Danforth

TO WINTER'S FUEL NEEDS

porter yesterday, "and Deputy Reeve William M. Graham and I spoke very

strongly regarding the necessity of im-mediate action in securing a fuel supply for the coming winter, at the recent meeting of council. If the conference between the York Council and Fuel Con-

burbs get fair treatment in the matter fuel distribution," said Mr. Miller.

SHIP FORTY BOXES.

.WATSON-JONES.

St. Barnabas' Anglican Church, Danforth avenue, was the scene of a pretty military wedding yesterday afternoon when Edith Jones, 59 Westwood avenue, and Pte. Ernest Watson, R.F.C., Camp Borden, were united in marriage by Capt. (Rev.) Frank Vipond. Many friends of both parties were present in the church to witness the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Watson are well known in the district and have been members of the parish for many years.

HOLD JUVENILE RALLY.

A juvenile rally was held under the auspices of the Sons of England Lodge No. 54 in Snell's Hall, Main street, Tuesday evening. W. G. Jones, district deputy, presided. There were about 300 young people present, and 12 new members were enrolled.

A musical program was provided by the Fred Rock Concert Company, and G. Crowson.

SPECIAL ONE-STEP PRIZE.

A special "one-step" prize dance was held at the Riwerdale branch, G.W.V.A., social, held in Playfer's Hall, Danforth avenue, Tuesday evening, when the following were declared the winners: R. Plant and Miss M. Fletcher, There was a large attendance and many contestants. The proceeds will be devoted to the benefit of the club funds.

Earlscourt

ceived \$27 from the paymaster as balance on his turned-in uniform, Discharged men on or before April 1, 1918, are en-titled to \$35, but when Wright applied

for this amount he was given \$8 only.

He made application for the balance,
but was refused, and he then brought
the matter before the Earlscourt branch
of the Great War Veterans, with the result that on Wednesday Wright received
the balance.

It is contended that many returned
men have been deprived of their departs.

NORTH EARLSCOURT WILL

WORK ON NEW ROAD,

HOLD MASS MEETING

settled and the paymasters pay out the full amount.

YORK COUNCIL ALIVE

One and Possibly Two More Fishing Craft Fall Victims to Converted Vessel.

SUBMARINE LAY CLOSE

At Least Four Vessels Sunk by Triumph Off Canadian Coast.

enburg, ninety tons, had arrived there sector will not halt until they have at six o'clock this afternoon in their the river between themselves and their rowboats. The crew consisted of eighteen men under Captain Schnare. They met the Triumph while on the banks, about ten o'clock last night. They plainly recognized her. She had two small guns, like machine guns, to the line of heights overlooking Displayers. mounted upon pivots. Several shots were fired at the Lucille Schnare, apparently to intimidate the men, as they did not fall near the ship. A

ler came on board the Lucille Schare and gave her crew five minutes to take to their dories. The crew, however, were treated civilly and no more shots were fired at them. The Germans took all the papers and provisions. Before leaving the vessel they slung two hombes over the side.

crew rowed away in the darkness as rapidly as possible, and saw no explosion and so are uncertain as to the definite fate of their craft. They sailed and rowed until they reached

Captain Schnare states that he be-lieves that another ship, the Passadena, port and captain unknown, which was lying close to him, was also sunk. The Canso correspondent doubts this, as with the favorable weather conditions the crew should already have arrived in Canso. Eighty men from the four vessels sunk yesterday will save Canso tomorrow morning for Halifax. The members of the two American crews may change at Truro for Bos-

FOUR-YEAR SENTENCE FOR PICKING POCKETS

Jessie Thompson, who pleaded guilty in the county criminal court, yesterday to the charge of having stolen twenty-one cents and eleven car tickets from the pooket of Etta Tuite, was sentenced by Judge, Denton to four years in the penitentiary. Already she had served four terms for picking pockets and T. C. Robinette, K.C., who appeared for her, asked that she be given a chance, as the that she be given a chance, as amount taken was only worth 65 cents. Judge Denton, however, was of the opinion that the woman was Italians Harvest Crops a professional pick-pocket, and pass-

the opening of the battles of the Somme. If the British complete the

present operation they will turn the Bapaume ridge and the German sup-

they did in the spring of 1917,

as they did in the spring of 1817, within about a mile of Noyon, are outflanking Mount Renaud, and are in control of their in control of the control of the

the Germans, on failure of their counter-attacks, retreat as they did before, upon the old Hindenburg line. It is not yet clear, however, whether the allies intend to allow the Germans to occupy the Hindenburg line on this defense on the court hard of the German defense on the court hard of the

to occupy the Hindenburg line on this occasion, but rather to keep the Ger-Somme and in the Somme-Oise quad-

mans on the jump, until they jump rangle. Only one question remains out of France.

