FRIDAY MORNING NOVEMBER 2 1917

COMPLAINTS HEARD

AT BURWASH CAMP

Overwork, Long Hours, and

Inferior Clothing Reported

by Prisoners.

OBJECT TO MACHINE



"CHEMICALLY SELF-EX-TINGUISHING" on the box. THE **E. B. EDDY COMPANY** LIMITED HULL. CANADA

LT.-COL: T. C. IRVING, JR., IS REPORTED KILLED

Commanding Officer of First Cana-cian Engineers Gives Up His Life on Western Battle Front.

Lieut.-Col. Thomas C. Irving, jun-D.S.O., commanding officer of the 1st Canadian Engineers, has been killed in action, according to a cablegram December next. Conditions of Contract. Murray, a brother-in-law, now over-

seas at Wittay Camp, England. Col. Irving is a son of T. C. Irving, gen-eral manager of Bradstreet's. He went overseas as a captain with the Canadian Engineers, 1st contingent, and one year later was gazetted a major: He was awarded the D.S.O. for distinguished conduct on the field, for distinguished conduct on the field, and conduct on the field, the time is lessened, and in the event of non-completion within the atorementioned time, the city is en-tit the contractors. The contrac-for distinguished conduct on the field, and the base of the contractors. The contrac-tors are further bound for a guaran-tor distinguished conduct on the field, and the base of the contractors. The contrac-tors are further bound for a guaran-tors are further bound for a guaranseas at Withy Camp, England. Col. explaining the merits of the medi- and then later raised to a lieutenant-

been asked as to why he was not proceeding with this costly work. The contractors, the commissioner stated, contractors, the commissioner stated, "If the contract of Decembe have lost money on their contract, were affected in any way by work until such time as the bridge is handed over as a completed work, with all the terms of the contract fulfilled by both parties, would, he Saftey First Course. fulfilled by both parties, would, he feared, make void the contract, and "Altogether, aside from p considerations, which have leave the city liable to consideration weight, the foregoing hazards con-vinced me that the city should not for interference and exempt the con-

tractors for maintaining the structure years. Harris' statement completed by the contractors and for the next five years. Comm was as follows:

was as follows: "On December. 11. 1914, the city council awarded to Messrs. Quinlan and conditions of the contract. This council awarded to Messrs. Quinlan & Robertson of Montreal, the con-tract for the erection of the Don sec-tion of the Bloor street viaduct, less street railway work and paving, at the sum of \$947,076, the time set for completion being three years from the date of order to commence the work

date of order to commence the work, which expires in the latter part of DESPATCH CAUSE OF MUCH CONSTERNATION

"In the event of completion in a period less than three years, the con-Harbor Commission and City Council Hold That Work on Harbor Must Be Continued.

for distinguished conduct on the field, and then later raised to a lieutenant-colonelcy. He was recently married in England to Miss Jessie Murray, daughter of Angus Murray of Bruns-wick avenue. A year ago he was slightly wounded. Col. Irving was a prominent figure in Toronto's engin-

and is going ahead right away-war

or no war. We had to spend \$750,-

That the city purchase from Wal-

TORONTO BUILDING PERMITS.

isfactory Increase.



Soldiers' Insurance Will Be Discussed at Meeting of Council Monday.

STRENUOUS SESSION

physica

great

Two Aldermen Strong for Payment to All Next of

Kin in City.

A private session of the board of control and city council was held yes-terday afternoon to consider the matter of soldiers' insurance. After the meeting, which lasted from 3 o'clock until 6.30, the mayor stated that no conclusion had been reached and the recommendations of the board of control, to pay only real dependents and not to insure draftees, will come up for discussion at the public meeting

and that the whole of the case was based upon hindsight and not fore-based upon hindsight and hinds been made by him in a sermon de-livered in the Central Methodist Church at Windsor a few days ago. According to the newspaper report. he is alleged to have stated that fish-crmen who secured licenses from the Ontario Government were allewed to Agitation Started. "Several months since an agita-tion arose for the completion of this section of the viaduct during 1917, Hobert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laur-tobert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laur-ter the started with the harbor commission-ers to go ahead, and I am sure Sir Hobert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laur-death claims about \$2,500,000.

