NUMBER OF VETERANS EXCEEDS TOTAL OF POSITIONS READY

Over Seven Hundred Men Are Resident Throughout City.

MANY IN INSTITUTIONS

Temporary Discharges Are Being Granted in Numerous Cases.

have every facility provided for their assistance at the offices of the commission in the Royal Bank Bulding.

Cites Official Thanks.

That the authorities appreciate the efforts of the commission on behalf of the men is evidenced, says the secretary by the letters received from time to time, expressing thanks for the work. Lieut.-Col. T. G. Delamere, officer commanding "F" Unit, Military Hospital Commission Command, and an original 1st Battalion man, has on more than one occasion, says Mr. Lance, expressed himself in terms of praise of the good work done for the men of his unit, thanking the secretary for the consideration shown in dealing with the many cases. Major A. C. Prince, a former member of the 18th Battalion, has been another returned officer to add his appreciation for the work that is being done and the assistance given to the men of his old battallon. Major Prince is quoted as saying in his concluding paragraph, "Your kindness and courtesy is doubly appreciated in the knowledge that you have chosen to extend the splendid activities of your commission into a district other than your own."

A most complete checking system A most complete checking system.

Ining information.

Two Thousand Records.

At present there are over 2,500 men those records are on file, and this imber is being added to weekly, and the Soldiers' Aid assists a man from the time of his return, and not only ter he has been discharged, it can sily be seen that there is a vast mount of work, which is steadily owing, if it is to be kept in an effect of the state.

mortality in Belgium has risen by 50 per cent, while births have fallen off about 42 per cent; in Ghent and Northern France deaths from tuberculosis wave multiplied sixfold.

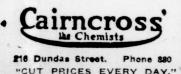
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end the splendid commission into a your own."

checking system take one set of dismounted equipment for each non-commissioned officer and man with them, instructions received at district headquarters today state.

VISITING AT ETHEL ON WAY TO ALBERTA

The Advertiser Is In receipt of a letter from Rev. T. E. Davies, general secretary of the British and Foreign Sailors' Society, concerning the work THIS MONTREAL COP

IS SOME HUSKY GUY

Sailors' Society, concerning the work which that society carries on in caring for sailors of ships torpedoed by German submarines.

"As some misunderstanding," he says, "has arisen on the part of newspaper correspondents concerning the work of my society, which is the oldest organization for seafarers, may I state the following facts:

nveys no imputation that kindred cieties are not doing work equally cellent. Indeed, our own staff have

suggestion has been made that we

mered.
"My society is fully recognized by
e authorities, and only this week we
ve received from the lords of the
miralty a letter of thanks in very
ndsome terms from the lords."

andsome terms for our services to the en of H.M.S. Drake, to say nothing many another brave ship in his majesty's service.
"We are chiefly concerned about getting the work done. Never mind who gets the credit for it."

CAN MAKE NO ACCURATE REPORT

Unauthorized Debenture Issue s, Claims of City for \$130,000 OPENED THIS AFTERNOON Owed by Railway Commis sion and Contra Claim for Like Amount All So Confusing That No One Knows Just Fourth Yearly Meeting of the : Where Electrified Road's Finances Stand.

FOR TRIAL IN SUPREME COURT

Civil Claims Growing Out of Technical School Fiasco Set Down-Foster Action Against Utilities Commission Also

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DRIVEN FROM ADELAIDE ST. HOME BY FIRE ON WEDNESDAY MORNING TWO FINGERS AMPUTATED

Children Rescued From Burning Home Have Been Moved Twice Since With Serious Results to Health. Mrs. Arthur Piersall, who with her five

hildren, was driven out of her home at when their conditions a little avoid it wrenever we can be the conditions a little avoid it wrenever we can be the conditions a little avoid it wrenever we can be the conditions a little avoid it wrenever we can be the conditions a little avoid it wrenever we can be the conditions a little conditions a little condition to the conditions are conditions as little conditions are conditions as little conditions as little conditions are conditions as little conditions as little conditions as little conditions as little conditions are conditions as little morning by fire, is having her share of Piersall rented a house across the street at 66 Maitland street. Once again the sick kiddles had to be carried out in the cold, which was almost more than they could stand. They are now seriously ill,

A suggestion has been made that we build attend to the moral and spiritl welfare of salfors. We are doing at, but we also consider the fact at the sailor is a creature of flesh do blood. Hence, when he steps hore, shivering and starving, we the him and feed him, we doctor m and nurse him back to life; then a pay his fare and send him rejoicing me. In so doing we expect that we promoting his moral and spiritual elfare in a very practical sort of way, id, of course, we never send out during the day.

Little of the furniture was saved from the fire, the bedding being practically all destroyed. None of the five children is tallon, but was transferred in England

LOTS OF ROSS RIFLES

Batteries Will Instead of Having to Borrow Con

Be Issued With Them marks are to be withdrawn from the having to Borrow ned Weapon.

Depot batteries have heretofore been under the necessity of borrowing rifles to use for purposes of musketry training, and they are now southern Pacific United States Steel.

BIG PRESENTATION AT PRESBYTERIAL'S **ANNUAL GATHERING**

Many Women Delegates Attend Sessions.

Presbytery W. M. S. On in New St. James Church.