Some of the villages captured by Sir retreat in safety? In the view of the

Julian Byng comprise landmarks in the war, as Achiet-le-Petit, together with Achiet-le-Grand, important junction points in the German communications powerful Somme lines, or the falling

north of Bapaume. They are now said clear back to the Hindenburg line, north of Bapaume. They are now said to be in the outskirts of Achiet-le-Grand, north of Bapaume. They also the allies turn their position in north-graphined Beaucourt-sur-Ancre, Puis-

Bapaume Ridge. The effects of this has close connection with the attack

blow ought shortly to set the whole of the French between the Oise and German line from Arras to Soissons the Aisne on the extreme right wing.

bert and the French army of General like the French attack in the south, if Mangin also, continued their attacks pushed forward, will create a large

between the Matz and the Oise and bulge north of the Ancre, as the French also between the Oise and the Aisne have created in what is now the Oise and the Germans could not stop their Ailette-Aisne quadrangle. By apply-

advance. West of the Oise, the French ing further pressure in these two thrust out energetically and compell-bulges, the French and British may

turned.

ply bases at Bapaume and Peronne,

cuptured Beaucourt-sur-Ancre, Puis-ieux-aux-Mont. Bucquoy, Ablainze-

ville, Moyenneville, the Logeast Wood,

and they reached the front betwen Hoslieux-St. Marc and Mercatel, on

their left wing. They have, moreover, reached the Arras-Albert railway, and

have cut two or three lateral roads be-

hind the German front. They have

a-tottering.

also apparently turned the celebrated

The French army of General Hum-

GRIP ON THE OISE IS NOW RELAXING

Germans on Left Bank Fall Back Before Mangin's Infantry.

London, Aug. 21.-Reuter's corresondent at French army headquarters abling under date of 2 p.m. Aug. 21

'In consequence of our advances of

the last three days the enemy's grip on the front astride the Oise is relaxing. The Germans on the left bank A Canadian Atlantic Port, Aug. 21.—
A fourth and probably a fifth vessel last evening were sunk by the converted trawler Triumph. Word has just been received from Canso that the crew of the Lucille Schnare, of Lunard it is likely that the Germans in this submarine lay close to the Triumph, but was inactive.

Two men from the converted trawler came on board the Lucille Schnare drawn from the development of

> CANADIAN WOUNDED IN BRITISH HOSPITALS

Canadian Associated Press Cable.
London, Aug. 21.—The following Canadian wounded are reported:
In London—Captains L. B. Bumstead, Ontario, back, slight; T. W. Marlin, Ontario, forearm; Lieut. S. B. White, Quebec, slight.
At Portsmouth—Capt. A. A. Gray, Contario, back, severe.
At Reading—Lieut. H. D. Williams, Ontario, hip and arm, slight.
At Oxford—Major I. L. Crawford, Saskatchewan, leg, severe; Lieuts. A. K. Collins, British Columbia, leg, sight; J. Owen Fitzgerald, Nova Scotia, knee; B. E. Hull, Manitoba, shoulder, slight.
At Exeter—Lieuts. V. G. Greene, Ontario, arm, slight; G. C. Young, Mani-

tario, arm, slight; G. C. Young, Mani-toha, arm, slight; G. F. Adams, lower

On Right Bank of Piave

Prowling on the Atlantic Coast.

German undersea craft are prowling all along the Atlantic coast in hope of getting some of the big steamships or war transports going in or coming cut of the provided of the place River under fire of the enemy, according to official reports today from Rome. The entire district was swept while the harvesters work-

While the British are now threat-

ening Bapaume and Perome and the German line of retreat north of the Somme, the French have come to

advance, however, is making an in-

termediate line untenable, and the

Somme line is apparently already

In respect to the general situation.

the new British attack north of the

Ancre, and on the extreme left wing

Besides adding ten more miles to the

battlefront, and making it now abou

100 miles in length, this fresh attack,

YORK COUNTY SUBURBS

Riverdale

YORK COUNCILLOR ISIT COAL YARD

Find Thirty Per Cent. Less Fuel Stocked by Dealers This Year.

districts.

From partial information gathered it was found that the quantity received this year is about 30 per cent. less than the amount received last year during the same period. The council found that many coal dealers in the west and east districts were laying in stocks of wood and other fuel. One coal firm in the west end is stacking nine cars of slabs, and several east end firms are putting in car loads.

