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that the government be requested to retain soldiers on their pay rolls for a year after the war is concluded, so that industrial conditions will have time to become adjusted." A resolution embodying the mayor's suggestions will be sent to Ottawa.

Chief Smith Again.

Commissioner Chisholm asked that he be allowed to fix up another stable at the Exhibition grounds for the accommodation of troops at a cost of chart 4400, and the request was grantwere presented An increase of

bout \$400, and the request was grantses during the last M. Campbell, the

commendation in connection with the purchase of motor tractors. After hearing the representatives of the two firms tendering the board decided to send the chief's recommendations back for further consideration.

A resolution passed by the council of the board of trade, urging council to see that the rights of the citizens were protected in connection with the hydro radial bylaw was received, and it was decided to forward the same to Sir Adam Beck for information, the controllers believing in Sir Adam's promise that the city's interests would be well guarded.

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CITY HALL NOTES

Oh Tuesday morning next at 10 o'clock the board of control will re-ceive a deputation from the United

troller Cameron, who has been confined to his home since the begin-ning of the year, attended the board of control meeting for the first time

Pire-Chief Smith yesterday denied the report that he had reinstated Disthat Chief Alex. Gunn, stating that matter had not yet been disposed

TORONTO PERTHSHIRE MEETING.

On Monday, Jan. 10, the Toronto Perthshire Association held their usual monthly meeting in the Occident Hall on Bathurst street. It was "Soldiers" tht" and the talent was supplied by 92nd Highlanders. It consisted of tion was taken for the To-thehire soldiers at the front ed \$16. Perthshire soldiers at the front

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NEWS FROM THE CITY HALL

FILL PLACES OF MEN GOING TO THE FRONT

Board of Education Will Likely Recall Superannuated Teachers.

A somewhat difficult situation has been created for the beard of education by the enlistment for overs as service of the principals of three of the city's largest schools. Those who have enlisted are: Mr. R. Flydell. York street; R. J. Blaney, Frankland, and street; R.

the overseas troops.

The latest male teacher to join the colors is George W .McGill of Withrow avenue school, who has gone to Kingston to join the Queen's University Battery as gunner.

STEEL BRIDGE TENDERS MAY BE WITHDRAWN

Increase in Cost of Steel Will Delay Mount Pleasant

Council will be asked to approve of a recommendation that application be made to the Ontario Legislature to provide that in cities of 200,000 or more distric railway companies shall carry overseas soldiers, including those in course of training, free of charge, notwithstanding amy law, statute, custom or usage to the contrary, and providing a penalty of \$100 for failure to give a service for each breach of this act; also for an amendment to the acsessment Act to provide that overact; also for an amendment to the assessment Act to provide that overact; also for an amendment to the acsessment Act to provide that overact; also for an amendment to the acsessment Act to provide that overact; also for an amendment to the paried of the war.

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Controller Poster: "The people in that section say that they do not want to pa

towns in England the street railway companies were carrying the men free, and he declared "Toronto should do likewise. The company's assessment is very small compared to what a poor man pays. They have a law all to themselves, and the least they can do is to carry the soldiers free and give proper service."

Controller Foster was not quite sure that the second part of the motion should be carried, believing that the seesment commissioner should prepare a report in regard to the matter. Controller Thompson referred to the Mayor Church did not favor this procedure and thought that Commis-sioner Harris should be consulted be-fore any action was taken and as the

Controller Thompson referred to the ct that a number of doctors and wyers going to the front had asked feremption last year, and was not favor of the motion carrying unless to the doctors. We don't want

of Men Working on Civic Pump.

The board did not deem it necessary to send a deputation to Ottawa to attend the conference between the Union of Canadian Municipalities and the government in connection with the establishment of federal registration in matters relating to unemployment and federal labor exchanges.

"We will have to prepare for conditions after the war," said the mayor. "Toronto will be the dumping ground unless something is done regarding immigration and employment matters. Now is the time to meet such a situation. The matter has been taken up for some time with Hon. Robert Rogers and the members of Str Robert Borden's cabinet. I would suggest that the government be requested to retain soldiers on their pay rolls for a year after the war is concluded. So

Total Receipts for the Year Were Nearly Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars.

