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POLICE CLOSE UP COMFORTS LEAGUE

Amounts Received Will Be Sent Back to Those Who Sent Them.

TAKEN AS PRECAUTION

Chief Believes Object Good One, But Follows Out New Policy.

Christmas gifts will not be sent to the Canadian soldiers at the front thru the agency of the Soldiers' Field Comforts League, following the action of Chief of Police Grasset in closing down that organization. This action was taken by the head of the police department because he thought the men behind the movement were not responsible to undertake a work of such magnitude. The promoters of the scheme were requested to get a sponsor to stand behind the venture to insure its success, and when the men who were managing the affairs of the Field Comforts League were unable to do this, the action of the police followed as a precautionary measure, said Col. Grasset, "we pay more attention to and as long as they have a responsible officer at their head who will stand sponsor for the enterprise, that is all that is necessary as far as this department is concerned."

Pursuing a Policy.

It was in pursuance of this policy that Chief Grasset closed the Field Comforts League. The object was which that organization set forth was to send a Christmas box to the soldiers for each subscription of \$1 which they received, the parcel including a pipe, one-fifth pound smoking tobacco, 20 cigarettes, two handkerchiefs, soap, shoe laces, chocolate and a box of matches.

The announcement of the formation of the league stated that the endorsement of the militia department had been received and that the boxes would be shipped to France free of charge by the militia authorities at Ottawa. Besides the boxes for the soldiers,

there were also to be presents for the nursing sisters in Flanders. Although it was stated that the value of the goods in each box was \$3.00, the sum asked for each one was only \$1.00, and the league claimed that this was made possible by the reduced rates at which the organization did its buying. It was stated that the first subscription received was a cheque for \$25 from H. H. Williams.

A statement was made to the police that Sir John Hendrie had promised to become the honorary president of the organization, but when the lieutenant-governor was asked about the matter, he said he had never given such a promise.

Nothing To Do With It.

N. A. Kupper, who had no connection with the league, said: "An anonymous letter was written to me which implied that I was using the name of Fox to promote the Field Comforts League. This letter stated that if I did not send \$25 in the name of a woman to the general delivery at 6 o'clock the writer would expose me as the promoter of the league. I took this letter to Inspector Kennedy, and he said that he had written it, and asked to have the writer arrested. On this occasion I took with me Mr. Fox, who was the promoter of the league, and he was taken to the police station with me. I had nothing to do with the organization of the league, and employed nobody to work for the league. My name only became connected with the league thru the anonymous letter."

The officers of the International Press Agency gave Kupper an excellent opinion of the money, while connected with that institution for 18 months, and has been out of their employ for the last three months.

Fox was to have received \$40 a week as secretary-treasurer of the league.

Was Not Satisfied.

The legal firm of Wilkie and Duff, Continental Life Building, had agreed to act as treasurer of the fund, but this apparently did not satisfy Col. Grasset, who called upon Fox to secure the endorsement of either Noel Marshall, of the Canadian Post Cross, or K. J. Dunstan, also a Red Cross official.

Falling in this the police stopped Fox's mail and took charge of the books, together with lists showing all the collections which had been made, amounting to some \$32. According to what Fox says, this money is to be returned to the donors.

Chief Grasset said yesterday he believed Fox had acted honestly, but in order to protect the public, it was advisable to have him close his offices.

HOTEL TECK

Telephone for reservations for dinner parties after the races. Ideal surroundings for lady and gentleman dinner. Roman's Orchestra in attendance from 6 to 8 p.m.

JEWES ENTER ON HOLIEST OF DAYS

Sunset last night ushered in the Day of Atonement, the holiest day in the Jewish calendar. Atonement Day is the Sabbath of Sabbaths, and is set apart entirely for fasting, praying, and repentance. The members of the various synagogues in Toronto entered the synagogue at sunset last night, and will remain there until tonight.

The supreme duty of the Jews in the European war, as pointed out by Rabbi J. J. Price in his sermon in the University Avenue Synagogue last night, was the alleviation of suffering Jews in the European war. The Jews have the obligation to extend only to themselves but also to their beloved country, England, he said.