of the daily press of Toronto. A thoro investigation into the man-accment of the institution and the treatment accorded prisoners was made by the provincial treasurer, and information of an interesting nature was revealed. The prisoners were given an opportunity of stating their complaints without fear of punish-ment, and numerous gridevances were

the owing to non-pay-be advertised very of taxes in arrears is the 15th day of Novem-ion and adventising OUGLAS, Township Treasurer. r's Office, 40 Jarvis

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A CALL

WNSHIP

OR SALE

OF TAXES



by Them.

session of the Trades at the Labor Temple, upon midnight, the send a letter to the ent requesting the cabb send a letter to the heart requesting the cab-further the grievances he letter-carriers of the also appointed a com-mbers, Messrs. Wilson, Conn and Pauline, to nation of a joint stock view to organizing a erative stores in the 1 listened appreciatively tive of the Consumer by, a concern which the producer, and bount store sells char

in different parts of the property. The two camps visited were found in each case to be well built, fortable and provided with necessary convenien At each of the two larger camps the men were assembled, and their guards dismissed in order that they guards dismissed in order that they might speak freely. The purpose of the visit was explained by Mr. Mc-J'herson, He invited them to tell their grievances and to speak with-out fear of punishment. Complaints of overwork and long hours were nu-merous. Some stated that they had

merous. Some stated that they had been compelled to do heavy work when they were physically unequal to the task, and in one instance a man who had been instructed by the camp physician to remain inside, had been ordered out to work. No criticism of the guards of Camp No. 1 was offer-ed, but charges of brutal treatment were laid against one of the officers in particular of Comp No. 2.

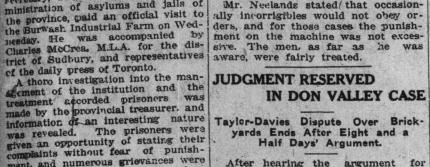
awaiting their turn.

square deal.

ing done by prison labor. Model of Neatness.

If your eyes are tired and over-

Inspection of the footwear revealed the fact that the shoes in several cases were in a bad state of repair. This, in wet weather, resulted in wet feet The complaint was general that they were forced to sleep in wet and dirty underclothing. Their socks were not properly mended, and by in-mercion of several men the truth of ection of several men, the truth of in 1916. There was a marked de- that could be put in force, and which the statements was ascertained. cline in the number of cases of in- would assist in bringing the price of eir statements was ascertained. There were at least two men, they fantile paralysis. The cases were not stated, suffering from an advanced form of venereal disease who were allowed to mingle with the others. Complain of Machine. The use of the "machine" in inflict-doubt, to the more general distribubut the mortality was lower, due, no tion of diphtheretic serum. Of the 17 cases of smallpox 10 were reported from the Town, of Hawkesbury. ing punishment was most bitterly complained of by the men. It proved to be a steel contrivance to which The following is a' summary: crisoners guilty of a grave offence 1917. 1916. vere shackled by the ankles and Diseases. Cases Deaths Cases Deaths Smallpox . . . 17 0 6 0 vrists. In some cases they were al-· 6 73 0 2 owed to remain there for a number Scar. fever . .130 of hours, or received on the body not Diphtheria . .375 20 35 nore than ten blows from a strap 248 wielded by one of the guards. 253 Among other complaints were the following. No notification given to men when their gcod-time allowance Infantile par Tyhpoid fever. 69 5 127 Tuberculosis .160 68 141 14 64 alysis . . . 14 4 31 Cerebro-spinal was deducted as punishment, and they therefore did not know when their term expired; no provision made Meningitäs . 2 0 12 tor the administration of the rites of SUING GRAND TRUNK. man Catholic Church to the men; that at least one man had been Case Brought by Godson Contracting Company Is Proceeding. struck in the face by one of the officials when offering resistance



