

## "DORA THORNE" A DRAMA WITH MERIT

Stage Version of Popular  
Novel Scored Success at  
the Grand.

AN EXCELLENT CAST  
Staging and Character Inter-  
pretations Triumph for  
Phillips-Shaw Co.

After all there is nothing more sat-  
isfying in theatrical offerings than  
the dramas of the old days, with their  
big story of human interest and con-  
structed on lines that allow for nat-  
ural dramatic situations of intense-  
ness and real wholesome comedy epi-  
sodes. That the public want these  
plays is evidenced by the liberal  
patronage that has been extended to  
the Phillips-Shaw Company since  
they inaugurated the policy of reviv-  
ing the successes of the old days, pre-  
sented them with a complete scenic  
equipment and a company that for  
individual ability is conceded to be the  
best that has ever been seen in stock  
in Toronto. Last night at the Grand  
Opera House the offering of "Dora  
Thorne," a dramatization of Bertha  
M. Clay's widely-read novel, was a  
distinct success, the various character  
roles being presented in an exception-  
ally meritorious manner, the staging  
all that could be desired, and the main  
incidents in the life of Dora brought  
out as effectively as in the book. Miss  
Shaw made an ideal Dora, portray-  
ing the character from childish sim-  
plicity to outraged womanhood in an  
artistic manner. Miss Gretchen Sher-  
man as Lily Charters, the woman  
whose friendship for Dora's husband  
is misinterpreted, gave a splendid  
performance. Miss Lillian Johnson,  
in the ingenue role of Lillian, was  
one moment a revelation of philo-  
sophical maturity and the next a rip-  
pling stream of wit and humor. The  
male roles were all well taken, and  
the play ran as smoothly as if the  
people had been presenting it all  
along. "Dora Thorne" is an offering that  
will appeal to the women and all those  
who have read the story will follow  
with delight the unfolding of the story  
by living characters. Those who are  
not acquainted with the novel of the  
girl's life will also find the  
stage story of interest as usual, the  
regular bargain matinees will be given  
on Wednesday and Saturday.

## MONKEYS MAKE FUN AT THE HIPPODROME

Good All Round Bill is Topped  
Off With Clever Animal  
Show.

Everett's Monkey Hippodrome, in an  
extremely clever little offering, "A  
Stage Upon a Stage" needs a very  
good bill at the Hippodrome. The  
intelligent work of these little  
animals proved a source of pleasure  
and instruction to their audience. As  
usual, the bill was well deserved  
and the monkeys were well trained  
and performed feats of strength, daring  
and almost human intelligence.  
A skit entitled "Between Trains,"  
pointed a bright little moral.  
Several bright musical turns were  
included in the bill. Dyer and Pay  
were popular in the exchange of song  
and dance. Weston and Claire, two  
dapper youths, with a talent in trip-  
ping the light fantastic, also included  
some popular songs in their versa-  
tile program.  
Bright lines and rather daring cos-  
tumes were the order of the day in  
the program of Le Roy and Cahill. An  
offering of merit was that of the "Mus-  
ical Parables," Alfred Farell, with  
his clever sketch work on plates and  
several good film dramas completed  
the bill.

## PRESENT CLEVER BILL AT LOEW'S THIS WEEK

Clarice Vance Sings Sweetly and  
Other Performers Are Quite  
Up to Standard.

A very clever bill is presented at  
Loew's Yonge Street Theatre this  
week with Clarice Vance the sweet  
southern singer assisted by Tom  
Mitchell featuring an up-to-date com-  
edy. Others taking part are Burke  
McDonald in an interesting sketch  
depicting the Irish character.  
Jack Princeton and Agnes Yale  
present "600 Miles from New York,"  
Jack and His Jills is a farce comedy  
playlet. Carl Demarest entertains with  
a violin and dance novelty. Francis  
and Ross give an exhibition of society  
dances. Joseph Healy and the Bar-  
Twins with Juggling Nelson greatly  
interested the audience.

