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**TURPENTINE IS QUIET**  
Savannah, Ga., Dec. 11.—Turpentine quiet 92½; sales, none; receipts 277; shipments 1; stocks, 14,872.  
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### Music And Poetry Was The Subject

Scholarly Address Delivered by Dr. H. L. Spangler Delighted St. Peter's Y. M. A.

Music and Poetry furnished the theme of a scholarly address which was delivered by Dr. H. L. Spangler before the St. Peter's Y. M. A. and their friends assembled in the basement of St. Peter's church yesterday afternoon.

The doctor described poetry, as mere rhythm, and cadence expressed in words; music as meter, rhythm and cadence expressed in tones. Poetry required the effort of the mind, music sprang from the spirit.

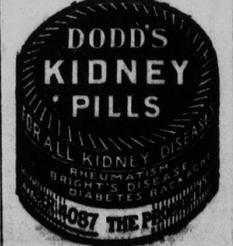
He described the great power music had over men. In times of war when led by martial strains they would face death at the very cannon's mouth without a thought of fear, while in times of sorrow or depression the soothing strains of old familiar melodies acted as a healing balm on the wounded heart.

### Tuxis Boys' Conclave Proved A Success

One Hundred and Forty-One Boys Heard Address on "Newspaper Work."

The second Tuxis Boys' Conclave held at the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday night proved to be a huge success, one hundred and forty-one boys being present for the occasion.

Squares were on hand from the following churches: Ludlow Baptist, Portland Methodist, Waterloo Baptist, Centenary, Queen's Square Methodist, Central Baptist, Trinity, German



street Baptist, Main street Baptist, St. Mary's, Carleton Methodist, St. David's Presbyterian, Douglas Avenue Christian. The speaker of the evening was L. F. Kipp, who spoke on the subject: "Newspaper Work."

**Athletic Events**  
The Basketball Relay Match resulted in St. David's winning first place, Portland second, and Queen's Square third; and in the match game between St. David's and Portland, the latter were victorious by the score of 14 to 11.

The swimming competition for the Aquatic Badge brought forth great rivalry, and the length for open style was 175 yards or fourteen lengths of the swimming pool. At the next conclave in January, the competition will call for a swim of 100 yards on the back and a dive from the surface, bringing up a five pound weight.

**Those Who Qualified**

The following qualified in Saturday's test of superiority: George Love, George Coleman, Stewart Dunham, George Sinclair, Harold Holder, Gordon Robertson, Donald Robertson, Robert Kipp, John Linton, Steve Sears, A. R. Copp, Spencer Leary, R. Roberts, L. Rolston, C. Campbell, W. Glesoy, E. Wilson, H. A. Tena, F. H. Howard, Gordon Langley, R. McLellan, F. Dykeman and H. Friars.

The customary songs were rendered with great gusto and the singing was led by W. F. McEwan. A vote of thanks to the ladies of St. David's church who supplied the supper was moved by Allen Whitaker and seconded by Fred Brown.

### BRINGING MEN FROM ENGLAND TO FILL SHOPS

Tom Moore Charges Much Unemployment is "Artificial" at Present.

SUGGESTS MEANS TO HELP THE WORKLESS

Cheap Labor Being Imported While Skilled Men Are Discharged.

Toronto, Dec. 12.—Stating that he believed that in the present crisis of unemployment many small industries would go under and be taken in by others, and that some of the unemployment was artificial, President Tom Moore, of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, at a conference of labor representatives here on Saturday on the serious situation with regard to workless men made the following suggestions:

**What is Suggested.**  
Distribution of work to keep all employed and the creation of a fund to supplement wages, if necessary, to 75 per cent. of the former pay envelope, this fund to become permanent later on; reduction by the federal and provincial governments of the ten hour day to an eight hour day on the Welland Canal contract and the hydro development work at Chipewyan.

President Moore said that employers had brought from England to Montreal on October 18, last, eighty textile workers when employers knew that their mills would not provide the employment they had promised.

**Still Bringing Men.**

He also charged that a large corporation in Ontario was laying off mechanics whom it had brought from England during a strike last summer to take on other mechanics whom it recently brought from England. "Even when the collapse was here," Mr. Moore said, "Toronto employers brought boot and shoe workers to the city, knowing that there was no prospect of employment."

**What Hamilton Plans.**

Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 12.—Immediate and substantial relief, not in the form of crumbs of charity but in the form of work, will be given to Hamilton's 2,500 unemployed. Plans to carry out this project were made on Saturday night at a special meeting of the board of control. A portion of the Scott Barracks, which has been used during the influenza epidemics as an emergency hospital will be opened on Monday night, fully equipped to give asylum to destitute returned soldiers and civilians, who will be given breakfast each morning before setting out in search of work.

**RECRUITING NOTICE**

15th Heavy Battery get ready for the next war. Don't wait for conscription. This battery is now drilling on Tuesday and Thursday nights with a mere handful of men. It should have 125 with a large waiting list. A fine chance is offered to the older boys of the numerous cadet corps to learn how to shoot a big gun. Men with actual experience will show you how to do it. A week of real shooting in the summer at Petawawa, on the Ottawa River follows the dummy training in the armoury. Come down and have a look at the guns and you can tell better whether you wish to join or not.  
C. F. INCHES, Major.

**ARTILLERY TRAINING.**

No. 4 Siege Battery, West Side, is now training for a good holiday trip to Camp Petawawa. Some more members are needed. Join up, boys, ex-service men, 21st Siege men and all keen young fellows of eighteen years. All are welcome. Help keep up the record of old "Carleton Battery No. 2." Parades every Wednesday and Friday, 8 p. m. Drill Shed, Winstown street, West End.  
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