

FARMERS GIVEN HONORED PLACE

Hon. George S. Henry, Minister of Agriculture, and W. A. Dryden Speak.

IMPORTANT INDUSTRY

Acres Under Cultivation in Ontario This Year Shows Big Increase.

Proud of the part which agriculture has played in helping to make the Canadian National Exhibition the success it is, and as a compliment to the men who have assisted in bringing the agricultural and live stock exhibits up to their present point of perfection, the Exhibition directors had as their guests at the luncheon yesterday many representatives of these departments.

T. A. Russell, president, spoke of the fine showing of horses and cattle at this year's fair, and congratulated the breeders. He thought it was good policy on the part of the Exhibition officials to enlarge the list of exhibitors, and that government grants were decreased owing to the war. The response from the manufacturers of farm implements was such that there was this year the finest display ever seen and mostly of made-in-Canada goods at that.

Winter Stock Show. He referred to the proposed winter live stock show, and explained the policy of the Exhibition in this regard. It was approved of the scheme and pledged its support and promised the assistance of the Exhibition staff in the event that a decision is made to hold the show in Toronto.

Hon. George S. Henry, minister of agriculture for Ontario, said the people of Ontario had reason to be thankful for the bountiful harvest of this year. The danger point had been safely passed because of the indomitable spirit of the people farming in the British Empire. "We have reaped a soil victory that is going to tell as much as victory on the firing line," he said.

Eighty thousand farmers in Ontario had cropped 10,000,000 acres this year, the largest acreage ever cropped in the province, and an increase of 261,000 acres over 1917. In the four years of war there were 1,000 more acres under cultivation than during the four years prior to the war. He spoke of the failure of the fall wheat crop as the only misfortune in the cereal line, but the increased acreage in spring wheat would make this up. Where conditions had been favorable records had been broken in this and other yields. Barley showed an increase of 23.18 per cent., oats 43.4 per cent., while peas had set almost a record. Wheat was not as good as usual and silage had been short, but the prospect of winter feeding looked bright.

Value of Field Crops. "The cash value of Ontario's field crops last year was \$333,000,000," he said, and there was no reason to see an increase. He was pleased, he said, to see the city people going out to help on the farms, for in addition to helping the crop it showed them that the farmer's income was no profit and that he had many difficulties. "The farmer's most difficult things are to get them at the present time. In one community 100,000 was taken from the bank for the purchase of Victory bonds, but in six months it was back again.

The future of the province is bound up in the live stock industry," he said, when speaking of that part of agricultural work, and in regard to the future, he held that the same spirit which made the Exhibition greater and better each year should animate the farmers. "All that is necessary is to attack that spirit in order that the province may continue the banner province of the Dominion," he said.

W. A. Dryden, president of the Dominion Short-horn Breeders' Association, characterized this Exhibition as the best all-round show he had ever seen. He was glad to see Russell as a farmer, touching upon the live stock industry, he mentioned the proposed live stock show and the determination among the live stock men to develop the greatest thing of its kind ever held on the continent. It had not been decided where the show would be held, but his suggestion would be that Toronto and the Canadian National Exhibition could very well consider it.

ASK COUNCIL FOR NAVAL GRANT.

At a meeting of citizens of North York, held at the fire hall, Newmarket, to discuss and arrange ways of raising money for the Navy League of Canada for this riding, Mr. Turner, assistant manager of Marine Navy League, addressed the meeting, explaining the objects of the league and the need for funds for same. After considerable discussion the following resolution was unanimously adopted: Moved by J. F. Harvey of Newmarket, seconded by H. W. Flury of Aurora, that this meeting approve the object of this appeal and the county council be asked to grant a sum to cover the apportionment against York County.

A Serious Matter

There is a delicacy about mentioning piles. And yet so many suffer needlessly who could be readily relieved and cured if they only knew about Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Men tell me another about this remarkably successful treatment. But many women pine away their health and vitality, dreading a surgical operation and not knowing how easily they can be cured at home by Dr. Chase's Ointment.

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CREATORS' BAND.

Afternoon—Part I.
1. March—"Military" Clapton
2. Overture—"Beautiful Galatea" Suppe
Intermezzo—"Mars" Moret
3. Selection—"I Puritani" Bellini
(Solos by Signor De Mitty and Rossi.)
Part II.
4. Pas des Fleurs Delibes
5. Andantino Rost
Intermezzo Melodico De Nardis
6. Finale III—"Don Carlos" Verdi
Evening—Part I.
1. March—"Military" Scoppa
2. Overture—"Il Ragazzo" Mercadante
3. Selection—"Mignon" Thomas
4. Suite de concert—"Scenes from the opera"—Massenet
(a) Marche (b) Pate Boheme
(c) Air de Ballet (d) Pate Boheme
Part II.
5. La Zerkuela Lacome
6. Prelude Act III—"Marcella" Giordano
7. Soprano Solo—"Aria from 'Lucia' (Ethel Harrington) Donizetti
8. Selection from "The Bohemian Girl" Balfe

GREAT ENTHUSIASM MARKS RECEPTION

National Anthems of United States and Great Britain Are Blended.