EXCELLENT MUSICAL  
PERFORMANCE  
Both in the Sunday band concerts  
and last evening again, the Toronto  
Symphony Band, under the leadership  
of Signor Salvatore Gaudin, made a  
most favorable impression upon the  
crowds at Scarborough Beach. The band  
is composed of the best of the best  
known players in Toronto and dis-  
trict, and Signor Gaudin is an Italian  
conductor who has had much experi-  
ence in his native land. The vau-  
deville act presented yesterday is given  
by the Oxford Trio. The open air  
moving pictures were as good as any  
that have yet been seen at the park.  
\$3.95 Return—All Round Muskoka  
Lakes From Toronto June 15  
The Grand Trunk Railway is run-  
ning a popular excursion to all round  
Muskoka Lakes, leaving Toronto Sat-  
urday, June 19. Excellent  
equipment on this train, including par-  
lor-library-cars, parlor-library-  
buffet car and high grade coaches.  
Only \$3.95 return from Toronto, and  
tickets are valid returning on all reg-  
ular trains up to and including Tues-  
day, June 22, 1915. The Grand Trunk  
is the pioneer line and the gateway to  
the far-famed Muskoka Lakes. Steam-  
ers will be in waiting at Muskoka  
Wharf, thus avoiding any inconve-  
nience to passengers.  
Further information and tickets  
may be obtained at city ticket office,  
corner King and Yonge  
streets, phone 499.  
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## York County and Suburbs of Toronto

### COUNTY COUNCIL'S OPENING SESSION

Appointed Committee to Re-  
port on Insurance of  
Soldiers.

### VISIT NIAGARA TODAY

Oxford County Proposes  
Two-Year Term for Coun-  
cil Members.

As usual the county council's open-  
ing meeting yesterday was merely a  
preliminary session, the real work  
will begin on Wednesday morning  
when the members return from their  
annual excursion to Niagara Falls.  
During the guests this year of Warden  
Jonathan Nigh.

The first step towards dealing with  
the much-debated question of insur-  
ing the lives of county soldiers or other-  
wise making provision for the depend-  
ents additional to that allotted in the  
government's pension list, was taken  
when the following resolution was  
passed on the motion of Reeve Keith  
of Newmarket, seconded by Deputy  
Reeve Miller of York Township:  
"That a committee be appointed  
composed of W. H. Fuglesy, Thos.  
Griffith, H. D. Ramsden, Chas. Silver-  
thorn and L. Wallace to consider ways  
and means of making provision for  
the needy dependents of men on ac-  
tive service who lose their lives or  
are maimed and unable to work, and  
that the committee report at this ses-  
sion of the council."

To Appoint Inspector.  
Thirteen applications have been re-  
ceived for the position of third in-  
spector of public schools in the  
county, Mr. Jorden of Sturgeon Falls  
addressing the council in support of  
his application. The position of  
Reeve Keith of Newmarket moved,  
seconded by Reeve W. J. Knowles of  
Aurora, that a bylaw be introduced  
on Saturday to appoint an inspector.  
The motion carried, and it was ar-  
ranged that in the interim other can-  
didates for the position will be given  
an opportunity to address the council.

A petition signed by 300 ratepayers  
of Mount Dennis, which has a popula-  
tion of 3000, asking the council to  
sanction the incorporation of that dis-  
trict as a police village, was intro-  
duced by Chas. Silverthorn, reeve of  
Etobicoke, and on the motion of H.  
D. Ramsden, reeve of N. Wilmhurst,  
it was decided that the application  
would be dealt with on Thursday af-  
ternoon at 3 o'clock.  
The request of J. E. Atkinson and  
others to enlarge the boundaries of  
school section No. 4, Vaughan, will  
be heard on the same day at 2.30.  
A dispute regarding the division  
and boundaries of school section Nos.  
15 and No. 28, York Township, will  
come before the council at 2 o'clock  
on Wednesday afternoon.

Suggest Two-Year Term.  
The legislative committee will re-  
port on a communication from the  
Oxford County Council requesting the  
co-operation of York in an applica-  
tion to the legislature to have the  
act amended to make a two-year term  
the rule in municipal councils. The  
change is advocated on the ground  
that it generally takes a new member  
about a year to become sufficiently  
familiar with the work to be of real  
service. The proposal was not dis-  
cussed yesterday, but an interesting  
debate will undoubtedly follow the  
presentation of the committee's report.

