

NO HOPE IN LIFE WITHOUT RELIGION

Seventeen Hundred Soldiers at Exhibition Park Heard Camp Service.

FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT!

Hymns Were Martial in Tone—A Tribute to Late Lord Roberts.

In awe and reverence more than 1700 soldiers, who have sworn to endanger their lives for the empire, stood bareheaded and worshipped God at the divine service in the huge transportation building at Exhibition Park yesterday. Music for this inspiring drumhead service was furnished by the military band of the 10th Royal Grenadiers.

Rev. A. L. Giegge read the lessons, and Rev. G. Russell Maclean delivered the sermon.

"As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord," was the text and the preacher urged that behind all great movements, great men, and great achievements religion stood as a basis.

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More troops will move into camp this week. Col. Vaux Chadwick, in command of the mounted rifle regiment, will line up about 100 men today and another 100 will follow in a few days. There will be 240 field and army ambulance men in camp after Wednesday, and other units are preparing to mobilize.

The final list of rejections shows that 178 men and officers out of a total of 2,541 were considered physically unfit for active service. The reasons are many and peculiar. Defects slight prohibited 61; bad teeth, 29; varicose, 23; underweight chests, 12; under height, 7; varicose veins, 10; hernia, 8; heart trouble, 3; flat feet, 7. Other defects such as goitre, hammer toes, and nervous debility ruled 11.

To Treat Their Teeth. The Ontario Dental Society has consented to treat the teeth of men who were rejected on that account, and no charge for the work will be made.

Men who had bad teeth, but were rejected, will have their teeth treated before sailing. When the men get settled down into their proper stride, inoculation for the prevention of diphtheria will be ordered and vaccination against smallpox will follow.

Lieut. Col. Fotheringham has been officially sanctioned by the military authorities at Ottawa as A.D.M.S. and will be attached to the headquarters staff.

Many letters reach the militia headquarters from citizens who fear attack from hostile forces. The authorities are busy replying to them. Many of the missives are humorous, but some are genuine. They are all carefully investigated by men detailed for that business, and the arrangements made for the protection of the people and property.

YORKSHIREMEN, CHEERED, BELGIANS WERE DAZED

Sixty Families of Refugees Were Not Used to Kindly Treatment.

M. Smith, Kelghley, Yorkshire, England, writing to friends in Holmsdale, Fairbank, gives a graphic description of the arrival of the 60 families of Belgian refugees in Kelghley, recently.

"Thousands of people assembled along the routes leading to the railway station last evening to greet the arrival of the first batch of Belgian refugees. When the train arrived they met with the greatest reception ever given to Yorkshire people. There were many families of them, and when they saw the dense mass of cheering people they were sad to see them. Amongst the group was a baby about six months old, and their sole luggage was two bundles amongst the entire party.

When they entered the wagonettes waiting to receive them, people pressed forward and thrust gifts of coats and other presents into their hands.

"A troop of Scouts was formed up on the platform, bearing the flag of England and Belgium, and the St. Anne's troop acted as a guard of honor. The Belgians were all artisans, and included a railway porter, mechanic, polisher, stoker, shoemaker and dock laborer. Some came from Antwerp, and others from Brussels and Ostend. They will be housed for the present in Spencer Street School until the families can be sent to the various homes which have been offered them."

ONOKA HAS REACHED HARBOR IN SAFETY

Steamer Patched Up Engines and Arrived at Port Arthur.

Canadian Press Despatch. PORT WILLIAM, Nov. 15.—Shortly after the steamer Onoka had signaled Athabasca last Saturday morning, and asked Athabasca to send a wireless message to Port Arthur for a tug, her crew succeeded in temporarily repairing her engines so that she was able to proceed toward Port William.

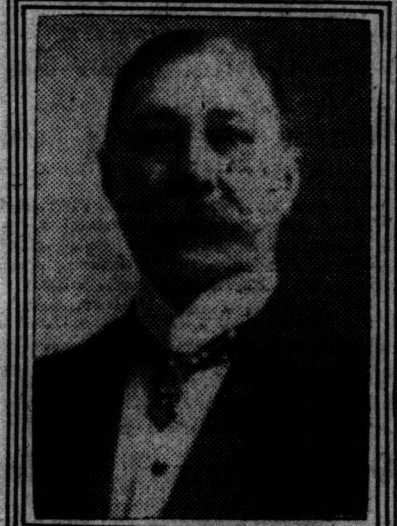
When the wireless from Athabasca was received, the tug Whalen immediately put to sea. When she arrived off Isle Royal, where the Onoka was reported to be disabled, no sign of the missing steamer could be seen. The tug cruised entirely around Isle Royal, and not seeing the Onoka, put back to Port Arthur, arriving at 4.30 p.m. Sunday.

