## J. HARRY FLYNN TELLS LOCAL VETERANS PROFITEERS WERE PROTECTED AT THEIR EXPENSE

Says Reason For Refusing Re-establishment Demands Is That Government Is Afraid To Take the Money From Profiteers. Who Should Bear the Burden.

Bitterly attacking the Government on its system of soldier civil re-establishment and its fallure to provide what he called an adequate gratuity, J. Harry Flynn of Toronto addressed a crowded house in the Patricia Theatre last night, when a meeting was held in the interest of the Grand Army United Veterans of Canda He was given an Veterans of Canada. He was given an enthusisatic reception. Cheers greeted him as he stepped forward to speak, and his address was interspersed through-

his address was interspersed throughout by cheers and applause.

"You men," he said, "did not fight in France for an ideal, for liberty, or that Canada might take its place among the great nations of the earth; you fought to protect a bunch of government-protected profiteers who snatched the bread from the mouths of your wives and children and of the widows or your hals, while you were wallowing in that oals, while you were wallowing in that

"I will tell you, too," he continued,
"thy the Government refuses to reestablish you property. They are
afraid to take the money from those
from whom it should come. I mean
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Borden of being numbered among the profiteers of the country because he under stock in a profiteering cold-storage plant in Winnipeg.

Taxing Profiteers.

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Estaid that Canada was the only country in the world which had not put a tax on the war profiteers. England had taken steps along these lines at the beginning of the war, and had obtained great results from it. Even the United States had taxed those who had made excess profits. had made excess profits.

Canada was richer today, the speaker Canada was richer today, the speaker asserted, than ever she was. There was more money in the bank today than in 1913. Practically all of the great national debt was owed by the Canadian people. If the citizens of Canada were able to invest hundreds of millions of dollars in Victory bonds at a high rate of interest, then the money must be in the country. "How many of you have a thousand dollar bond?" he shot at his audience.

He cited the steps that New Zealand and Australia were taking in rewarding their soldiers. "Even the United States," he said, "is proposing to give her soldiers \$500 a month for every month they spent in taking a vacational trip to France to watch the Canadians

trip to France to watch the Canadians "Canada cannot afford to neglect re-establishing her veterans properly. The nation's asset is a large number of contented returned soldiers. The coun-

but by her power to produce. The great amount of money that each day is being invested in stocks and in gambling by the rich is not producing.

Far greater good would come from it if it were given in sums or one or two thousands to the returned man, so that he might invest in a producing business." Want a Fair Chance.

Flynn said he did not consider Mr. Flynn said he did not consider that a man was properly re-established until he was given a job or put in as good a financial position as he was before he answered the call. The organization which he was representing, he said, did not ask that the men be paid for what they had done. "There was not enough money in Canada," he said. "to begin to pay them for what they went through. All that is wanted is that a chance be given the men to get on equal footing with the foreigner who stayed at home an reaped the harvest."

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He related the sacrifics that had been made by the different classes of men who had come from all walks in life to serve their country. He told how the businessman had returned it find that the foreigners had taken overactically all the small businesses, and how that the tradesmen had found that the slackers had taken all the cream of the jobs. "Is it right that all the advantages should be enjoyed by these men, when the returned soldier is forced

men, when the returned soldier is forced to start at the bottom again without help "he asked.

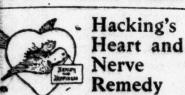
He ridiculed the claim made by the Evernment officials that they had opened roads so that work might be given to the returning soldiers by ask-ing if anyone believed that Sir Robert Borden or Sir George Foster would be

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willing to handle the pick and shove for a living.

The Government has done wonderful things for the men. They have 'given \$35 to each man in order that he might clothe himself. This amount would buy a pair of silk pyjamas for the premier or one of the members of his cabinet, and it would go no fur-ther with them."