INSURANCE RIFLE ASSOCIATION  
The Insurance Rifle Association will  
hold a smoking concert this evening  
in the mess rooms of the sergeants of  
the 10th Royal Grenadiers, 77 West  
Queen street, at which prizes that  
have been won for drill and for shoot-  
ing will be presented.

### CLAIM DANFORTH CARS ARE MUCH OVERCROWDED

East Toronto. Ratepayers Want  
Better Service During the  
Rush Hours.

A number of local issues demand-  
ing the attention of the works depart-  
ment and the city council were dis-  
cussed at a meeting of the East Toronto  
Ratepayers' Association in the Y. M.  
C. A. Main street, last night President  
W. C. Charters occupying the chair.  
The special committee appointed to  
report on overcrowding during rush  
hours on the Danforth car line  
stated that one morning there were  
94 passengers standing and 48 sitting,  
and that generally during rush hours  
there were at least 70 passengers  
standing in the cars. A larger com-  
mittee was appointed to go more fully  
into the matter, preparatory to taking  
the question up with the board of con-  
trol, followed by W. J. McCrea, A.  
McMillan, W. Lee, Rev. Mr. Morgan,  
W. H. Givens, Mr. McGilivray and  
Secretary J. J. Helling.

The executive committee was  
authorized to approach the city and  
endeavor to have Benham avenue  
and Lyle avenue made residential  
streets.

### ARE WELL SATISFIED WITH ASSESSOR'S WORK

Scarboro Court of Revision Had  
Few Appeals to Deal With  
Yesterday.

Scarboro Township Council held two  
sessions yesterday as a court of re-  
vision in the forenoon and later in the  
day, for the transaction of routine  
business. The appeals were few and  
comparatively unimportant, indicating  
in the mind of the council general sat-  
isfaction with the work of George  
Gree, the assessor.

A large number of accounts were  
ordered paid, among others those of  
Padgett & Hay for cement, \$230; G.T.  
E. \$398; Kings Edward Sanatorium,  
\$21; L. Forth, \$80.03; Ebenezer  
North Co., \$115.60; J. Shorting,  
\$25.50; R. Callender, \$22.25; W. Dix,  
\$38.30; W. Patton, \$45.25; Corson &  
Son, \$140.10; Coathup, \$129.05, and  
W. Camps, \$25.

Read Improved.  
A feature of the township expendi-  
ture is the large increased amount an-  
nually asked for the maintenance of  
indigestive, the consumptive and other  
institutions, amounting in the aggre-  
gate to a very large sum.

The action of council in improving  
the Markham road from Woburn  
southerly has resulted in a roadway  
that is any inferior to those put down  
by the Good Roads Commission.  
Council adjourned to meet on Mon-  
day, July 12, and following adjourn-  
ment Reeve Cornell and Deputies  
George B. Little and Ormerod left to  
attend the opening session of the York  
County Council.

### CEDARVALE

Cedarvale L.O.L. 5583 will hold its  
first annual church parade on Sunday,  
June 20. Members will assemble at  
Main street and Danforth, avenue.  
Leaving there with two bands they  
will proceed to the Church of the Re-  
surrection, Woodbine avenue. A spe-  
cial service will be held at 3 o'clock,  
when Rev. Bro. J. W. Storey will  
preach on "Dip it in the Blood, or the  
Price of Freedom." It is expected  
that Coronation, Beaches and Spruce  
L.O.L.'s, in full regalia and accom-  
panied by their bands, will take part  
in the parade.  
The semi-annual meeting of the  
District of Markham L. O. L. will be  
held in Cedarvale Lodge room on  
Friday, June 18, at 8 o'clock. Meeting  
will open in the blue.

### INJURIES FATAL TO FRANK RIDINGS

With Mark Rabham Was Se-  
verely Burned in Acety-  
lene Gas Explosion.

### TANKS BEING SHIPPED

Five Were in Car, Which Was  
Demolished, Damage Be-  
ing Heavy.

The Searchlight Gas Co., near 1712  
Dundas street, were making a ship-  
ment of nine tanks of acetylene gas to  
Perry, who, he, being in the buoy in  
the Georgian Bay. Five of these  
had been placed in the freight car.  
Just as the men loading the car were  
making room for the rest of the ship-  
ment one of the tanks exploded.  
With the exception of the truck the  
car was blown to bits.