ALL COMRADES IN ARMS

Will Join Canadians in Drinking Toasts on Banks of the Rhine.

Splendid as a medium thru which to demonstrate to the American troops and their officers visiting the Canadian National Exhibition was the formal reception given them on the Exhibition grounds yesterday. It took place on the lawn to the west of the main band stand. Just a little prior to 6.45, the appointed hour, the band of the 84th could be heard in the distance as it led the men to the place of meeting. As it approached and the thrilling march grew louder, large crowds braved the rain and followed to partake in the ceremonies.

The men formed close to the stand, and when they came to the halt the Huntsville band, led by Herbert L. Clarke, played "The Star Spangled Banner" while the men and officers stood at the salute. In observance of the occasion, the audience stood and hats were raised. Honor also was paid by the Canadian soldiers and officers present.

Welcome to City. Mayor Church was master of ceremonies. He extended a most cordial welcome on behalf of the capital city of Ontario, which, he said, was proud to have representatives of the American army here. He referred to the appeal made by Lloyd George to President Wilson for more men and at the sound of the president's name the soldiers cheered. "The day of reckoning is at hand," he said. Toronto was proud of its record, having sent 60,000 men on active service.

Sir William Hearst was introduced, but before he spoke the band of the Exhibition returned the compliment extended by the concert band and played the British national anthem. "Officers and men of the great British Empire, come you on behalf of the Province of Ontario," said Sir William. It is a splendid thing to hear your national anthem blended with ours as it has been this afternoon. May these two nations ever fight together for the principles they stand for. This night today is not excited by any sight I have ever seen and your brothers overseas have helped to convey their good wishes and to start the allied armies' march to Berlin where the peace terms must be signed. The allied armies will ever cease until the freedom of the world has been made certain.

Comrades in Arms. "We welcome you," he said in conclusion, "to our comrades in arms and we hope these streets may see you and welcome you again when you march home conquering heroes. In the meantime may the god of battles watch over you and protect you."

Col. H. C. Bickford, O.C. military district number two, welcomed the battalion on behalf of the military authorities. "We in Canada are proud of our own men and proud of yours who have covered themselves with glory," he said. "We hope you will join our men over there and that you will soon be drinking each other's health on the banks of the Rhine." (Cheers.)

BUTLER BOYS IN CASUALTIES.

Word has been received that Pte. C. C. Butler, only son of George Butler, 54 Lytton boulevard, has been admitted to clearing hospital in France as a result of gunshot wounds in the left arm, but no details as to the extent of the injuries have been received. Gunner Thos. R. Butler, a cousin, and son of Alfred Butler, 44 Alexandra boulevard, has been sent from the hospital in France to England for an operation on his foot, the result of being crushed. After having spent a month in the hospital in France it was found necessary to reset the fracture and enclose the foot in a plaster cast for a lengthy period.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

Before Judge Denton yesterday, R. Hutchings pleaded not guilty to the charge of escaping from the jail farm, together with seven others, on June 2, and elected to be tried by a jury. He was also charged with obstructing the officials in the execution of their duty.

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WINNING BUTTER SOLD AT AUCTION

Controller McBride Purchases a Crook at Seventy Cents a Pound.

PROFESSIONALS ENTER

Butter-Making Continues in Dairy Building at the Exhibition.

The second class of butter makers, called the professionals, were in competition yesterday at the Exhibition in the dairy building. Entered in the contest were Mrs. Dove, Kettley; Miss Emma Dove, Kettley; Miss Jane, Baltimore, Ont.; Miss Bryden, Galt, and Miss Barker, Gushph. Each of these women had at some time won a prize for butter making, and so were classed "professionals." The judges for the day were L. A. Zufelt, superintendent of the Eastern Dairy School at Kingston, and J. B. Smith, Alton, one of the government inspectors in western Ontario creameries.

The theatre of the dairy building was filled with interested spectators, as the women went about the work in a deft manner that betokened a true knowledge of the art. Twenty-four pounds of cream were given to each competitor, and the amount of butter obtained varied from a little over six pounds to an ounce over seven pounds.

Prize Butter Sold.

The prize butter made during all the contests was auctioned at two o'clock by J. N. Faget, superintendent of the dairy building. A small crowd was present when the bidding commenced. The crocks contained 34 pounds, and went for 65 cents a pound, and 56 cents a pound. Later in the afternoon, a larger offer was made, and the buyers generously said it might be auctioned over again. Controller McBride bought one crock at 70 cents a pound, and Gums L. bought another crock, but the first buyer of that grade backed down on his agreement, and so Gums was not able to get the butter.