Taylor-Davies Dispute Over Brick-yards Ends After Eight and a Half Days' Argument.

ment. and numerous grievances were aired, some trivial and others of a After hearing the argument for eight and a half days in the Taylorserious nature. The men commore terious nature. The men control plained of overwork, of long hours, of poor and insufficient food, of clothing in a bad state of repair, and in some cases of bad footwear. Charges of brutality were laid against Davies case, the appellate division vesterday afternoon reserved judgment. Upon the result hinges the ownership of about \$1,000,000 repreme or two of the guards, and several were

one or two of the guards, and several cases of corporal punishment were contained in the records of the insti-tution and reported by the men. Over Three Hundred Men. perty to the late Robert Davies in 1902 was a breach of trust by Davies. who was an inspector of the estate. The party reached Burwash Camp and who had a mortgage on the pro-

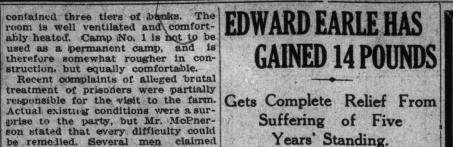
arly Wednesday morning and was net by C. F. Neelands, superintendent of the institution, and a tour of inperty. He took it over at a valuation of \$45,000, and the conveyance was vestigation was nucle. At the pre-sent time 520 men are serving sen-tences on the industrial farm, and Vestigation was nuclear to interview of the set aside by Justice Lennox. I. F. Jielimuth. K.C., and W. N. Tilley re-presented the appellants, and Wallace they are housed in the three camps In closing his argument, Mr. Hell-

muth stated that the Taylor claim had deen allowed to lie for fourteen years and it would be inequitable to let the plaintiffs take advantage of the fact that Davies could not give evidence.

He also reminded the court that the Sun Brick Company had paid \$14,000 for property of the same size and as good, according to Tawlor, in 1909. Sir William Meredith reverted to

the question of want of advertisement of the meeting at which the convey-

PUBLIC HEALTH OF



Years' Standing.

be remeiled. Several men claimed that they were aware of the coming visit on the previous day, and that officials had been unusually energetic in cleaning up. Dr. R. H. Mason is the medical of-ficer of the institution. Before Aug-Provincial Secretary and Party Hear of Punishment Given Men on Farm.

Hon. W. D. McPherson, provincial secretary, who has charge of the ad-ministration of asylums and jails of Mr. Neelands stated/that occasioneight years. "My stomach was all upset." continued. "and so out of order that I couldn't digest anything. I had no desire for food of any kind, and what stomach like lead. I would lie in my stomach like lead. I would bloat up terribly with gas, and had sharp pains in my sides and all arcund my heart. My tongue was always coated, I had

a bad taste in my mouth and would have dizzy spells, when it seemed like a film or skin would form on my eyes, and my vision would fail me. My sleep was poor, I was out of sorts all the time, felt tired and sluggish and had no energy. I really dreaded to eat anything because I knew how I would suffer afterwards.

"This is just the condition I hal been in for five years, and while I tried all kinds of medicines J kept getting gradually worse, until I read about Tanlac and began taking it. It's the only medicine I have found in sented by the Don Valley Brick Yards property. Mrs. Isabella Davies al-leged that the conveyance of the pro-tiously recommend to my friends. My stomach trouble has disappeared entirely, with all the gas, pain and other bad feelings, and I'm feeling well and strong in every way. My appetite is

weak, dizzy feelings and bad taste are gone, and all this good has come from two bottles of Tanlac, for I have just started on my third. Tanlac is my medicine from now on, and I believe anybody suffering like I did will do

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MAYOR CHURCH TO TRY

TO INDICT MILKMEN

fine, and I know I am getting nour-ishment from my food, or I could never have gained so much in weight. I sleep good every night now, all my

well to try it."