"We must stand up today as men and as Jews, and show by our actions that we are ready to take our place as men." He said the great boon that the Jews are looking for is justice. Justice to the oppressed and to the sufferer of the world at large. The Jews have the longest, saddest history in history, but thru it all they have cherished those fundamentals which are the ideals of democracy and social justice, he concluded.

HAMILTON NEWS

BOY SCOUT EXHIBIT AT HAMILTON FAIR

Various Units Give Great Display of Efficiency Before Big Crowd.

SOME HORSE RACING

Lady Baxter, A. B. Baxter's Entry, Wins First Prize as Pacer.

By a Staff Reporter.

HAMILTON, Saturday, Sept. 18.—A large crowd attended the Hamilton and Westport fair yesterday at the Jockey Club. In the morning and during part of the afternoon the heavy draught horses and stock were judged. In all the classes there were many entries and some fine animals were shown. The light horses and the remainder of the exhibits will be judged today. Great interest was taken in the various produce exhibits, while the manufacturers' annex was thronged all the time.

Boy Scouts' Features.

The Boy Scouts and ring attractions were the features of the afternoon entertainment, and were greatly appreciated by those present. Headed by the 15th Regiment Band the various scout units indulged in the march-past grand stand previous to the contests, shortly after 2 o'clock. Exhibits of drilling, signalling, ambulance and first-aid work and other work of the scouts were given and proved most interesting.

First Troop Wins Prize.

The contest for the best all-round scout troop for the chalice cup donated by Mrs. W. E. Sanford, was won by No. 1, 1st Hamilton troop. The feature of the day was the race for the best scout band, while the 1st Hamilton troop was first in the exhibition of ambulance and first-aid work.

A. B. Baxter's entry, Lady Baxter, won first prize as the best pacer. The single pony outfit contest was carried off by Dr. Hall, while A. C. Ramsay was second and J. McDonald third. The feature of the races was the pacing for the 2 1/2 mile class for which the 1st Hamilton troop carried off the prize for the best scout band, while the 1st Hamilton troop was first in the exhibition of ambulance and first-aid work.

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"Fruit-a-tives" means health. In years to come, people will look back to the discovery of "Fruit-a-tives" and wonder how they ever managed to get along without these wonderful tablets, made from fruit juices.

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" is excellent for Indigestion, Dyspepsia and Sour Stomach. "Fruit-a-tives" is the only certain remedy that will correct chronic Constipation and Liver trouble.

"Fruit-a-tives" is the greatest Kidney Remedy in the world and many people have testified to its value in severe cases of Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago, Pain in the Back, Impure Blood, Headaches, Neuralgia, Pimples, Blisters and other Skin Troubles.

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" has been one of the great successes of the century and the sales are enormous, both in Canada and the United States. For a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers, or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

WOUNDED SOLDIER'S DREAM

The ladies' aid society of Erskine Presbyterian Church. Many people were present and a handsome sum was realized. The proceeds are in aid of hospital supplies and will be forwarded direct to Major Dr. J. E. Davey, who has charge of one of the hospitals in England.

Hotelmen Blamed.

The decision of the local hotelmen to serve no soldier in uniform or any member of the military forces, has caused a great deal of indignation. Many people are of the opinion that the hotelmen are being treated as a class, and that the military officers, while others are in favor of it. The biggest objection comes from some of the private citizens, and it is understood that a petition will be forwarded to the provincial commission asking that board to be abolished.

Battalion to Parade.

Hamilton people will have the opportunity to see a battalion of the most elaborate military demonstrations yet seen in this city, when the Hamilton depot battalion parades this evening thru the main streets, mostly uniformed and headed by three regimental bands. The demonstration is the result of a suggestion made by the Hamilton Recruiting League in order to stimulate recruiting. Following the parade a huge recruiting meeting will be held at Gore Park, when many prominent officials and citizens will speak.