"If householders would stock in some soft coal, of which there is a fair supply, and a supply of wood, it would help out the shortage in hard coal," is the advice of Deputy Reeve Fred H. Miller, who adds that soft coal, by careful handling, can be used to good advantage in the furnace by cleaning out the furnace every six weeks.

"Wood only should be used until the real cold weather sets in," he advised.

ARE PREPARING BOOTHS.

The women's auxiliary of the Riverdale branch, G.V.W.A., in conjunction with the Women's branch, West Toronto is busy erecting a refreshment booth in the Exhibition grounds. R. J. Roberts, president; C. H. Stock, secretary; W. E. Harding and A. Jennings are superintending the arrangements.

PASTOR'S HOLIDAYS OVER.

Rev. H. A. Berlis, pastor of Rhodes Avenue Presbyterian Church, with his wife and family, returned from his va-cation last evening. The family spent a pleasant month at Georgian Bay. Rev. Mr. Berlis will preach at both services on Sunday next.

VETERANS TO HAVE BOOTH.

Comrade W. E. Harding, convenor, and members of the entertainment committeel of the Riverdale branch, G.W.V.A., will open a refreshment booth at the Canadian National Exhibition, which it is expected will be well patronized by the returned men and the public.

MUCH PETTY THIEVING.

Petty pilfering is prominent in the diverdale district at the present time. Houses on Eastmount, 'Harcourt, Bowden and Riverdale, and other avenues, have been visited, and property from verandals stolen. The police are investigating the matter.

HEAVY DELUGE OF RAIN SAVES WAR GARDENS

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Washington the Atlantic Coast.

German undersea craft are prowing all along the Atlantic coast in hope of getting some of the big steamships or war transports going in or coming cut of American or Canadian ports.

Washington Aug. 21.— Halian sold the first and the common of the picture of t

were awarded prizes in the returned soldiers' race,
Mr. MacGregor complimented Mrs.
Fleming, president, and the members of
the War Auxiliary, for their splendid
efforts on behalf of the boys overseas,
and for their untiring efforts for the
success of the recent field day, which
exceeded all expectations. He pointed
out that \$50 was realized upon the pig
alone, and the field day returns, which
are not all to hand, realized about \$300
up to the present.

Other members of the committee who
came in for a word of praise were J. F.

men have been deprived of their dues in this respect, and it was because the matter was placed before the military authorities at Ottawa that it was finally came in for a word of praise were J. F.
Joslin (secretary), F. Hitchin, Dr. R. F.
Fleming, Geo, Moses and Fred Hazelton,
There was a good attendance, despite
the weather conditions

PASTOR TAKES VACATION.

Rev. Dr. Adams, pastor Don Mills Methodist Church, with his wife and family, is away on a short vacation to Chautauqua.

Brampton

BRAMPTON CASUALTIES.

Earl Harmsworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Harmsworth, Brampton, is lying in Rouen Hospital with gunshot wounds; Pte. H. R. Hipkin has received severe wounds in the shoulder, while Sergt. R. E. Jackson has been admitted to the Duchess of Connaught Hospital with gunsho wounds in the right hand.

BECOMES SUDDENLY ILL. Miss Cossan of Toronto, while visiting her cousin, Mrs. Arthur Fletcher, was taken suddenly and seriously ill with acute appendicitis. Dr. huttleworth was summoned and found an operation imminently necessary. The patient is making descrable progress.

RAIN FLOODS ROADS.

thrust out energetically and compelled the Germans to give way. They captured Lassigny, gained a footing in Fiemont, occupied Orval Wood, and carried their lines to the outskirts of Chiry-Ourscamps. East of the Oise, the French right captured Carlepont Wood and reached the Oise at a point between Semplgny and Pontoise, east lowed by the Germans in their campaign of 1915, against Russia.

bulges, the French and British may hope to force a general German withdrawal would prove extremely extremely continued the Lake Shore road, just west to the Humber, almost impassable. For three or four hundred yards the commonly known as the forcing of a salient, and is the same method followed by the Germans in their campaign of 1915, against Russia.

Says New Levy Will Depend on Casualties and Reporting of Thousands of Defaulters.

