

WITH THE GREAT WAR VETERANS Items of Interest to Returned Soldiers Will Be Printed in This Column if Phoned or Sent In.

G.A.C. HELP LABOR CAUSE? MAY BE INVITED TO ATTEND CONVENTION OF LABOR PARTY.

Comrade W. J. Carmichael, general secretary of the G.A.C. in Canada, is now in Winnipeg where he is organizing with much success. Comrade Parsons, Dominion secretary, who is now in Toronto, stated yesterday that the Dominion organization in the Queen City was forging ahead with real vim. Local posts will meet next week to elect new officers.

James Simpson, secretary of the Ontario section, stated last night that it was quite on the cards an invitation might be extended to the G.A.C. He stated the executive of the Ontario section was awaiting the report of the trades union unit before deciding upon the date of the convention.

OFFICERS AND NURSES HOME FROM OVERSEAS

Officers and nurses who crossed the Atlantic on the Adriatic arrived at the union station yesterday morning. Capt. Fred L. Lodge of the 1st Battalion, from Windsor, said that it had taken them from Monday afternoon till Wednesday evening to reach Montreal from Halifax, and complained of the government labor party for not compensating for the loss of pension month by month their pensions today being \$30 a month less than they should be.

MORE SOLDIERS ARRIVE

Toronto soldiers who arrived on the return had a cordial welcome home last night from about 3000 relatives and friends who were waiting at the Exhibition grounds. The first train reached its destination at 8.45, and the second at 9.30, the total number carried being 15 officers and 575 men.

STILL GOING STRONG

G. A. C. officials claim a membership in Toronto of close upon 4000 and a total membership of 3000, although precise figures are not obtainable at the moment. At least ten branches are organized in Toronto and many others throughout Ontario and other provinces.

HERO OF THE MONS RETREAT HEADS BRANTFORD A. N. VETERANS

Special to The Toronto World. Brantford, Ont., Aug. 7.—Comrade Henry Fielden has resigned from the presidency of the Brantford branch of His Majesty's Army and Navy Veterans, having been moved to Toronto by the Bank of Toronto. His place will be taken by Constable J. L. Cobden of the local police force, a British reservist, who was thru the Mons retreat, being one of the seven survivors of the battalion, the Colstream Guards.

BRITISH DIRIGIBLE STARTS SOON ON HER LONG FLIGHT TO INDIA

London, Aug. 7.—The British dirigible R-33, sister ship of the R-34, which recently completed a round trip across the Atlantic, will probably start on her flight to India next week, according to announcement made today.

BRITISH IN BALTIC SINK BOLSHEVIK SUBMARINE

London, Aug. 7.—A Bolsheviki submarine has been sunk in the Baltic by the British torpedo boat destroyers Valorous and Vancouver, according to official statements issued by the admiralty this evening.

BRITISH PROFITEERING BILL PASSES ITS FIRST READING

London, Aug. 7.—The government's bill providing prosecution and penalties for persons who profit from profiteering passed the first reading in the house of commons today.

GRATUITY READY IN FEW WEEKS? RUMOR RIFE TO THIS EFFECT, BUT CONFIRMED NOWHERE.

Gratuity rumors are the ripest of the fruits of the narrative season, and yesterday afternoon rumor was rife in one quarter that gratuities would be paid immediately in monthly payments, \$100 to every man with active service record. Rumor was also busy with the intimation that a gratuity of \$600 in a lump sum would be paid right away, and that this would suit all returned men. Official confirmation of either rumor is lacking. However, all Veterans is agog with suspense. Many returned men would accept \$600 where they might accept \$2000, although the opponents of the Calgary resolution are of the opinion that they would accept the lovely gift.

RAISING SOLDIERS' RENTS

A letter was read from Com. A. B. Black, 31 Enderby avenue, stating that when he went to pay his rent he was told that it would be raised from \$35 to \$45, and that he thought the case should be shown up. He thought that these landlords were trying to put up on returned soldiers.

MILITARY FUNERALS

All military funerals have been awarded by the military authorities to Capt. Ross J. Craig, the executive committee reported that a letter had been sent to the military authorities asking that east end funerals be given to a funeral director there, providing he was a returned soldier or had lost a son in the war. The meeting endorsed the action.

FLIGHT OVER ROCKIES IS FINALLY ACHIEVED

Capt. E. C. Hoy is Successful Aviator—Rival Lieut. Hall Smashes His Machine. Lethbridge, Alta., Aug. 7.—Capt. E. C. Hoy, D.F.C., landed in Lethbridge at 6.22 p.m. on his airplane trip from Vancouver to Calgary.

REGIMENTAL SERGEANT-MAJOR R. A. WALKER, WHO DIED ON MONDAY LAST, WAS BURIED YESTERDAY.