There was a consignment of Comfort  
soap and lye in the car, and it was  
scattered helter skelter all over the  
freight yard. Splinters of wood, bolts  
and pieces of twisted steel were hurled  
in the air a hundred feet, and the  
flames from the burning car threat-  
ened to set fire to the adjoining freight  
shed. The freight shed itself, at the  
lower end, was completely shattered.  
The roof and the side next the track  
were torn from their position and the  
roof, in falling, did considerable dam-  
age to a lot of outgoing freight.

Officer 498, who was passing on his  
wheel at the time of the explosion,  
was hit on the back by a piece of wood.  
He jumped off his wheel and hearing  
cries for help, went to the freight car  
which was burning under the wreck-  
age. Both Ridings and Grab-  
ham were badly burned and bruised.  
Their hair was burned to the scalp  
and their clothes were torn to shreds.  
Their shoes and stockings were the  
only wearing apparel left on their  
bodies. Four gallons of kerosene oil was  
brought from the Gurney foundry and  
poured on the men, and this gave tem-  
porary relief. Dr. H. Clendenen dress-  
ed the injured men and Spearman  
balance was called and took them to  
Grace Hospital.

Windows Broken.  
Every window in the Gurney foundry  
core room was broken, and the win-  
dow frames were literally torn out  
of place in the west end. Two men,  
Tom Anderson and W. Fortune, work-  
ing near a window, were hurled into  
the air by the explosion. The men  
said that a German bomb had been  
dropped upon the building. Fortune said:  
"We heard a short but terrific re-  
port, then a flash of light. Then we  
heard cries and we hurried out to  
give help. Ridings was very badly  
burned and we hurried to get some  
linseed oil to pour on both the men."

Each of the tanks contained 30  
pounds of gas, and at 200 pounds  
pressure, said an employee of the  
Searchlight Gas Co., "but I cannot  
give any reason why it should explode  
except they were roughly handled.  
There were nine in the shipment, and  
they were going to Perry Sound, where  
they were to be used in buoys on the  
Georgian Bay this summer."

The damage done is estimated as  
follows: Grand Trunk sheds and cars,  
\$15,000; Gurney foundry, \$2000;  
Searchlight Gas Co., \$200; Benjamin  
Moore & Co., \$100; neighboring win-  
dows, \$150.

### MARKHAM VILLAGE

Principal Bull of the Markham High  
School is this week conducting the  
departmental examinations at the  
Stouffville Continuation School, and  
next week takes charge of the high  
school entrance examinations in Mark-  
ham.

The Markham branches of the char-  
tered banks doing business in that  
town have fallen in line with the  
British steamer Arndale which struck  
a mine in the White Sea, and during  
July and August will close at 1 p.m.  
James Torrance has lost the splendid  
imported Clydesdale stallion Cal-  
tridale. This horse was regarded by  
many horsemen as one of the best  
animals seen in the county in a long  
time.

## OAKWOOD HEARS OF COUNTY SCHEME

Deputy Reeve Miller Tells  
What Will Be Done for  
Soldiers.

SURE IT WILL PLEASE  
Aim to Deal With Cases That  
Pension List Doesn't  
Provide For.

"The members of the York County  
Council are opposed to the insurance  
of the town's soldiers, but all needy  
cases will come up before a com-  
mittee to be appointed by them and  
will be dealt with as they see fit,"  
said Deputy Reeve Miller, at the  
regular meeting of the Oakwood  
Ratepayers' Association, last evening  
at the Hotel. "I am satisfied the  
county council will do something  
which will be satisfactory to every-  
one. They will go into the matter  
on Wednesday morning and a strong  
committee has been appointed to look  
into the whole question."

"It must be borne in mind that  
scores of men have gone to the front  
who are well off," continued Mr. Mil-  
ler, "such as Mr. Crang and others.  
They do not need insurance. And  
there are large numbers of young men  
who have been sent out from homes,  
such as Dr. Barnardo's in the old  
country, who have no dependents, and  
if their lives were insured and they  
were killed, their former employers  
would receive the money."