Attacked S. C. R.

granted to returned soldiers were more pittances. While totally blind and crippled men were receiving but \$60 a month, majors and other big officers who were falling over themselves in Ottawa were receiving \$7,000 and \$8,000

"Are you going to lie down and let them get away with it?" he asked. "We must keep the politics and future of Canada clean. We returned men must stick together to force the issue. I do not mean that we should use physical force as some papers have accused me of saying, but we must use the power of our vote. Every soldier in Canada can control at least two votes, which would mean a total of a million. At the last election there were but 1,700,000 otes cast
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the debentures issued for a legiate in South London, it the height of folly to disarrable—I almost said dishonorable—Sir George Foster," he continued. "And to Sir Robert Borden, who promised the soldiers when he addressed them at Vimy Ridge that the Government would never forget them, let us show that the question is by no means dead and that the fight is still being fought. The meeting was also addressed by J. F. Marsh, organizer for the Grand Army of United Veterans. He called Sir George Foster a baby because he had refused to shake the proffered hand of Mr. Flynn. Comrades Devlin and Pugh of the G. W. V. A. also spoke. Dr. H. A. Stevonson, M.P.P., acted as chairman. A musical program was provided.

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## **ASSESSMENT BOOST** FOR WARD FOUR OF MILLION AND HALF

Report Is Submitted To Mayor Little by the Assessment Commissioner.

More than a million and a half dol-lars' increase in the assessment of Ward 4 for 1921 taxation was made this year, according to a report which has been submitted to Mayor Little by As-sessment Commissioner Stephen Grant. The assessors had been working on this The assessors had been working on this ward since the beginning of the year, and completed their work Saturday. The increased assessment on buildings alone was \$1.221.001, while the increase on land was \$193.067. Business assessment increased \$83.089, and income assessment \$110.422. The increased assessment on buildings alone was \$1,221,001, while the increase on land was \$193,067. Business assessment increased \$83,069, and income assessment \$110,422.

"The gain in real estate has been arrived at from a careful revision of the property, equity being the standard," said Mr. Grant. "There has been very little building done in this ward.

"The gain in income has exceeded my expectation owing to the statutory examption on income for non-householders being increased from \$600 to \$700 and for householders from \$1,500 to \$1,700. I suppose the increased wages have made un for more than the increased exemption.

That London, with all its belief in its own fair conditions, still offers opportunities for the men of this city to do some clean-up work was indicated by Rev. T. S. Roy, of Talbot Street Eaptist Church, in an address Sunday morning before the Men's Brotherhood of Askin Street Methodist Church. Service." and after pointing out the way in which social service characterised the life of Jesus Christ, the speaker drew attention to the fact that the church was leaving a good many of its Master's commands unfulfilled by ignoring very plain duties right at its own fair conditions, still offers opportunities for the men of this city to do some clean-up work was indicated by Rev. T. S. Roy, of Talbot Street Eaptist Church, in an address Sunday morning before the Men's Brotherhood of Askin Street Methodist Church. Service." and after pointing out the way in which social service characteristic the life of Jesus Christ, the speaker drew attention to the fact that the church was leaving a good many of its Master's commands unfulfilled by ignoring very plain duties right at its

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Total Assessment—1920, \$11.827,506; 1919, \$10.325.575; gain, \$1.501,931, Statute Labor—1920, 172; 1919, 124; gain, 48 Dors—1920, 316: 1919, 337: loss, 19. Ritches—1920, 32: 1919, 53: loss, 21. Population—1920, 16,007; 1919, 17,123;

BIRD NOTES (Contributed by McIlwraith Or-

nithological Club.)

# PAPAL DELEGATE

Will Make His First Visit To London Since Arrival in Canada.

Announcement was made in the Catholic Churches of the city yesterday that on May 24 His Excellency Rev. Peter Di Maria of Ottawa, apostolic delegate for Canada, will visit London. This will be the first visit the papal delegate has made to this district since his arrival in Canada, and a big reception is to be held in his honor in St. Peter's Parish Hall.

From London he will go to Chatham and Windsor.

At yesterday's services a letter was Morrison, J. J. MacWilliams, and J. D. Marvison, J. J. MacWilliams, and J. D.

The speaker then went on to attack the D. S. C. R., which, he said, was the biggest camouffage staged by the Government. He said that he was not attacking the officials of the D. S. C. R., but the power that was behind them. They could rarely do as they would like. It was ridiculous to expect that a man could be given a training for the business world in two months, when it ordinarily took two years; or that a man might be trained in a trade in four months that took others four years to learn. The Government forgot, too, that it took most men two months before they were able to concentrate after they returned to civil life.