The annual meeting of the congrega-tion of Bloor Street Baptist Church was held last night with Rev. W. A. Cameron in the chair. The reports from the different committees were re-Fire Chief William Smith met the first obstacle in the work of reorgan that obstacle in the work of reorgan that obstacle in the work of receipts for the year being \$24,789.14. Of this amount \$9,456.44 was devoted to missionary purposes. The Sunday school contributions amounted to supply the standard of the \$2,209.07 was

Satisfactory Reports Submitted to Bloor Street Presbyterian Church.

Very satisfactory reports were submitted at the annual meeting of the congregation of Bloor Street Presbyterian Church, which was held last night, John S. McKinnon presiding. The membership of the church is now 1244, or a slight increase over the previous year. The total receipts amounted to \$40,000, the two chief items being: Current revenue \$19,982, and mising: Current revenue \$19,982, and missions \$15,276. The honor roll of the men of the church who have enlisted for overseas service now numbers 150.

In the place of retiring members the following were elected to the board of management: Rev. R. C. Tibb, Thomas McQuillan, A. M. Gregg and N. R.

DANFORTH AVENUE BAPTIST. Thousand Dollars Was Given During the Year.

All the committees connected with All the committees connected with part of the and dances, songs, recitations a wild of the evening being rendered by and Pte. Sim, and finishing up the Will Ye No Come Back Again?"

To R. A. Quartet.

All the committees connected with Danforth Avenue Baptist Church reported progress at the annual meeting of the congregation which took place last night. The total offertories amounted to \$6000, of \$1032 was set aside for missionary purposes. Considerable work has been done for the Red Cross Society and 13,000 articles.

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James Burrell was appointed church clerk and A. E. Lugsden, treasurer. The new deacons elected were H. Pailips, R. Downing and J. J. Warren.

Fact That Canada Pays

RIDICULED BY WILCOX

North Essex Man's "Thermometer" Gave Members Chance

(Continued From Page 1.)

value of \$265.000,000. If Canada was to pay her share of the war she would have to pay a part of the cost of munitions. Having about one-thirteenth as many soldiers in the field as Great Britain. Canada would be called upon to pay one-thirteenth of the cost of guns, shrapnel and high explosives. Therefore Canada was liable to the extent of at least \$20,000,000 for munitions aready manufactured in this country. It had been suggested that the government might tax excessive war pro-It had been suggested that the government might tax excessive war profits. Such a policy would recoup the Canadian treasury, but it would allow the imperial treasury to be looted without recourse of payment. The manufacturers, after all, were not to blame, in Mr. Pugsley's opinion. The prices were set for them by the shell committee, and they would have been less than human if they had declined the big profits thrust upon them. High prices were fixed by the committee because members of that comwere interested to get high prices and make big profits. Members of the committee, Mr. Pugsley continued, like Gen. Bertram and Mr. Carnegle, occupied an equivocal position. They cupied an equivocal position. They were sellers and buyers at the same time. They could not be true to their own interests and the interests of the

country simultaneously. Newspaper Criticisms. Mr. Pugsley quoted from Sir D. A. Thomas, the personal representative of David Lloyd George in this country, to the effect that Canadian prices for shells were higher than those in the United States; that only two per procedure and thought that Commissioner Harris should be consulted before any action was taken and as the commissioner was out of the city the matter was laid over pending his option.

PATTERN MAKERS ASK
FOR HIGHER WAGES

Labor Council Objects in Behalf of Men Working on Civic

For higher than those in the United States; that only two per cent. of deliveries on orders given up to June last were made on time, and that public opinion could never be satisfied until the manufacturers on the shell committee had retired. In the same connection he quoted from a member of newspapers which had soverely criticized the shell committee, or at least demanded on investingetion, including Toronto Saturday Mail and Hamilton and the process of the public peace, the remainded of the United States; that only two per cent. of deliveries on orders given up to June last were made on time, and that public opinion could never be satisfied until the manufacturers on the shell committee had retired. In the same connection he quoted from a member of newspapers which had soverely criticized the shell committee, or at least demanded on investing to many settlers being of felt owing to many settlers being

Mr. Wilcox (North Essex) described Mr. Pugsley's speech as a tirade of unwarranted accusation which showed that he was more anxious to destroy the Borden government than he was to destroy the kaiser. (Applause.) It was a speech that was unbecoming and out of place. It was in striking contrast with the patriotic speech delivered the other night by Dr. Clark,

the Liberal member for Red Deer,
whose son was at the front.