count store sells chee d, potatoes at \$1.26 at 46 cents a pour at 47c a dozen to me relucation committee reason why the child aool are allotted c f an hour leisure at d le legal hour and a meatures. statutes, 's recommendation for es and scholarships for the - public and him own out after extended iew prevailing that du ghest degree obtainable i access to all, irrespec-social status. utes. f organizing co-open city caused conside ne city caused consider and gave rise to a reso A. Pauline and passe write Sir John Eaton t that sugar at the Eato 1d only along with othe ted with him or his gro The whole trend of th that if labor is to ga it must elect labor res the provincial and D

the provincial and cussion upon the question plarships Mr. Mance register schooled 5000 students age figure of \$220 a year the students working or ompletely. who addressed the ses J. Durham Shreve er. who urged upon the nefits of house-to-hous a view to the proper re n of the children of the also that the men and y might thereby come

better.

ENADIERS IVEN INSPECTION

Logie Complim Their Appearance in State at Armories.

nand of Major W. 10th Royal Gren aded 510 strong at night for inspecti 1 Logie, accompanied ang. The regiment p appearance and its of any militia by General Logie

officers and men of complimented them ditable showing, it han when he visited ago. He said he viated the efforts of ents in Toronto last st ly in musketry work yal Grenadiers, he had also a good rd.=+ In concluding. steady way the men is stood at attention, ble to stand steady introl.

PICKERS MEET.

irs of Work, Wages using Last Night

hundred of the girls picked fruit on the fa uring the past season by building of the uni-ming to discuss diffe and housing during onnection with

which was conducted slike way, resulted in of nine members, 7 erent districts, to co to bring in be presented to the t a meeting to

lay evening.

Lunishment: long hours of work; in In, the non-jury assize court yes-terday before Justice Middleton, the me cases profanity was used by those in authority in addressing the

men; the bathing arrangement for suit for unstated damages against the Saturday night was unsatisfactory, as Grand Trunk Railway Co., alleging that portions of lands, claimed to be several men had to remain undressed for fifteen minutes or more while theirs situated on the west side of Yonge street and south of the old Mr. McPherson, at the conclusion, told the prisoners that in thus afford- by the defendants and also that fences Belt Line, have been trespassed upon ing them an opportunity of stating

their grievances they must not regard the any way as intended to encour-claim that they got free title of the it in any way as intended to encourthem to resist the proper disland in 1907. The case is proceedpline of the institution. Their reing. entations, he added, would be

carefully considered and proper in- STILL A NIAGARA BOAT SERVICE.

estigation would be made at and every man would receive a fair, Contrary to usual custom, the Canada Steamship Lines are maintaining The farm, which is situated in the a bcat service late into the fall on District of Sudbury, 20 miles south- the trip to Niagara-on-the-Lake, and east of the Town of Sudbury, lies Queenston. Warmly clothed, you will within the Townships of Burwash, not be content with the comfortable ervos and Laura. It contains ap- indoor trip, but will delight in promprosimately 35.000 acres, of which enading the spacious decks. The 806 have been wholly cleared and 3000 air at this season of the year is most which render about 7000 acres unfit health. for cultivation. The work of clean-

The service, too. is quite convenient. Boats leave Yonge street dock every day (except Sunday) at 9 a.m.; ing is advancing rapidly, all work bereturning, leave Queenston at 5 p.m.,

Prisoners are confined here who are Niagara-on-the-Lake at 5.30 p.m. serving sentences varying from three nonths to two years less a day. Camp CASE IS DISMISSED.

No.-2 was crected last winter, and is a model of neatness. The men sleep Justice Middleton has given juigin one large dormitory, in which any ment dismissing the action brought Eyes Tired?

by W. J. Uren, railway superinten-dent, against the Confederation Life Assurance Company and Samuel Harris. The action was to set aside a mortgage sale and also for damages in connection with property

Association says that milk may go even higher than \$2.50, in which case up would go the milk tickets again.

VENISON TO BE PROVIDED.