Many Will Do.  
Out of 25 who have gone from York  
County, 20 of them are the sons of  
well-to-do farmers, and there was 80  
per cent. of the first contingent re-  
servists, who have given the old  
country as their home.  
"There has been repeatedly said that York  
Township is the wealthiest munici-  
pality in Canada, but we have given  
\$5000 to the patriotic fund," said Mr.  
Miller, "and we will need a home for  
the men who will return disabled and  
unable to work, and there are lots of  
other things we will need to do, and  
expenses we will have to meet later  
on. There are other cases we shall  
have to attend to which the govern-  
ment pension scheme does not cover.  
However, I believe that the govern-  
ment has a scheme on foot whereby  
the disabled soldiers will be employed."

Want Something definite.  
"If the government will not see to  
the disabled men it is up to us to make  
them do it," said Mr. Jarvis.  
Mr. Bishop thought that "if the in-  
surance was decided upon everyone  
would be satisfied. It is the uncer-  
tainty of the council's stand that the  
ratepayers are concerned about. We  
do not know what they intend to do,"  
he said.

The secretary then read the sched-  
ule of government pensions for  
widows and dependents of the sol-  
diers. "It is my first opinion that the  
government should insure the soldiers  
and not the municipalities or the city,  
as the men are fighting for the em-  
pire," said President William Caswell.  
It was decided to lay the matter over  
for further discussion at a future meet-  
ing.

Mr. Rogers having resigned from  
the executive committee, A. E. Bishop  
was elected to the vacant office.  
President William Caswell occupied the  
chair.

### BAGGS OF EDGELY HAVE BEST COW IN CANADA

James Baggs & Sons of Edgely are  
the owners of the champion cow of  
any breed in Canada, and a test re-  
cently conducted by the department  
of agriculture at Ottawa established the  
fact beyond a doubt. From May 1,  
1914, to May 1, 1915, according to the  
Ottawa authorities, Sunbeam gave  
18,774 pounds of milk yielding 1100  
pounds of butter, while the butter fat  
test was 320 pounds. The actual  
weight of the cow is 1100 pounds.  
When the award was made known,  
Mr. Baggs was offered and refused  
\$1000.

### NEWMARKET FIREMEN ARE WELL EQUIPPED

The Town of Newmarket yesterday  
completed the outfitting of volunteer  
firemen with rubber coats and boots.  
The men already having their hats. At  
the present time 53 volunteer firemen  
are enrolled, and a fire reel, hose  
wagon and hook and ladder truck  
completes one of the best volunteer  
fire systems in Ontario. The town has  
been singularly free from any serious  
fires, and in all the years since the  
establishment of the brigade no fire  
starting in any building has ever been  
allowed to spread to the adjoining one.

### FURTHER TOLL TAKEN BY GERMAN PIRATES

Steamer and Schooners Torpe-  
doed—Mine Sinks Ship in  
White Sea.

LONDON, June 14.—The sinking by  
German submarines of the British  
steamer Hopenmore, French schooner  
Diamant, and the Danish schooner  
Cocos Merstal, and the loss of the  
British steamer Arndale which struck  
a mine in the White Sea, were re-  
ported today.

The Hopenmore of 3,200 tons  
gross, was sunk off the coast of Wales.  
The submarine fired several shells at  
the steamer before the crew could  
enter the boats. The captain and  
three of the crew were wounded. They  
were taken to a hospital after the  
boats reached Barry.

The 324-ton French schooner Dia-  
mant, from the port of St. Malo, was  
submarine and sunk Sunday. The  
crew was landed today.

Two Danish schooners, the Katrine  
and the Cocos Merstal, were stopped  
today by a submarine. The crew of  
the Cocos Merstal was sent aboard  
the Katrine and the former vessel was  
then set on fire. The Katrine has ar-  
rived at the port of Forth, Scotland.  
The Arndale, sunk in the White Sea,  
was of 3,353 tons gross. The Arndale  
presumably was carrying a cargo to  
Archangel, the only important Russian  
port bordering on the Arctic Ocean.  
The presence of mines in the White  
Sea is a new development. The one  
in question may have been Russian.

## Wives Sometimes Object To Life Assurance But— Widows Never Do

Many a man has failed to insure because of  
his wife's noble but misguided scruples. She  
didn't want even to think of her husband  
being taken from her. The thought of  
money forcing itself into such a tragedy  
filled her with horror.