WELLINGTON MAN SERIOUSLY HURT

Bert W. Davidson Shot When Rifle is Accidentally Discharged.

Bert W. Davidson, age 50, of Wellington, Ontario, is in the General Hospital suffering from severe gunshot wound in the left shoulder, which he sustained when his rifle discharged while being handled in the war relics exhibit in the Midway at the Exhibition yesterday.

The war relics exhibit is a tent containing dugouts, trenches and relics from France. It is operated by a returned soldier in the name of the Exhibition police, Davidson was standing in front of a table in the tent, on which the guns and other relics were lying, when the man picked up a rifle to examine it. Cecil Cuddihoe, also a returned soldier, took the rifle away from him, placed it on the table, when the jar discharged it. Cuddihoe gives his address as 455 Landowne avenue.

PLEA FOR CANADIANISM AT FARMERS' CONVENTION

"There organization and real co-operation is what all we farmers need today," said C. W. Gurney of the United Farmers of Ontario, yesterday, at the Labor Temple, addressing the convention of rural municipalities. Gurney stated that the farmers were to blame for the present state of affairs. A politician at Ottawa had told him that Canadians could twist the entire community of farmers around their little fingers, because of their entire lack of organization, and manufacturers had boasted that the votes of the farmers could be bought for the same reason. "There is no sense of Canadianism among the farmers of the Dominion," concluded Mr. Gurney, "and while every one in the United States—be he Greek, Bulgarian or Britisher—is an American; the Scotsman in Canada is a Scot, and the Irishman an Irishman. For heaven's sake let us all try to remember that we are Canadians first, last and always."

A Home Recipe For Removing Wrinkles

Who will look the modern woman for trying to look as young and attractive as the "old" woman? Why shyness, who placed at a disadvantage in numerous ways by wearing wrinkles, if she can avoid these hateful marks of advancing age? Few women, however, know what to do to effectively rid themselves of wrinkles or sagging. Most of the advertised preparations are unsatisfactory and expensive. Most of the simple and harmless home remedy, which any woman can make, will work wonders where all the patent preparations fail. Buy an ounce of powdered ascorbic acid. Dissolve the whole ounce in a half-pint of witch hazel and use as a wash lotion. The results are practically instantaneous. Marked improvement is noticed immediately after the very first trial. Wrinkles and sagging are corrected and the face feels so refreshed and smug-like.



THERE is a call reaching Canada NOW. It comes from the bloody fields of France; from the lips of our loved ones "Over There." It is to YOU—to every big-hearted, loyal Canadian in every rank of our great Nation.

The pick of our man-hood, the pride of our hearts, are NOW, this minute, enduring all the anguish of a man-made hell. They are wounded, bleeding, dying that YOU might live. They have fought, suffered, given all, feeling that every heart they left behind would gladly come to their rescue to comfort and relieve the agonies of their illustrious sacrifice.

We are carrying to you, from out the awful abyss of battle, their plea for YOUR support, YOUR encouragement, YOUR assistance. By circulars, by announcements, by personal solicitations during the week of September 15th to 23rd, we are bringing to you their appeal for help which they so badly need. We know that YOUR response will be fully worthy of the loyal hearts for whom our heroes fight.



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LIEUT.-COL. H. H. MOSHIER AMONG THOSE KILLED

Lieut.-Col. H. H. Moshier, eldest son of D. D. Moshier, 11 Selby street, was killed in action in France on Aug. 29. He was recently mentioned in despatches as personally commended by Sir Douglas Haig, because of deeds of valor at the front. Born in Lambton County, he was educated at St. John's College and the University of Toronto. He was a professor in physiology in the University of Alberta prior to enlisting. He was in command of a field ambulance on the western front. Mrs. Moshier is in England engaged in V.A.D. work. Capt. Frank S. Cronk, son of S. C. Cronk, 60 West Front street, who enlisted in 1916 as a lieutenant, and won his captaincy on the field, is reported to have been wounded in action on Aug. 28. He is now in hospital.

Lieut. Lorne G. Campbell, Athelma apartments, Toronto, is reported severely wounded in the right arm and wrist. He went overseas as a signaling officer in the 18th (Canadian Buffs) Battalion. He was born in Toronto and is the only son of Mrs. J. Lorne Campbell.

Company Sergt.-Major Lawrence D. Pridham, grandson of the late Capt. Robt. Pridham of Toronto, has been killed in action. He enlisted in the 16th (Q.O.R.) Battalion in 1916, but served at the front with another unit. Lieut. Gordon G. MacLaren, youngest son of Jas. MacLaren, 33 Wells street, has received a severe gunshot wound in the right leg. He went overseas as a private, and served in the Buffs' Battalion, but reverted to a lieutenant.