Mr. Wilcox declared 'that Dr. Pugsley had meandered from submarines
at Vancouver to elevators at Halifax and had finally wound up in a she factory at Montreal. Possibly his efforts were not so against the Borden Government as against his own leader, Sir Wilfrid against his own leader, Sir Wilfrid Laurier. In the opinion of Mr. Wilcox the Liberal party now stood at the parting of the ways. They must choose between Sir Wilfrid Laurier on the one hand and Dr. Pugsley with his "measly politics" on the other. Sir Wilfrid had declared in August, 1914 that the opposition would make no objection nor offer any criticism of anything done by the government until the war was over. This was patriotism.

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Some Light Comedy.

Mr. Wilcox said that Mr. Pugsley had been indulging in "bull talk." The member for Essex produced an alleged thermometer, which he said indicated the kind of talk an orator was delivering. It was marked "blarwas del

HOUSE HAS RIGHT TO

PROBE SHELL CHARGES

Free Press (Liberal) taking issue with Mr. Pugsley and defending General Bertram and the shell committee. He asked Mr. Pugsley and the Liberals to join with the Conservative members in a united effort to end the war and save the empire. That would be better than to spend their time haggling over horses and shells. They should unite in doing away with this old political game, which, in his opinion, was simply rotten.

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Oliver's Heavy Sarcasm.

Hon. Frank Oliver sarcastically congratulated the government upon its champion. He took it for granted that Mr. Wilcox spoke or expressed the views of the government. Mr. Oliver said that loyalty seemed to consist in helping friends of the government to get their hands into the treasury, while disloyalty consisted in objecting to graft. After discusing the high ocean rates and suggesting that wheat should be taken care of by British transports as well as munitions and other supplies, the exminister touched on conscription. He said he would not go so far as to criticize the government for not recriticize the government for not resaid he would not go so far as to criticize the government for not resorting to conscription, but he believed in universal training and service. He had not concluded his speech when the house under the Wednesday rule adjourned at 6

o'clock.

Preference to War Veterans.

W. S. Middlebro will move a resolution in the house of commons, "that in the opinion of this house, in all future appointments to the civil service of Canada, preference should be given to those properly qualified candidates who have served with the Canadian expeditionary forces in the present war."

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Dr. Edwards (Frontenac) will ask the government: (1) Does Armand Lavergne, M.L.A., of Quebec, still retain his rank as a colonel in the militia of Canada? (2) Does the government intend to allow him to retain his rank in the militia?

A. K. Maclean (Halifax) will ask how many subscriptions for \$1000 or under, and how many in multiples of \$1000, were received in connection with the domestic war loan.

PEACE IN NORTHWEST

Splendid Order Preserved by Force Among Many Aliens Enemy Settlers.

MEN ENLIST FOR FRONT

Crime in Prairie Provinces on Decrease and Horse Thieves Rounded Up.

Growers' Guide, Toronto Telegram.
Montreal Daily Mail and Hamilton
Spectator.

House Probe Wanted.

The Ottawa Journal, he said, admitted an investigation was needed; but wanted the investigation to be conducted by the government. This proposal the opposition would not agree to. They demanded a parliamentary investigation.

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Toronto Telegram. Creased by 560 men. There has been to disturbance of the public peace, the redisturbance of the public peace, t

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Horse-stealing, which is always more or less prevalent, has received a salutory check, especially in the Calgary district, where thru the efforts of Superintendent Horrigan and his division organized gangs have been broken up, and many have been convicted and punished.

HICKEY TODAY WILL BEGIN OVERCOAT SWEEP

Height of Season's Fashionable Models Are to Be Sacrificed.