The cost of training the men averaged from \$1,000 to \$1,500 each. Far better it would have been if this money had been given to each one in a lump sum and he had been allowed to look after his own retraining.

The land settlement was an absolute farce. The lands that the Government had given in Northern Ontario were non-productive. After the men had served their country it seemed that the officials in Ottawa, in order to show their appreciation, had asked them to take their wives and families to the wilds to get out of sight.

Mr. Flynn declared that the pensions granted to returned soldiers were more pittances. While totally blind and cripples of the stage of the churches in the diocese of London of the churches in the diocese of London of help for the starying people of Central and papeal from Bishop Fallon to contained an appeal from Bishop Fallon to chall the churches in the diocese of London of help for the starying people of Central Europe.

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The street car fares that parents pay from the suburbs to the collegiate centre would in one year offset all that is saved by building one large school instead of two moderate but adequate structures. This city, with its scattered area, was never intended not With the land already acquired, and the debentures issued for a second coler legiate in South London, it would seem to he height of folly to disarrange all the plans at this stage. It would only be a few years at the most when a second collegiate would be a necessity. Why build for the present regardless of the needs of the near future?

J. I. FERCURES. adapted to centralization of public util-ities. Apart from territorial inconveni-ence, the unwieldiness of an over-sized

CHANGE OF TIME TO TAKE Train No. 630, now leaving London at 8 a.m. for Toronto and intermediate points, will leave at 7:20 a.m. Train No. 21, now leaving London at 11:20 a.m., arriving Detroit 1:20 p.m. (C. T.), will leave at 11:25 a.m., arriving Detroit same time.

Train No. 634, now leaving London at 1:20 p.m., arriving Toronto 4:45 p.m., will leave London at 1:25 p.m., arriving Toronto same time.

Train No. 633, now leaving London at 7:28 p.m., arriving Detroit 10:10 p.m. (C. T.), will leave London at 7:30 p.m., arriving Detroit same time. arriving Detroit same time.

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partment and demand much care and virilance. The increase in business assessment is of course automatic with the increased value of business premises."

The figures on population show a decrease of 989 in the ward during the vear. There were 39 fewer dogs than last year.

Not Really a Loss.

Commenting on the population figures, Mr. Grapt seid: "To my mind, the population of the ward has increased because a population of 1.665 at the military barracks last year as compared with 350 this year, would leave 1.215 to be accounted for. Possibly the difference helween this and the given loss of 989 would show an actual increase of 989 wou

therboods to drive these places out of existence.

The welfare of children growing up was a third feature of social service to which the church ought to set itself Statistics showed that where play-grounds are established juvenile delinquency increased. In addition to these fields of service there were many others to which the church and its organizations should and most give attention. It was not enough in these days to be salvaging a little of the wreckage from the saloons, the brothels and all the other degrading agencies. The church must set itself to create the environment in which true sanctification, that is the right development of character, might take place.

## ELDERS ORDAINED AT IS COMING MAY 24 IMPRESSIVE SERVICE IN KING ST. CHURCH

Rev. Dr. McCrae Preaches a **Powerful Sermon At** 

and Windsor.

At yesterday's services a letter was read from Bishop Fallon, asking the support of all for the United Welfare fund.

Another letter that was read in all the churches in the diocese of London contained an appeal from Bishop Fallon for help for the starving people of Central Europe.

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world. These were of purely human origin, and had been established by purely human means. He spoke highly of these fraternities and the good they accomplished. They were all, howeves, purely human, and it was optional whether we associated ourselves with them or not. Membership in them was not obligation. Surely it was deplorable ment, so many regarded the church of God in the same light as they regarded these societies. This was contrary to the whole teaching of Christ and his apostles.

The church was not a mere humar institution. It was divine. It was like no other on earth. It was the church one targe school may be somewhat less than that of two smaller schools, but the difference in the initial cost is insignificant compared with the question of utility. If there is an advantage in centralization why not centralize the churches, the public schools, the public? Is not the polley of decentralization the order of the day, providing the greatest good to the greatest number.