City Accepts Offer of Government Official for Supply of Meat-

Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, minister of lands, forests and mines, has forwarded a communication to the untrue. board of control in which he offers to provide from 400 to 600 carcasses

Eczema Cured Five Years Ago

Godson Contracting Co. commenced a A Treatment Which Has Proven a Wonderful Healer of the

Skin-Certified Evidence of Lasting Cure.

one arm broken and was otherwise bruised, and claimed that in consequence his efficiency as a laborer has Jordan, Ont., Nov. 1 .- The old notion been reduced by fifty per cent. that eczema is a disease of the blood is refuted time and time again by the GOVERNMENT INVESTIGATING cures that are daily being effected by

Deputation Concerning Venereal Dis-eases Was so Informed Yesterday. Dr. Chase's Ointment. It matters not what the cause may have been, if you apply Dr. Chase's Sir William Hearst received at the

Ointment regularly you will obtain reparliament buildings yesterday a dep-utation of the officers of the W. C. lief and cure of eczema. Here is the proof:

T. U. requesting that venereal dis-eases be placed in the category of Mrs. Stephen G. Thwaites, Box 205 Jordan, Ont., writes: "My brother contagious diseases. The deputation was headed by Mrs. A. Stevens and had a bad case of eczema on his legs He was troubled nearly all one fall and winter with it, and could not work for days at a time. He -tried different salves and ointments, but none formed, however, that the cured him. One day he tried Dr Chase's Ointment, and it gave almost instant relief. He continued its use, but had not quite finished the second

box when he was cured. It is about five years since then, and it has never returned. We certainly can re-commend Dr. Chase's Ointment, and are very grateful for my brother's

(Rev. S. F. Coffman, Vineland, Ont., states: "This is to certify that I know track electric line between Queen Mrs. Thwaites and the party to whom street and the commission's industrial she refers, and her statements are

Mr. J. E. Jones, 228 University avenue, Kingston, Ont., writes: had eczema in my hand for about five years. I tried a great many remedies,

Ontario Government were allowed to

return their catch to the waters in order to keer up the prices. In his letter to Mr. Macdiarmid. he says in part: "The reporter evidently did not hear the address, and gave a fictitious setting to the facts I adduced, which turned it into a fiction. I am sorry "I objected to this procedure for several reasons, chief among which lias kept faith with the government the reckless report of an absentee reporter did injustice to the speaker

are: "(a) That premature entry by the himself, the Essex fishermen and the people generally." The statement that fishermen in city would entitle the contractors to consideration for interference with into the British Forgings and the any way had contributed to the keep-

their work. "(b) If during the guaranteed maintenance period of five years maintenance ordered by me to may with the board of control yesterlay ing up of prices has been investigated by Mr. Macdiarmid, and found to be

of Railway Company. Before Justice Kelly and a jury in the assizes yesterday, the action brought by Samuel Miller against the Brought Deliway Co.; claiming un-"(d) If the contractors failed to "(d) If the contractors failed to brought by Samuel Miller against the "(d) If the contractors falled the stated damages for injuries alleged make good on guaranteed mainten-stated damages for injuries alleged ance, and the surety company were ance, and the surety company were called upon, they would undoubtedly That the city purchase from Wal-claim exemption, by reason of the fact that the city had violated the corner of Clendenan avenue, having he was in was struck by a westbound street car at the corner of King and Frincess streets on January 13, was dismissed. The jury found that the terms of the contract, by premature a frontage of 186 feet, for \$11,000, is

entry. "As you will observe, the foregoing collision was purely accidental, and that no charge of negligence was proved against anyone. Miller had

Might Make New Agreement. "An agreement might be entered into with the contractors, permitting entrance by the city prior to comple-tion, but such procedure would he up

tion, but such procedure would be un-wise and inimical to the best interests of the city. It would constitute a new contract, embracing work covered by the existing contract, and First Ten Months of Year Show Satthe extent to which the secondary

DYSPEPTIC FOR SIX YEARS

Halifax, N.S., Sergeant Tried Every-thing on the Market, But Only Cure Was Dr. Cassell's Tablets.