Such a woman overlooks the awful plight of a family  
left destitute. It's a husband's duty to protect his  
family from want and suffering after his death. A  
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## TEUTONS TO EXAMINE SHIPS LEAVING U. S.?

Frankfurt Paper Has Bright Idea  
for Settling Con-  
troversy.

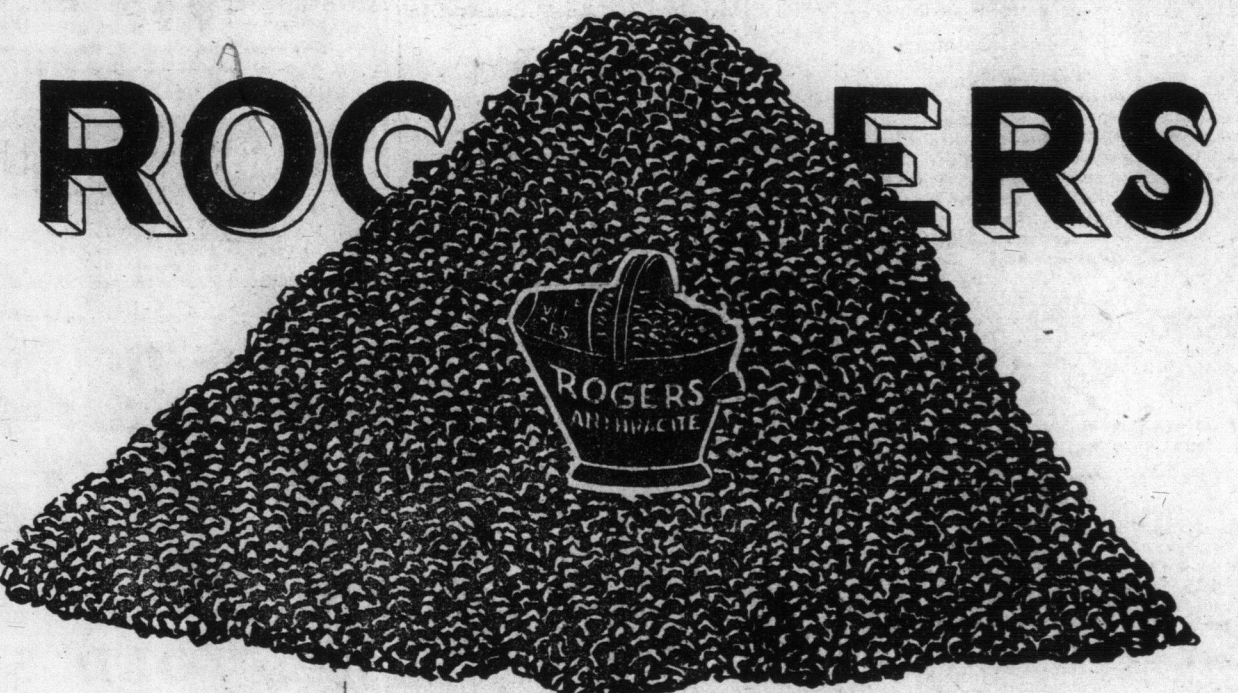
FRANKFURT, Germany, via Lon-  
don, June 15. 2.55 a.m.—The Nach-  
richten proposes as a method for  
modifying the hardships of submarine  
warfare that the United States Gov-  
ernment consent to the stationing of  
German commissioners in American  
ports to examine ships sailing for  
Europe so that those which carry no  
ammunitions, munitions or troops may  
be exempt from attack by German  
submarines.

The newspaper cites as a precedent  
for such action the fact that similar  
commissioners are maintained by the  
British Government in various neu-  
tral countries to examine and certify  
with regard to cargoes bound to  
neutral ports.

The Berliner Tageblatt expresses its  
approval of the suggestion of the  
Nachrichten.

D'ANNUNZIO TO FIGHT  
ROME, June 15. — (Via Paris, 1.10  
a.m.)—The Giornale d'Italia says that  
Gabriele d'Annunzio, the poet, has re-  
ceived an order to join his regiment,  
in which he is second lieutenant.

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