SIR SAM FAILED TO ARRIVE

Word was received at military headquarters here yesterday that Sir Sam Hughes, minister of militia, would visit Hamilton some time during the day. They were disappointed, for he did not appear, but will probably visit Hamilton some time next week for the inspection of the locks wanted for soldiers.

An appeal has been made to the women of Hamilton for one to take part of socks to be delivered not later than next Tuesday night to the members of the 6th Battalion, who are being sent to the front. The socks are to be made of flannel and should be delivered to the headquarters of the 6th Battalion, 100 St. Peter's street, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

DEATH WAS SUDDEN

The death of Mrs. Margaret Shepherd occurred very suddenly last night at her late residence, 87 Metcalfe street. Mrs. Shepherd was a member of St. Peter's Anglican Church. Born in Port Hope, she was of U. E. Loyalist stock and of the old Hageanu family. Mrs. Shepherd is survived by her husband Edward, one daughter and two sons. Interment will take place Monday in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

YORK COUNTY ...AND... SUBURBS

WOULD NOT STOP APPEAL OF BOARD CHILDREN HAD DAY AT THE FALL FAIR

Citizens Refuse to Support Motion to Influence Controllers.

FARNHAM AVE. DEAL HAD FINE PROCESSION

Immediate Solution of Transportation Difficulty is Discussed.

It was a big meeting of the Central Citizens' Association, composed of the businessmen of Deer Park and the "tracks," which last night strongly affirmed its approval of the decision of the mayor and board of control to appeal the recent award of the Ontario Railway Board in the Farnham Avenue deal. Practically every member of the city council from wards two and three, together with others from different parts of the city, were present, and with the single exception of Ald. McBride, all favored the appeal.

The gathering was presided over by President McIntosh, the local association, and a resolution, introduced early in the meeting by T. R. Haig, asking the board of control and council not to oppose the award of the railway board, formed the basis of argument throughout the evening.

Commenting on the resolution, T. R. Haig declared that the existing conditions at the C. P. R. since the Metropolitan tracks had been removed were unbearable, and that the railway board made on Thursday disclosed the fact that 15,000 people passed over the intervening space between Prince street and Farnham Avenue on that date.

Jerry Nelson of Moore Park urged some concerted action on the part of the city and company, and stated that Moore Park had been promised railway service, a promise which had never been kept.

"I am firmly of the opinion that if Mr. J. Fleming were approached by the city council in an agreement, mutually satisfactory could be found for the trouble on upper Yonge street," declared Ald. Ramsden.

"I would concede the Toronto Street Railway nothing, but I would agree to put down the tracks between the present northern terminus and Farnham Avenue, giving immediate relief, and leave the question of legal rights for the supreme court or privy council to decide," said Ald. Maguire.

Ald. Ball strongly favored the action of the mayor and board of control in entering an appeal, but declared that they were reserving of course in withdrawing from the members of council information vital to the whole question. The whole issue was referred to the board of control, and Ald. Ball was fraught with great importance to the city in view of the persistent efforts of the boys and girls. The tug of war and effect connection with the Canadian Railway Company, which has been in the city since the war, and later the resolution submitted earlier was taken on, but the meeting refused to support the motion calling a halt in the appeal.

RURAL SCHOOL FAIR DREW LARGE CROWD

Unionville in Happy Mood and Excellent Displays Are on Exhibition.

Nearly 2000 people attended the second annual Rural School Fair, held on the grounds of the Unionville Public School yesterday. The fair was given under the auspices of the Markham Township branch of the O. A. C. College, with J. C. Steckley of Newmarket in charge.

The display of all kinds of vegetables, field roots and flowers was remarkably fine as were the exhibits of poultry and fruits. An idea of the magnitude of the display may be gathered from the fact that there were in all 1100 entries, nearly 300 more than last year.

There were contests in oratory, generous prizes being given to the boys and girls. The tug of war and other athletic events were all keenly contested. While the accommodation was increased over last year, the display the exhibits. The Stoutville band were on the grounds during the afternoon and gave a fine musical program.