Regimental Sergt-Major R. A. Walker, who died on Monday last, aged 35, was buried yesterday. Mr. Walker was an old imperial veteran with 25 years' service. He served in India, China and South Africa. His father also was a Crimean veteran, and he had one son who served in this war. The Army and Navy Veterans in Canada wish to go on record in showing their appreciation for the kind efforts of Major Campbell, headquarters, in arranging for the military funeral for Mr. Walker from his home at 61 Amroth avenue.

REACHES GERMANY

reaching enemy countries. Dr. Macnamara, secretary to the admiralty, replying to General Page Croft in the house of commons said that 12 ships containing nickel were seized and put in the London prize court, 11 of which were from New York and destined to Dutch and Swedish ports. "That it is the belief of the Riverdale branch that the nickel referred to is Canadian; that undoubtedly a large quantity has found its way into Germany thru the criminal negligence of the government; that Sir Robert Borden, when he was in office, should be called upon by the association to show cause for this nickel reaching Germany, and to furnish the names of the shipping companies, nickel mines, both before and during the war."

STANDING OF MEMBERS

Table listing members and their credits for various districts (1-9) and wards (1-5) of the Toronto World Salesmanship Club.

NO NICKEL IN BAY LEADS RACE TODAY

George Surtees, Charlotte Styles, S. Gordon, Mrs. H. Elder and R. E. McIntyre Five Highest World Salesmen Today.

Out-of-the-city members occupy three of the five leading places in today's list of standings of members of the Salesmanship Club. George R. C. Surtees of North Bay, district 13, running first, according to the published list today, with 253,000 credits.

STEADY INCREASE IN STANDINGS MADE BY NEARLY EVERY MEMBER IN THE LIST AND THE RACE IS GROWING CLOSER AND CLOSER AS THE END OF THE CAMPAIGN NEARS.

Steady increase in standings were made by nearly every member in the list and the race is growing closer and closer as the end of the campaign nears. Just a few subscriptions will work wonders during Double 'Em Up time, which is on now and which is in effect until 11 p.m. August 20.

THREE WEEKS UNTIL END

Members have only three weeks until the end of the big campaign is near. Three weeks from tonight the finish gong sounds. Three weeks from tonight someone will be the winner of a \$5000 prize and four others will be winners of high-grade automobiles and others will be given merchandise orders ranging in value from \$100 each down to \$25.

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DOUBLE CREDITS

From August 4, to 11 p.m. August 20, all new subscriptions count double the regular schedule.

HERE IS THE REGULAR SCHEDULE

Note:—Renewals of old subscriptions count for just one-half the number of credits shown above. An old subscription is one given by a person receiving The World on day Campaign was announced. Subscriptions are delivered by carrier only in the City of Toronto and suburbs and the City of Hamilton. Everywhere else delivery is made by mail.

Table showing subscription rates for different durations (3, 6, 12, 24 months) and carrier/mail options.

FIRST SUBSCRIPTION CREDIT 15,000 EXTRA

TORONTO WORLD SALESMANSHIP CLUB. In order to give those who enter the Salesmanship Club an early advantage, 15,000 EXTRA CREDITS are allowed, providing the entry blank is accompanied by a subscription.

Amount paid \$..... for subscription to The Toronto World (daily edition) for months.

By sending this blank with any subscription, along with entry blank, the club member will start off with 20,000 credits, in addition to the regular number allowed in the schedule.

Entry Blank

The World's Salesmanship Club. Write Name and Address Plainly. Enter your name or that of a friend.

Name..... Address..... City or Town..... Only one entry blank will be credited to any one member.

DISEASED CATTLE A SOURCE OF DANGER

Ontario Veterinarians Urge Tests of All Food-Producing Animals. The afternoon session was taken up by the election of officers for the coming year. They were as follows: President, Dr. J. A. Campbell, of 8 Edward street, Toronto; first vice-president, Dr. H. Engel, of Kitchener; second vice-president, Dr. H. H. Cook, of Toronto; secretary-treasurer and registrar, Dr. C. F. Ottewill, 110 University avenue, Toronto.

ADVOCATE REVISION OF GERMAN TREATY

Geneva, Aug. 7.—The international Socialist conference now in session at Lucerne, which is preliminary to the main congress to be held at Geneva in February, 1920, voted yesterday in favor of a German revision of the peace treaty. The congress also adopted a proposal to send a commission to Budapest to study the recent Hungarian soviet administration.

GEN. CURRIE HELD UP

London, Aug. 7.—Many ships are held up by the strike in Liverpool. General Currie was to have sailed on the Caronia today, but the boat is unlikely to leave immediately.

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