According to the proofs of the Solidiers Add Commission here there are not at present somewhat over 700 returned men actually residents of London in patients in the various institutions patients in the various patients in the various institutions patients in the various patients in the patients in the various patien

DENIES REPORT OF

Says Toronto Cleric Is Not Named to Succeed Dean

MAY BE PARKDALE RECTOR

Former Curate of Cronyn Memorial Church Said To Be

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Southern case Company.

Damages caaned in these four actions alone total \$33,000.

The court with be continued during the whole week, or possibly longer, it is expected.

The case of Arthur E. Nutter, former city architect, against the board of education is an action brought by the plaintiff to recover the sum of \$5,622. This amount is claimed for services rendered in connection with the erection of the plaintiff asks \$3,463.80 for services and of education is that Nutter was not engaged to do the work for which he has made charges, and consequently the claim is disputed.

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F. McGibbon & Sons, Sarnia, lumber merchants, are suing the Northern Navigation Company for \$1,000, as the result of the staken by the boart of the following the whole week, or possibly longer, it is expected.

F. McGibbon & Sons, Sarnia, lumber with the Bishop of Tofonto.

The Bishop of Huron today when asked about the rumor, stated to The Advertiser that this was not the case and Indicated that no appointment has by the board of education is the Nutter was not engaged to do the work for which he has made charges, and consequently the claim is for loss of trade as the result of the Cataract being out of page to the court of the court of the claim is for loss of trade as the proposed to the court of the claim is for loss of trade as the proposed to the court of the claim is for loss of trade as the result of the Cataract being out of commission.

The stand to be taken by the board of education is that Nutter was not engaged to do the work for which he has made charges, and consequently the claim is for loss of trade as the proposed to the claim is for loss of trade as the proposed to the claim is of the Cataract being out of commission.

The defence claims the car was started before the lighth to the city should secure to confiscate all coal supplies in

ping Wood.

As a result of an accident while chopping wood. Pte Walker of the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. R., received injuries Monday at St. Thomas which necessitated the amputation of the first two fingers of his left hand.

Pte. Walker was chopping wood at the quarters of the Volunteer Company at St. Thomas, when the accident occurred which partially severed the fingers. After being given first aid treatment he was sent to the military hospital at Carling Heights camp where on his being examined it was

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE. London, Jan. 22.—The sales of the national war bonds last week amounted to £30,000,000. This restricts the amount mider weather or snow. The mild present regime in confiscating property. Closing prices were:

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FILLING VACANCY

The pallbearers were: Robert, Fred, John and Arthur Lashbrook, Edgar Sanders and R. Johnson.

W. O. R. Private Injured While Chop-

where on his being examined it was found necessary to make the operation.

to £30,000,000. This restricts the amount of money available for stock operations, and business today, therefore, was small and confined chiefly to the French loan, brewery stocks and speculative mine and shipping shares at steady prices.

NATURE REAL THERMOMETER.—Nature has again provided its claims as a real thermometer. Last night there saleable, owing to the action of the milder weather or snow. The mild weather or snow. The mild weather or snow. Russian issues were practically un-saleable, owing to the action of the

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WOULD CONFISCATE ALL COAL STOCKS HELD IN LONDON

Citizen Asks for Mayor to Act, But No Power Exists.

ville today with the suggestion that the city should secure the power to confiscate all coal supplies in the cit

Donald Graham, reeve of Caradoc, was this afternoon elected warden by the county council. The members of the Middlesex county ouncil are in session today at the county buildings, the principal busi-ness of the first afternoon meeting of the January session being the selection of a warden.

Seven men were in the field for the wardenship, five being Liberals and tw Conservatives. Those named were:

Those named were:
Donald Graham, Caradoc.
Fred Barrett, West Williams,
John Curie, Adelaide.
David Smith, Dorchester,
Joseph Poure, McGillivray.
Thomas Clark, London Township,
Hichard Fitzgerald, Nissouri,
The first five were the Liberal no The first five were the Liberal nom ineeh, the last two being Conserva ing the suggestion made at last year's council to eliminate politics and elect

9934 cast, will be the order of the day Wednesday. PROVINCIAL OFFICER HERE IN CONNECTION WITH WELFARE EXHIBIT

Miss Knox, representing the provincial health department, today conferred with leaders in the child welfare movement here in regard to the exhibit and clinics to be held from February 10 to 16.

The Y. M. C. A. Auditorium will be used for the moving pictures and lectures, and the second floor for the clinical second floor ics, demonstrations and rest room.
Dr. W. J. Tillman will take personal charge of the clinics.
Negotiations are in progress for con-

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14th, cars leave London week

LONDON AND PORT STAN. LEY RAILWAY Timetable Effective Sept. 20

TO ST. THOMAS—15:20, 1*6:20, 7:20, *8:20, 9:20, *10:20, 11:20 a.m., 12:20, *1:20, 2:20, *3:20, 4:20, *5:20, 6:20, *7:30, 8:20, 9:20, *10:20, †11:20 p.m. TO PORT STANLEY—†*6:20, *8:20, *10:20 a.m. *1:20, *3:20, *5:20, *7:20. *10:20 p.m. †Daily except Sunday. *Limited trains London to St. Thomas.

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