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HAMILTON NEWS

BOARDS REQUIRED TO SIT IN PUBLIC

General Mewburn Interprets Act for Benefit of Hamilton Officials.

Hamilton, Nov. 9.—"Tribunals are required to sit in public except under special circumstances, as defined in regulation 22." The above ruling was the contents of a telegram received today from Major-General S. C. Mewburn, minister of militia and defence, as the result of a telegram sent by H. A. Peart, a returned man, asking the minister for a decision on the question, owing to the fact that some of the local tribunal officers had refused to furnish full particulars of the sittings to the press and the public.

Mr. Peart, who is a member of the Great War Veterans' Association, sent the telegram as a citizen and not as a member of the association.

A reporter for The World interviewed several prominent citizens last night on the subject, all of whom thought that the particulars should be given to the public.

Lieut R. A. Robertson, chief recruiting officer, said: "In discussing this matter I am not speaking in my official position, but as a citizen. I feel that I have a right to know who have claimed exemptions, so that by a process of elimination the public may know the man who is not registering.

That the agreement drawn up by members of the parks board and officials of the Canada Steamship Lines will go thru delaying is the prevailing opinion in city hall circles. There is nothing in it around which an argument can be woven.

The Corporation of Hamilton will invest $250,000 in Victory bonds. This was decided upon following a conference at the city hall today. Controller Jutten pointed out that while the sinking fund was drawing about 4 per cent. interest the new investment, besides helping on the great cause, would draw interest of 5 1-2 per cent.

With the throats cut the bodies of nine Hamiltonians were recently discovered on the Lens front. The men had been done to death by the Germans, who had murdered them immediately upon being captured. The information, which was received here today, gave the names as follows: Ptes. Arthur A. Bland, Harold Crowe, Stephen Duckhouse, Richard Fenning, Richard Jones, Harry Jones, William H. Jones, Norman L. Krick and Charles F. Kirby. They were all members of the 129th County of Wentworth Battalion, and it is said that their commanding officer, Capt. Alexander Solomon, suffered the same fate.

CANADIANS IN HOSPITAL

Canadian Associated Press Cable.

London, Nov. 9.—The following Canadians are reported in hospital:

At Boulogne—Lieut. T. J. McInnis, Saskatchewan, skull, serious.

At Manchester—Major E. E. Kenyon, Quebec, hip; Lieuts. J. L. McCullough, Ontario, arm and abdomen; F. L. Moore, Nova Scotia, face; W. Bartholomew, Quebec, thigh, all slight; S. D. Maddock, Saskatchewan, hand.

In London—Lieuts. R. H. Elliott, Saskatchewan, leg; R. M. Johnston, Manitoba, concussion.

At Torquay—W. N. McPhee, Alberta, shoulder.

At Plymouth—J. W. Bennett, Quebec, debility; G. R. Stevens, Ontario, gassed.

Discharged from Birmingham—J. E. Hanning, Canadian Engineers.

LIEUT. B. W. MINARD REPORTED WOUNDED

A cable announces that Lieut. Basil W. Minard has been wounded in the leg and is now in a French hospital. His eldest brother, Lieut. Raymond Minard, was killed at Lens on June 30. They both enlisted as privates and were afterwards given commissions in the 97th Battalion, C.E.F. (American Legion), of which their father, Captain Asa Minard, was paymaster. Lieut. Minard was prominent in athletics at the Parkdale Collegiate and was on the football team.

After reaching England the 97th was broken up and the Minard brothers were transferred to the 38th Battalion, B.E.F., France. Had Raymond lived he would have had the M.C. for his bravery at Lens. Basil was the senior subaltern of the 38th when wounded, and has an established reputation for steadiness and general work. He was 19 years old in August last, and like his brother, was born in Boston, Mass. His mother and two younger brothers live at 2 Wilson avenue.

GIRL LEAVES REFUGE

Says She Has Been at Institution Several Years.

On a charge of escaping from the industrial refuge on Belmont street, Mary Mundier was taken into custody last night and will appear in the women's court today. It is understood that the morality department will ask that stories that have reached the department regarding the length of time that girls are detained at the refuge be investigated. A similar case is at present awaiting disposal in the police court.

