport look like a trifling scrap of paper.

Moving Pictures.

Dr. Ferguson, Dr. McLean and Dr Arnott are in charge of the medical clinics for babies of Pottersburg, Boyle clinics for babies of Pottersburg, Boyle Charles Arnott are in Charge of the Exercise.

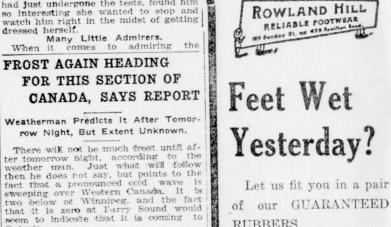
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Get a bottle of the result is quick. Price 25c at Anderson & Nelles Drug Store



RUBBERS.

ROWLAND HILL RELIABLE POOTWEAR

Alkali In Shampoo Bad for Washing Hair

Don't use prepared shampoos or any thing else that contains too much alkali, for this is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle. The best thing to use is just plain mulsified cocoanut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, Services and beats anything else all to pieces You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family

for months. Simply moisten the hair with water men carried the women safely across.

The water was nearly half a foot deep over the sidewalk.

One street railway conductor, who lives on Price street, started out for work this morning at 5 o'clock, and had to walk along the back fences through his neighbors' lots to Hydro street.

Cellars on Price street have three to four feet of water in them.

BURIED AT WOODLAND.

The funeral of James Smith, who died on Monday at his late residence, Euclid avenue, was held from the Salvation. The services were conducted by Brigadier of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft. Woodland Cemetery. Mr. Smith had been a memt r of the Salvation Army for over thir, years. He had resided in London many years.