STOMACH OF VROMAN FOR TORONTO ANALYST

Chief of Police Killing of Woodstock Wants Light Shed on Death.

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WESTON FAIR

Friday and Saturday, Sept. 17, 18

FRIDAY—School Children's Day. Marching and singing competition and athletic sports.

SATURDAY—Speeding events: Free for all 125 lbs and 232 pace; live stock and agricultural exhibits.

C. P. R. and G. T. R. trains leave Union Station at 12:45 p.m. Special suburban service from Cor. Keele and Dundas streets. Unlimited jitney service.

Weston Prize Band in attendance.

THOS. GRIFFITH, Pres.
A. G. GOULDING, Sec.

SANITARY WASHED WIPING RAGS AND CHEESE CLOTH. E. PULLAN 20 Maud St. Ad. 760

WILFRED FRIZZELL HAS NOT RETURNED

Has Not Been Home Since Children's Day at Exhibition and Parents Are Anxious.

Wilfred Frizzell, 12, of 61 Delaney crescent, has been missing since Children's Day at the Exhibition. About 9 o'clock that morning he was seen at home and went to the fair. He has not since been seen.

Wilfred's parents are quite worried about the boy's extended stay. They first night the boy was away his father searched the entire city. On several days he visited the fair grounds in an effort to find him. They know the boy to be smart and very familiar with the city, but are entirely at a loss to account for his delay in coming home.

Freddie Harper, 49 Delaney crescent, and some other boys, talked to Wilfred on Labor Day and as far as is known, they were the last to see him. He wore a tweed suit of dark gray, navy blue jersey and navy blue cap. He had on a pair of running shoes pretty well worn. There is a scar on his right arm near the elbow which was caused by a compound fracture. No cause for his disappearance can be given by the parents and he will not be punished if he returns at once.

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FAMOUS PICTURES

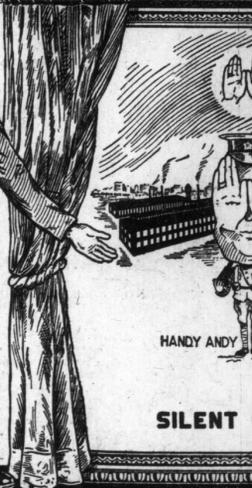
For twenty-seven years the "Two Hands" have been busy supervising the output of all that is top-notch in Rubber-Made goods. The Dunlop Line now includes Belting, Packing, Hose, Mats, Heels, Horse Shoe Pads, Tiling and Tires for Auto, Motorcycle, Bicycle, Carriage, Motor Truck.

Strange as it may seem, while "Handy Andy" is only a silent partner in the Dunlop Company, he attends all the directors' meetings and generally keeps himself in evidence.

The artist has here attempted to show that, while the British Army and Navy guard us all, "Handy Andy" in particular watches over the interests of those who use auto tires and everything else made of rubber.

\$100 in gold for the best stories about this and the other "Famous Pictures." The stories to be written by Canadian-born children, under the guidance of parents, brothers, sisters or relatives own autos, motorcycles or bicycles equipped with one or more Dunlop Traction Tread Tires.

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SILENT PARTNERS

SOLDIERS MAY COME TO T

Big Draft From N Be Scattered Ontario

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Sam Hughes Plan to Save M Quarters

Sam Hughes stated it is possible the soldiers in the drill halls of the province will be quartered in the grounds of the \$100,000 to equip winter and it will be in the summer months. The comfortable for the winter. We will put soldiers in the drill hall, Oshawa, as an example of the fine type in the smaller towns. It would accommodate 1000 men. Col. J. A. W. Hamilton has been reprimanded for giving his soldiers without orders. The police officer was reprimanded for a short while. Sam Hughes left for Berlin where he was at a big recruiting station.

PROMOTER FACE

London A. Bonten, Ontario Coal and Iron Co. has been sought since January. The police court year the theft of \$10,000. The Ontario Coal and Iron Co. of Toronto. It was the mine was salt remanded until the 2

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