When questioned the girl stated that because of a violent temper she was sent to the industrial school at 15. At 18 she was transferred to the refuge, altho she asked to be allowed to secure employment. Having spent four years in the home she determined to leave, and secured employment on Asquith avenue.

HEARTS OF OAK DANCE.

A hundred and fifty couples attended the dance held last evening by the Hearts of Oak Benefit Society at S. O. E. Hall Berti street. F. C. Babbage was master of ceremonies and W. W. Clarke and W. Gow were the judges in the prize contest, won by Mrs. Pavelin and W. Drinkwater. The success of the occasion was largely due to the work of F. C. Babbage and Secretary A. Knight.

CONSUMERS' ASSOCIATION.

The Consumers' Association, a company recently organized at Earlscourt with a view to the reduction of cost on produce, received a report from W. H. Berringer, who had addressed a number of meetings. Twelve labor locals have promised to send delegates to investigate the possibilities of the association, and it is hoped that 10,000 members may be enrolled in the association within the next few months. A mass meeting is scheduled to be held in about two weeks.

CHARGED WITH BIGAMY.

On a charge of bigamy, Anna Praxler, alias Montgomery, a domestic at the Arlington Hotel, was taken into custody yesterday evening by P. C. Kerr. She is alleged to have married a man named Praxler in Kingston. From there she came to Toronto, where she went thru the ceremony of marriage with a man named Montgomery. She was allowed out on bail.

The Hambourg Concerts.

The first concert of the seventh annual series takes place at the Foresters' Hall on Tuesday evening, Nov. 20th, at 8.15. The series is under the patronage of Their Excellencies the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, and all the proceeds above actual expenses are being donated to the Red Cross Society. Mr. Boris Hambourg and his associate artists, Austin Conradi, pianist, and Georges Vigneti, violinist, are giving their services free. The program on Nov. 20 will include a 'cello suite with piano accompaniment, composed by Valentini, an Italian, who flourished in the early 18th century. The work is in five movements and is full of old-world charm. Evelyn Chelew-Kemp will be the accompanist.

MOTOR STRIKES BUGGY.

While turning north into Homewood avenue, a motor car, driven by S. W. Dean, 99 Homewood avenue, collided with a buggy which was coming down the street, severely injuring Samuel Robertson, 263 Parliament street. Robertson was rushed to St. Michael's Hospital by Dean, in his car.

WAR SUMMARY

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

ABOUT the only thing certain about the Russian situation is that there is going to be a fight between the rival factions for the control of the state. A split has already developed in the ranks of the revolutionaries. This has taken the form of a secession of the peasants' delegates to the workmen's and soldiers' committee, supported by the Minimalists and the Petrograd Municipal Council. These have decided against recognizing the authority of the Bolsheviki, and they will issue an appeal to the nation against the recent coup d'etat. Kerensky also has already begun the movement of troops towards the capital. Korniloff has escaped from his guards, and he will probably rouse the Cossacks to sustain law and order. The soldiers' committee of the eleventh Russian army has accepted the program of the extremists. This was the army that mutinied and forced the retirement in Galicia. It had been shifted to the northern front to get it out of the way as a nuisance. The Bolsheviki have secured control of Moscow by the aid of the revolting garrison.

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The coming of winter on the eastern front is clogging military operations, affording an interlude for the war between contending factions. This present so-called government at Petrograd, being composed of pro-Germans and Anglophobes, as well as Francophobes, will not receive recognition from the allies, and in the present unsettled condition of Russia the Germans cannot risk leaving that front unguarded. They have now reduced their troops to the minimum of 147 divisions, or in the present depleted condition of a German division, under 900,000 infantry and about that number of other arms. Even if the present clique prevails, it will only be momentarily, for these doctrinaires rapidly split in factions. The real revolution in fact seems about to begin in Russia. Nobody can foresee the outcome.

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No Russian official communication has come from Petrograd since the coup d'taf. This fact seems to show that general headquarters are cut off by telegraph from the revolt-torn capital. It also seems to show that general headquarters are not in accord with the Lenine uprising. The dearth of news from Petrograd also tends to prove that proceedings are not going so much in favor of the Maximalists as they would like, for they would be only too glad to increase their prestige at home and abroad by the spreading about of favorable reports. The United States is going to continue the forwarding of supplies, as contracted for by Russia. It is not improbable that Japanese troops are now at Russian headquarters, and they will actively support Kerensky.

