

GEARY SATISFIED WITH REDUCTION

Tells City Council to Go Ahead and Do What It Thinks Fair.

PLEA FOR COL. NASMITH

Does Not Want His Acceptance to Affect Others Civic Officials.

The first comment of Corporation Counsel G. H. Geary, relative to his salary reduction from \$9000 to \$1600 per annum, was received yesterday in a letter written to Mayor Church.

The letter reads in part: "Had you written me expressing dissatisfaction with the state of affairs you would not have found me difficult to deal with."

Speaking with reference to the proposed daylight saving plan, which will be taken up this morning at the meeting of the board of control, Mayor Church said yesterday afternoon that the matter was one of great interest and public opinion should be ascertained before any move is made.

At its last meeting the city council registered its approval of the plan.

WANTS PUBLIC OPINION ON DAYLIGHT SCHEME

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WAS INJURED IN SMASH IS SUING FOR DAMAGES

Kate Jenkins, a hat designer, has brought action against E. B. & Percy Lingard, Port Hope liverymen, for \$1000 damages in the county court.

She was driving a motor car when it was struck by a truck belonging to the defendants. The truck was carrying a load of boxes and was moving slowly.

CITY HALL NOTES

Mayor Church yesterday declared himself in favor of another tag day to be held within the next two months.

SAYS HEALTH WAS RUINED

Action was begun yesterday by Geo. R. Reid against the P. W. Ellis Co., claiming \$2500 damages, alleging that his health was ruined while working in the company because they refused to install a proper ventilating system in the factory.

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SEVEN BATTALIONS OF SCHOOL CADETS

Four Thousand Will Participate in Big Empire Day Parade.

MANY NEW FEATURES

School Children Will Celebrate With Concert in the Evening.

Seven battalions of Public School Cadets, a total of about 4000 youths, will participate in the big Empire Day parade, which is staged for this afternoon on University avenue.

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Developed in Cut Received by George Sheardown in Munition Factory.

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REVIEW REHEARSAL AT QUEEN'S PARK

Despite Inclement Weather, Units Turned Out in Full Force.

SIR SAM TAKES SALUTE

Troops Will March Past Minister at Point on University Avenue.

Rain, and then more rain, did not prevent the rehearsal of today's review being held in Queen's Park yesterday afternoon.

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Mr. Sheardown was born in King Township, but had lived in Toronto for a good many years.

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GETS DAMAGES AGAINST COMPUTING SCALE CO.

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DEATH OF LIEUT. T. JONES.

LONDON, May 22.—Following a long illness, Carlton Stubbs of Winnipeg died at Hastings, aged 24. Lieut. T. Jones, attached to the flying corps, killed, was transferred from the Canadian Army Service Corps last December.

MAY LOSE ONE OFF DAY.

Suggestion that members of the police force be allowed one day off every two weeks instead of one day a week to meet the needs of men deserting from the war, is causing much concern among those whom it will affect, if inaugurated.

VICTORIA DAY AT HANLAN'S POINT.

Everything is now ready for the proper celebration of Victoria Day and all summer at Hanlan's Point, admitted to be the most popular outdoor amusement resort in Canada.

For the accommodation of home-seekers and general tourist traffic to western Canada, through the rail, carrying tourist sleepers and colonist cars, will commence Tuesday, May 30th, leaving Toronto 10.40 p.m. each weekday.

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Charged with keeping a common betting house at 39 Colborne street, George McEwen was fined \$100 and costs or 90 days in jail in the police court yesterday.

RENNIE'S TUESDAY SPECIALS

Table listing various garden and seed items with prices, including Belladonna Amaryllis Big Lily Bulbs, Hardy Flower Roots, and various seeds.

RENNIE'S MARKET SEED STORE

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MORE TORONTO MEN RETURN FROM FRONT

Metagama Has Arrived at Quebec With Many Invalided Soldiers.

QUEBEC, May 22.—The Canadian Pacific liner Metagama, which reached Quebec on Saturday, had on board 127 returning officers and men from the Canadian overseas forces.

Second Infantry Brigade, under command of Lieut.-Col. R. E. Levesconte, 1054; 204th Battalion, 891; 208th Battalion, 682.

Fourth Infantry Brigade, under command of Lieut.-Col. W. W. Wallace, C.O.T.C. 58; No. 1 Construction Battalion, 76; 218th Battalion, 49; 234th Battalion, 99; 220th Battalion, 130.

With No. 1 brigade to the west of the staid and No. 4 to the east and No. 2 and 3 to the north, the minister of militia will be welcomed at approximately 11 a.m. today, with the general salute.

After the review the brigades will march around the oval and down University avenue, where General Sir Sam Hughes will take the salute in front of the Military Institute.

SOCIAL SEVEN CLUB CONTRIBUTE

Fifteen dollars has been contributed to the Red Cross by the Social Seven Club of Ward Seven.

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BATTLE IN BALTIC?

Report That Russian and German Warships Are Engaged.

LONDON, May 22.—Reports from Kalmars, in Sweden, on the Baltic, are forwarded from Copenhagen to the Exchange Telegraph Co., state that a violent cannonade was heard last night, and that it is believed a sea battle is in progress between German and Russian warships.



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