Pte. Philip M. Wilson, 177 College street, was killed in action Aug. 10 according to a cable received in Toronto by his wife. Pte. Wilson, who is a brother of Street Commissioner Wilson, went overseas with the 19th Battalion. Before joining the C.E.F. he was chief clerk in the works department.

Pte. H. Cecil Ellis, a well-known Toronto athlete, who had gained note as a marathon runner, and was one of the best football players who have come out from England, was killed in action Aug. 10. His wife and five boys aged three, reside at 7 Boothroyd avenue.

Wm. E. Morrison, son of G. Morrison, Callaghan, Ont., has died in England from meningitis. He graduated from Osgoode Law School last year.

Flight-Lieut. Hugh J. Fox, son of

J. J. Fox, Hampton Court apartments, was wounded on Aug. 29.

Lieut. Clive A. Thompson, formerly of 244 West Bloor street, has been wounded. He was wounded before, in April, 1916. He was a junior member of the law firm of Kingston, Symons and Co. Pte. A. T. Mitchell, who went overseas with the Buffs, has been killed in action. He was a son of W. Mitchell, Kirkland, Ont., and a nephew of Sir Wm. Mackenzie. Lieut. Reginald Campkin, 18th Battalion, Brampton, reported as dangerously wounded, has succumbed to his wounds.

Lieut. Walter Howard Curry was reported by Ottawa yesterday to have been killed in action. He was the son of J. L. Curry of Nassau street. He went overseas with a draft of officers two years ago. Although serving of late with the infantry, he had been a year on duty in the flying service.

Lt. C. A. Rutherford killed. David Rutherford of Owen Sound received word yesterday from Ottawa that his youngest son, Lieut. Cecil A. Rutherford, was killed in action Aug. 27, on the western front. The young officer was in his thirty-second year. He was a native of Owen Sound, where he attended the collegiate institute. Leaving Owen Sound, he came to Toronto, studied the drug business under his brother, C. C. Rutherford, and graduated from the Ontario College of Pharmacy in 1907. He joined the Sportsmen's Battalion as a private, was wounded at Vimy Ridge, and afterwards received his commission on the field.

GUilty FALSE PRETENCES.

Boris Liberman was found guilty in the criminal court yesterday, on the charge of having obtained \$237 from Alex. Orham, a Russian, by false pretences and was sentenced to thirty days in jail. It was stated that accused learned that Orham had a banking account of \$102, and took him to a branch of the Bank of Ottawa and there got him to sign two cheques.

FOUND NOT GUILTY.

Cyril Mottran, 238 Harvie avenue,

REPUBLIC MEN DINED.

An enjoyable dinner party was given last evening at the King Edward Hotel by J. W. Thomas, of the Republic Motor Truck Co., Alma, Mich., to the representatives of the Toronto distributors of Republic trucks. Among the guests were A. M. Thompson and E. R. Alison of the Dominion Automobile Co.; Mr. Gotshall and Mr. Wooster of the Toronto branch of Grace Motors, Ltd.; Mr. Walker, sales manager Grace Motors, New York; A. C. Smith, financial manager Republic Motors; Mr. Sheppard and Mr. Elston, public Company in the United States. After the coffee had been served and the cigars well going, Mr. Thomas said a few words on the policy of the Republic Company in the United States and also on their intentions of carrying out the same policy in Canada as to give owners of Republic trucks complete and quick service. A. C. Smith spoke briefly on the financial standing of the company, and also gave some valuable information to distributors on finance in general. Mr. Walker thanked Mr. Thomas, on behalf of those present, for the pleasant evening, after which the party motored to the Exhibition.

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and Frank Tromans, 288 Harvie avenue, were found not guilty yesterday by Judge Denton on the charge of having broken into the premises of E. J. Luttrell, 8 Greenlaw avenue, and stealing a quantity of clothing and jewelry.

THE CALL

"We have called around the flag with complete fullness of devotion, with loyal hearts and sturdy arms, ready to place all that we have and all that we are at the service of our Country. Will YOU help us carry on the work?"

THAT IS THE CALL FROM THE OVERSEAS WORKERS

All Soldiers Welcome

THE SOLDIERS' AID COMMISSION

has been incorporated by the Province of Ontario for the purpose of assisting to retrain discharged officers and men in civil life.

EMPLOYMENT.

We cordially invite the co-operation of the public in the important work of securing employment for soldiers who have been discharged from military service.

VOCATIONAL TRAINING.

Soldiers who have been so disabled as to prevent them from resuming their former occupations are provided free of cost, and in addition, the support of the commission during the period of retraining and for one month after.

RELIEF FUND.

Donations for the assistance of soldiers' families in temporary distress will be thankfully received and acknowledged, and should be made payable to the order of the Commission.

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