

WITH THE GREAT WAR VETERANS

Items of Interest to Returned Soldiers Will Be Printed in This Column if Phoned or Sent In.

U. V. L. DRAWS UP A CONSTITUTION

Flynn Elected President—No Government Employees Allowed on Executive.

Keen approval of the principal clauses in the constitution to be drafted by the United Veterans League, was evinced at a meeting of about 2,500 members held for the purpose in Massey Hall last night. Each clause was freely discussed and voted upon by the members before becoming a part of the constitution, under which the association will operate.

The clause dealing with the resignation of officers of the association was extremely popular with the members when it was made known that this question would be decided by a majority vote of the members. This means that the officers of the U. V. L. will be put in and put out by the members, as President H. J. Flynn capably expressed it, and not by an executive, who will have no power in this respect.

Another clause that was unanimously accepted by the members was that no government employes be allowed to hold an executive position on the association, irrespective of the salary he may be receiving from that position. The discussion in connection with this question showed distrustfulness on the part of the members toward any government employe, and, also, it was pointed out that the man could be removed by a majority vote if he proved false to the cause, the mass would have none of it and demand that these men be confined to general membership.

Elected Unanimously. J. H. Flynn has been acting as provisional president of the association, was unanimously elected Dominion president. His was the only election held with by the meeting. The other officers of the association will be decided at a later meeting when their duties will also be defined. The enthusiasm of the members was almost wild in its nature when President Flynn accepted the presidency of the association with a brief address of thanks to the question of salary was discussed at some length and the matter finally left over to the next meeting, when the executive will bring in a report. The present executive will carry on in their present positions until a permanent one is found.

SMITH FOR ALDERMAN
Riverdale C. W. V. A. Decides to Enter Municipal as Well as Provincial Arena.

Riverdale branch, C. W. V. A., is entering the field of municipal as well as provincial politics, as announced last night that J. E. Smith, president of the branch, will be a candidate for alderman, and will represent the full support of the veterans' organization. He will be nominated to run in Ward One.

ORIGINALS ENDORSE U.V.L.
The question of gratuities and the attitude of the government in this respect occupied the principal part of the discussion at the meeting of the Originals Club in the Sons of England Hall last night.

Disapproval of the manner in which President Flynn of the United Veterans' League was cross-examined at Ottawa was expressed by the members, and motion to this effect was unanimously adopted. The meeting also took up the question of endorsing the attitude of President Flynn in his stand on the gratuity question, and the re-establishment of the returned soldiers.

Various other matters were discussed and passed upon and 38 new members were initiated.

SAPPER TAYLOR'S CASE.
Mayor Church received a cable yesterday in answer to his inquiry, saying Sapper Taylor of Richmond Hill, who had been sentenced to life imprisonment would arrive in Canada on Oct. 20.

REPATRIATION LEAGUE MOVING
The Citizens' Repatriation League, which for the past seven months has been working amongst the returned soldiers of the city, is moving its interviewing office from 43 West King street to the fifth floor of 43 West King street. Any veteran with any difficulty is welcome.

MASS MEETING.
A meeting of all veterans and their friends will be held in Riverdale Park band stand at 3 p.m., Sunday, to endorse the returned soldiers' candidate, Sergt.-Major McNamara, D.C.M. Vital questions will be discussed. Speakers: The candidate, Sergt. J. H. Flynn, Sergt. Smith, Sergt. Joyce, M.M.

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What G. W. V. A. Suggests.
Dr. W. D. Talbot, chairman of the G. W. V. A. advisory committee to the repatriation committee, who was the next witness, told of some of the plans of G. W. V. A. on behalf of returned soldiers. He said it had been recommended that a general scheme of life insurance for soldiers should be established at cost and that the men availing themselves of it should be given the opportunity of using their pensions to secure insurance. A system of unemployment insurance had also been recommended.

Major M. Mowat (Parkdale) explained to the committee his plan for model villages near cities where returned men would be guaranteed good homes and pleasant surroundings. He made a plea for the returned men who wanted to marry and settle down. Canada had lost 60,000 men in the war, said Major Mowat, and needed more children, "and especially the children of the best men Canada has—the men who fought for her." He said that in apartments children were considered a nuisance, and the returned men were thereby made to feel more unsettled.

Mr. Calder asked how Major Mowat would overcome the demand from several cities for the model villages. Soldiers in each province would demand equal treatment and Mr. Calder thought it would be necessary to provide for a model village at almost every city. Mr. Mowat replied that if the government spent the money the people would back them up.

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