All the smart model overcoats at All the smart model overcoats at Hickey's will be sold today at from five to ten dollars reduction. It is getting late in the season for winter goods now and the sale is preliminary to quick disposal of the entire stock of 1916 designs and materials which embody the cream of fashion and the acme of tailoring skill. Three hundred coats, including all styles, formfitting, Chesterfields, storm ulsters, motor coats and belted ulsters, are to be sacrificed without reserve. The be sacrificed without reserve. pe sacrificed without reserve. The opportunity of getting a guaranteed value \$35 coat for \$25 is one that men who pride themselves on the smartness of their dressing should not over-

LONDON, Jan. 19. — The British steamship Marere, 6443 tons, has been sunk. Her crew was rescued. She was 450 feet long, and was built in Bel-The fishing boats Foamcrest and Sunshine have also been sunk in the

Millions to Policyholders

In 1915 the Canada Life paid its policyholders \$7,822,201, or over \$3,000,000 more than in any previous year in its history. Of this over \$2,800,000 was cash dividends to policyholders.

The rate of dividends to individual policies has steadily increased since 1900, and splendid surplus earnings from year to year are an assurance of their continuance. The surplus earned in 1915 was \$1,480,865, the year being in this respect one of the best in the Company's history.

The full Report is being printed and will gladly be sent you.



Herbert C. Cox,

President and General Manager.

MEANDERINGS OF AN ORDINARY RED COW

Peter McArthur Discourses on

lecture in aid of the Red Cross Society was to be on the meditations and meanderings of an ordinary red cow the audience was somewhat sur-

Peter McArthur Discourses on Possibilities of Inspiration in Ruminant.

When Peter McArthur announced at Massey Hall last night that his lecture in aid of the Red Cross Sodier of the Red Cross Sodie

prised, but before he had been speaking ten minutes his hearers were dress was almost entirely on the chardress was almost

Women of Toronto You Have Done Nobly

In your efforts for the RED Cross and the other War Relief Organizations. Now we want you to do

Still More

Toronto and York Patriotic Fund and the Red Cross Organization are cooperating in a gigantic effort to raise

Two Million Dollars

in three days next week. Of this amount \$100,000 will be given, by arrangement, to the Canadian Red Cross Society. We want you to devise means of helping. We have requested all clergymen to co-operate with you in arranging luncheons, or the sale of buttons, or afternoon church socials, the proceeds of which will go to the joint fund.
Consult with one another and consult with your clergyman. This fund must succeed.

You Understand Why

LADIES' COMMITTEE. Mrs. Plumptre, Miss Gertrude Brock,

Mrs. H. S. Strathy, Mrs. R. A. Falconer, Mrs. A. E. Gooderham, Mrs. Willoughby Cummings,

Mrs. R. S. Wilson,

Mrs. Sidney Small.

Patron : R. B. H. THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT

From the President of the Toronto Branch of the Red Cross Society to the Red Cross Workers of Toronto:

"During the next few days you will doubtless be called upon to lend a hand in the great campaign for raising money for the Patriotic Fund and the Toronto Red Cross Society. This will very likely interfere with the work that you are at present doing for the Red Cross.
"I have no hesitation in advising all Red Cross Workers to consider a share in this campaign as their work for the

Red Cross until the necessary funds are raised. "KENNETH J. DUNSTAN, President."

Honorary Presidents: SIR JOHN S. HENDRIE HON. W. H. HEARST, K.C., LL.D. President: SIR WILLIAM MULOCK, K.C.M.G.

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CONTROLLER O'NEILL IS VICE-CHAIRMAN

Reappointed to Board of Control Position He Held Last Year.

OSTER ON THE CLAIMS

nical Member Also Qualifies as Representative on Social Service Commission.

By a unanimous vote of the other members Controller John O'Neill was yesterday returned to the position which he held last year, that of vice-chairman of the board of control. Mayor Church informed the thembers that Controller Foster had expressed binself as desiring the appointment, but the latter showed no incrination to make his case.

controllers Fester and Cameron Controllers Fester and Cameron are both nominated in connection that the appointment to the claims ommission, the appointment going to controller Foster, it being argued that here was room for the practice of conomy, as this year an expenditure of about \$15,000 would be involved. Controller Foster was also appointed a member of the Social Service

in favor of the motion carried want included everyone. "We don't want class legislation." said he; "it is going to be everybody as far as I am concerned, lawyers, doctors, mechanics and everyone."

The board did not deem it necessary

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