The Onoka meantime had arrived in port shortly before six o'clock Saturday afternoon. She is making repairs.

This Week's Attractions at the Theatres



SOME OF THE GIRLS IN "HIGH JINKS," AT THE ALEXANDRA THIS WEEK.



MARGARET ANGLIN.

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LAWRENCE D'ORSAY.
"The Earl of Pawtucket," at the Grand.

Margaret Anglin
Margaret Anglin and her company of 21 players will begin a week's engagement in "Lady Windermere's Fan" at the Princess Theatre tonight.

The company arrived by special train yesterday from Cleveland, and everything will be in readiness for the opening performance tonight. There has been a very large advance sale for the week, and it is very evident that discriminating playgoers are aware of the fact that Miss Anglin's revival-production of "Lady Windermere's Fan" is one of the really worth while attractions on tour this season.

There will be a large number of theatre parties in attendance at the opening performance tonight. The curtain will rise promptly at 8.30 o'clock.

High Jinks
Arthur Hammerstein's musical jollity "High Jinks" will open a week's engagement at the Royal Alexandra tonight.

The piece comes direct from New York, where it had a remarkable run for one year, and will be presented here virtually by the same company.

The cast is headed by Stella Mayhew, who is assisted by Eugene O'Rourke, Philip Ryley, Emma Francis, Billie Taylor, Adele Ardley, Paul Porcasi, Dorothy Vernon, Ada Meade, Bernard Gorcey, Elizabeth Wood, Dorothy Wolfe, Augustus Schultz and Alberta Terev.

In addition to the principals there is a singing and dancing chorus of 63. The scenes of "High Jinks" are laid in Paris. The show is essentially a "song production," among its well-known numbers being "Something Seems Tingle-tingle-ing," "Jim," "Love's Own Kiss," "I Know Your Husband Very Well," "Come Hither Eyes," "Bubbles," "Dixiana Riser" and "When Sammy Sang the Marseillaise." The last number is essentially a war song, and has been one of the hits of the production.

Military Night at Loew's
The great picture play "England Expects" to be shown for the first time at Loew's Winter Garden tonight, will be viewed by 200 members of the 19th and 24th Battalions from the Exhibition Concentration Camp. This is the famous picture produced in London to encourage recruiting and has been in production.

POSTOFFICE IS LAX SAYS PROF. LEACOCK
News Matter From Germany Allowed Free Circulation in Canada.

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"The Canadian postoffice has been, and is still, deliberately handling and distributing news matter posted in Germany, with German post stamps, and intended to influence public opinion against the British cause, opinion which is being fostered by the German newspapers are folded up, and inside them are placed leaflets, printed in English in Berlin, for Canadian consumption. False accounts of German victories, English piracies and French atrocities, are thus prepared in Germany and despatched. The Canadian postoffice does the rest."

Prof. Leacock states that he has made private protest to the government and to the Montreal postoffice, but without avail.

KNOCKED BY MOTOR.
Albert Simpson, 41 Rosedale road, was knocked down by a motor road, near Harbor, yesterday afternoon, sustaining severe scalp wound. He was removed to the Western Hospital.



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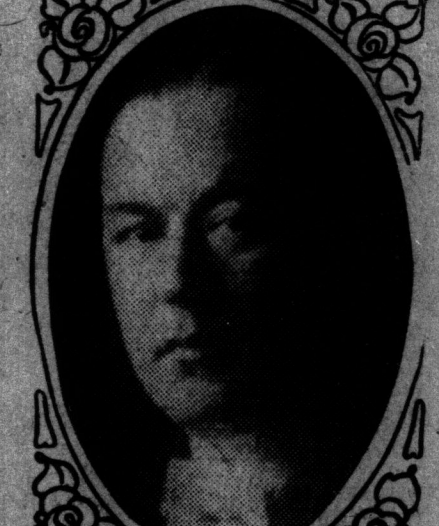
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Lawrence D'Orsay Here
Lawrence D'Orsay, in his famous success, "The Earl of Pawtucket," will appear at the Grand this week.

"The Earl of Pawtucket" was specially written by the famous American playwright, Augustus Thomas, for Mr. D'Orsay, and the difficulties of an English earl in endeavoring to maintain a disguise as an American in New York are very funny. The passive reserve and dogged persistence with which the earl pursues the object of his adoration, led to many odd but always amusing complications, but the gallant earl proves himself a true nobleman and wins against a sea of troubles.

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HAVE DONE NO WRONG

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Sir: Owing to remarks that have been made in the press and elsewhere concerning certain members of the staff of the university, who are of German birth, I think it is only fair that I should send you the following in justification of the university's position.

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