I had not been long with the C.E.F. when my old trouble returned. Then day granted the application of the To

ronto Harbor Commission for permis-sion to open for traffic a double-

which project would have entailed entrance upon the work, by the city, prior to completion of the contrac-tors' portion. "The city is committed to spend

TO APPROVE OF SALE

Board of Control Recommend Selling of Industrial Sites at Ashbridge's Bay.

000 on the hydro to get a trunk line After considerable discussion at a board of control meeting yesterday, at which the harbor commission was represented by the chairman and general manager, it was decided to ask the city council to approve of setling apart, for sale outright, a section, amounting to 139 acres, of the new industrial site at Ashbridge's Bay, to companies who want to uurchaze rather than lease sites in this district. The sale of such sites, it is proposed, will be left entirely in the hands of the harbor commission.

General Manager Couzens urged that the money so realized should be used for the purpose of carrying on further developments. If this were done the commission would not then have to ask the council for such large amounts for capital expenditure, and a recommendation, of Assessment Commissioner Forman. This is in the city, which guaranteed the bonds would still be protected.

Figance Commissioner Bradshaw, did not approve of this, and thought the money should be set aside for the purpose of redeeming the bonds when they finally matured. It was finally decided to invest the money, if the council approves, in harbor

LITTLE CHILDREN ORGANIZE.

Eight little children have formed Permits issued by the city archi-tect for the first 10 months of this year represent an increase of \$870,-282 over the first 10 months of last themselves into a Red Cross Club. Seven boxes for soldiers have gone into headquarters as a result of their endeavor. Five dollars in, cash was year and are regarded as very satis-factory. The figures for this year are, \$6.375,079, and for last year, \$5,-504,797.

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 a friend told me about Dr. Cassell's Tablets. The first box brought such pronounced relief that I continued, and to make a long story short com-plete cure was effected."
A free sample of Dr. Cassell's Tab-lets will be sent to you on receipt of 5 cents for mailing and packing. Ad-dress: Harold F. Ritchie and Co., Ltda Dr. Cassell's Tablets are the supreme remedy for Dyspepsia. Kidney Trou-bles, Sleeplessness, Anaemia, Nervous ailments, and Nerve paralysis, and for
Court on Saturday.
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After about an hour's deliberation the fury brought in a verdict of guilty in the case of Cecil C. Clemmer, chiropractor, of face a charge of procuring an abortion on an 18-year-old girl. Mabel Heward.
Dr. Cassell's Tablets are the supreme remedy for Dyspepsia. Kidney Trou-bles, Sleeplessness, Anaemia, Nervous ailments, and Nerve paralysis, and for
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Court For the court of the senter of taken to not digestion. Care should be Sentence Will Be Imposed at Sitting of Court on Saturday.

Mar added in a fourth of a glass of the cast window, which has on bathe the eyes from the added window, which has dealers of the cast window which has dealeres at the borne dealers window which has dealers of the cast

district in Ashbridge's Bay. The line will be operated by the Toronto Railway Company. WAR PROFITS' TAX CHEQUE.

the request was presented by Dr. Burt Sherratt, Dr. Jennie Gray and Dr. dress 116 Pleasant street, Halifax, N.S.), writing from Europe, says: "For six years I suffered from fre-quent attacks of Dyspepsia, and though I tried all the remedies on the market I obtained little or no relief" month number 513 and involve 613 erections at an estimated cost of year numbered 436, and involved 518 erections at a value of \$496,148. CIEMMED Formation Formation Formation CIEMMED Formation Formation Formation CIEMMED Formation Formation CIEMMED Formation Formation For Acid Stomachs Ileo Magnetic For Acid Stomachs Margaret Patterson. They were in govern ment was investigating the matter and it was likely that legislation would be introduced at the next ses-OPEN TRAFFIC TO BAY. The Ontario Railway Board yester