Rowell has sent a reply to the letter addressed to him by Lucien Cannon, M.P., and Charles D. Power, M.P., in which he is charged in his Newcastle speech with having foreshadowed a new levy, and protest is made against a further sacrifice of Canadian manhood. He states that his language was clear, that he made no suggestion of a new levy, which would depend on two considerations, the extent of casualties duing the next few months, and the response of those who have hitherorder the York Council and Fuel Conroller R C. Harris is not satisfactory
oday, a resolution moved by W. M.
Graham and myself will be acted upon
mmediately, namely, that Reeve Thoa.
Griffiths, the township clerk, Mr. Clarke,
and the township solicitor, Mr. Spence,
orocced to Ottawa and interview Mr.
Magrath, the Dominion fuel controller,
and demand that York Township and
suburbs get fair treatment in the matter

The Woodbine Heights Ratepayers' Association shipped forty boxes of comforts to the soldiers of the district overseas yesterday. The women's committee in charge of the patroptic work met at the residence of Mrs. Catenby, convener. 58 Savoy avenue, where the decision of the association regarding the proceeds of the recent field day was acted upon and the preparation of comforts for overseas was proceeded with. Each member of the women's committee has her husband overseas in France.

North Earlscourt, which takes in the Vilage of Fairbank, is making preparations to call a mass meeting on the coal situation, for, according to the citizens, not five per cent. of those living in this section have coal in their cellars. Last winter many families had to close their houses and live with relatives who had fortunately securad a little coal, and the hardships endured in the severest months is not easily forgotten.

Some of the citizens have ordered hardwood, because they are afraid that they will get no coal at all, but the wood cannot be delivered for at least a month, as it is brought from Algonquin Park and followed the severe that they will be the coal at all the severe that they will get no coal at all, but the wood cannot be delivered for at least a month, as it is brought from Algonquin Park and

will get no coal at all, but the wood cannot be delivered for at least a month, as it is brought from Algonquin Park and dealers will not take orders except for certain quantities. Rev. Peter Bryce of the Earlscourt Methodist Church supplied many destitue families during the coal famine last year, and this work will go on again this year, so that families on again this year, so that families needing coal will be looked after as far as possible.

The Earlscourt branch of the G. W. V. A. has its soldier families to attend to, and every soldier dependent will receive the careful attention of the secretary, who is already in touch with coal dealers and dealers in wood, so as to be ready for the winter months. In a few days a notice will be posted at Belmont Hall, headquarters of the G. W. V. A., so that Earlscourt soldier dependents will be able to make application, and their cases will be taken up in regular order.

MONT ON MENU SOAD AND THE WOOD COMPANY OF THE WOOD CAN AREA CALL THE WOOD CAN AREA CALL THE WOOD CALL THE WOOD

about two weeks the farmers over the greater part of the counties of York. Ontario. Peel. Halton and Simcoe were Work has been commenced on the new kingston road, which will run east from their labors by the rain which fell in some places in torrents, and generally in some places in torrents, and generally in their labors by the rain which fell in some places in torrents, and generally in the some places in torrents, and generally in the some places in torrents. refreshing, reviving showers over all that

hard to overestimate the value of last night's rainfall.

Probably over the counties named two-thirds of the grain is already garnered, and the rest was being rushed in as fast as men and teams could land it there. The farmers were divided between their anxiety to finish up the harvest and their desire for a good downfall, and they go the latter. The harvest can wait, but the pasture and meadow lands were seriously menaced, and cattle and all kinds of stock were beginning to suffer. Up thru the counties of Wellington and Waterloo there was little or no rain, and meadow lands thru all the stock-raising district as sadly in need of it.

Outside of the city, where the storm assumed the dimensions of a regular hurricane, last night's rain was accompanied by little lightining or wind, and little or no damage is reported. On the old John Nellson farm on the York town line a silo was blown over and a few minor accidents are reported.

HOUSING

The Commission appointed by the City to examine housing accommodation in Toronto, and to make recommendations thereon, requires accurate data as to the relation actually existing between the supply and demand.

To this end, CO-OPERATION OF THE CITIZENS is needed, and printed forms have been prepared with lists of questions to be answered, both by those wishing to rent or buy homes and those having houses for rent or sale. All those affected are requested to apply at once for these forms, in order that they may be completed and returned to the Commission not later than September 1st, 1918.

All communications should be in the interests of Citizens at present residing in Toronto, and refer to City

NOTE—The citizen who complies with this request will, of course, understand that the Commission does not propose to secure him a house (or tenant, as the case may be), but is simply collecting information for its guidance in dealing with the general question of housing. The names of those replying will be treated as confidential.

Address: HOUSING COMMISSION, August 16th, 1918.

City Hall, Tore

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