It was said that there were hypocrites in the churches. Unfortunately there were some, but there were far more outside the churches. hypocrite in the church of the twelve of which Christ was the minister. But here were eleven good and true men. Was it fair to judge all these by the Was it fair to judge all these by the one hypocrite? He was convinced that there was not that proportion of hypo-

did not neglect the services of the temple. It was still His Father's House,
and the place of prayer. The worship
of the synagogues had been corrupted
and was cold and dead. But Jesus "as
was his custom went every Sabbath
Day to the synagogue to the public
worship of God," and frequently took
part in the services. When, therefore,
we met men and women today who were
alienated from the church and who
utterly neglected it we should impress
upon them that God's message to them
was to come into the church and help
to cleanse it where it was weak, to to cleanse it where it was weak, to raise the fallen, to heal the bruised, to comfort the sorrowing, and to save the lost.

Rise To Higher State. God's call to every man and woman was to accept Christ as Sayior and Lord, to come into some branch of the church and help to bring in the kingchurch and help to bring in the king-dom of God on earth—the kingdom of righteousness and peace, social justice, and unselfish service; the kingdom of

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OPPORTUNITIES FOR

"CLEAN UP" WORK IN

THE CITY OF LONDON

Rev. T. S. Roy Speaks to the Men's Brotherhood Sunday.

Fighteousness and peace, social justice, and unselfish service; the kingdom of brotherly love and goodwill among men and nations. The church needed to be in this new day to a higher state unselfish spiritual life and service and brotherly kindness, but it could never become obsolete. Could never be destroyed. He said: "God bless every Christian organization," but we must insist on the priority of the church. There was only one eternal institution on this earth, and that was the Christian Church, which stood for the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of God and the brotherhood of God and the brotherhood of Christ. The church was the home of the soul, the house of God, the body and bride of Christ, and the everlasting, visible witness of God's saving power in Christ. "On this rock," said Jesus, "I will build my church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."

## **NEWLY-MADE JUDGE** CONGRATULATED BY LOCAL BARRISTERS

Mr. Justice Orde Presides At Weekly High Court-First Time Here.

Saturday's sessions, being the first sessions of the weekly high court here over which Mr. Justice Orde, recently appointed to the bench, has presided, R. G. Fisher, on behalf of the members of the London bar present, congratulated the judge, who suitably replied. In the case of Mitgis against Strathopoulis, a motion was made for an injunction to prevent the defendant from disposing of what the plaintiff claims to be partnership assets. The judge dedisposing of what the plaintiff claims to be partnership assets. The judge declined to make an order, as in his opinion it was not shown that there was any urgency or danger of the plaintiff being injured until the trial is heard in June. G. H. Tennent appeared for the plaintiff, and W. R. Meredith for the defendant.

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In the case of Amy Nutter against A. E. Nutter, an order was made for interim alimony of \$15 a week from date of service of writruntil the trial of the action in June also for \$75 to cover action in June, also for disbursements up to the trial. R. G. Fisher appeared for the motion and C. St. Clair Leitch for the defendant.

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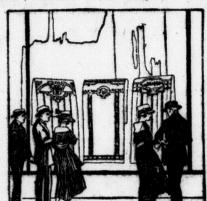
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## ITALIANS IN SCRAP

One Fined \$10 for Carrying a Dangerous Weapon.

Roy Brammer and Harold Coghlin two police constables, were keeping their lonely vigil in the small nours of the morning when voices that were audible for blocks were heard by them. The language used was foreign but the voices were high-pitched.

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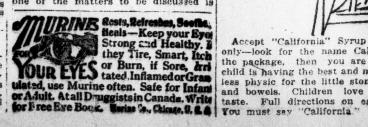
Even the moon had hidden its face by means of an eclipse. The trail led to a dark lane near the corner of King and Ridout streets, near which lived a number of Italians. Expecting almost anything, the officers advanced down the alley to find two sons of Italy facing each other and filling the air with curses.

A horse and buggy were nearby. The vehicle had evidently been subject to some kind of violence. It was badly broken.

Spots of blood covered the collar and palm beach trousers of the smaller of the two men. Still more blood besmirched his vest. The other man evidently had been in combat, for his cye was out of proportion to the rest of his features.

Both were taken to the police station and searched. This resulted in the discovery of an ugly-looking dirk in the possession of the taller man. He gave his name as Secord Carlessa. The other foreigner answered to Petera Sothlan.

In police court several hours later they were both dismissed on a charge of being disorderly, and Carlessa was fined \$10 for carrying a dangerous were pour Bye.



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