In Palestine the Turks are in full retreat on the front from the Arabian Desert to the Mediterranean Sea. The British horse is giving them close and effective pursuit. The enemy is finding his retreat intercepted at places by the British mounted rifles. The enemy has lost a point of some strategic importance in the railhead at Beit Hanun. This has passed undamaged into the British possession. It will in due course be linked up with the British railway from the Suez Canal. Forty Turkish guns have already fallen into British hands. The enemy is also abandoning much booty. British and French warships are shelling his coastal communications, increasing the panic among his forces.

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In Mesopotamia, General Maude is clearing up the battlefield at Tekrit, finding a great deal of abandoned Turkish war material. The small number of prisoners (319) captured by the British testifies to the fugitive character of the Turkish resistance. The Turks are running away like rabbits. The rapid prosecution of the British advance may soon bring them in contact with the Russians. That contact may be valuable, indeed, in view of future contingencies.

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The Germans took advantage of the confusion in Russia by promptly seizing the Aland Islands in the Gulf of Bothnia. This is a direct menace to Sweden. That country has always been nervous about the military occupation of those islands. The German action may be only a prelude to the invasion of Finland. The Finnish people have had the way prepared for German occupation by the incessant propaganda of German agents. This German conduct accords ill with the Lenine program of no-annexations and no indemnities.

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The allies have created a permanent military committee to preside over their western operations. It is composed of General H. H. Wilson, General Foch and Count Cadorna. The count has a great reputation as a strategist, Fox as a tactician and Wilson as a brilliant military man. General Diaz becomes chief in command of the Italian armies. The Italian retirement is proceeding without mishap. The troops are getting into line for future attack. Their rearguards continue to delay the Austrian advance until the full reinforcements of the allies reach the field.

MEN ARE RUSHING NOW TO REGISTER

Last Days Bring Total Over Fifty Thousand for District.

ARRESTS ON MONDAY

Those Who Have Not Heeded Warning Will Be Accosted.

Registrations under the Military Service Act had climbed to a total of 52,369 up to last night. The ratio of exemption claims to reports for service has been maintained at eleven to one, 47,946 exemptions being filed and 4,423 service reports. There was a great rush at the East Adelaide street registration office. The accommodation proved inadequate and the opening of another office, just to the west, was found necessary. Yesterday 150 Serbians signed exemption forms at the Adelaide street office. D. Paviovitch, an interpreter, declared the Serbians were not asking exemption from all military service, but are ready to join the Serbian army and will enlist in the new Serbian battalion.

Those subject to the present draft call who have neither reported for service nor claimed exemption have only today left in which to register. Those who do not register will be subject to arrest.

"Beginning on Monday the police and the military authorities must get after these men," states Judge Winchester. "They will have to go after them in the poolrooms, in the theatres, on the streets—everywhere that men congregate."

Major Alex Sinclair, Toronto military provost marshal, said he was awaiting definite orders from Ottawa before apprehending military service defaulters. The Military Service Act has provisions, however, authorizing district provost marshals to instruct the military police to accost all men on the street appearing to come within the draft call and question them concerning their obedience to the act. The delinquents may be detained or brought before a peace officer.

Soldiers Coming Sunday.

The first half of the contingent of 400 returned soldiers who have been at Quebec for ten days will, it is announced, reach Toronto tomorrow morning. The party arriving tomorrow will total 203 men (those in the list already published, with names beginning with "A" to those beginning with "L," inclusive). The war veterans are due to reach North Toronto Station at 7.30 sharp on Sunday morning. The second half of the contingent is expected early next week. A telegram received from the Ottawa Militia Department states that "all militia officers coming within Class 1, Military Service Act, will: 1. Report for service or claim exemption, as required by the act. 2. Endorse on said report or claim the unit of the active militia to which they belong, together with qualifications as officers. 3. Advise the A. A. G., Military District No. 2, that they have reported or claimed exemption, as the case may be."

Lieut. William Miller, 46th Regiment, formerly 75th Battalion, C.E.F., has received the appointment as deputy assistant provost marshal of the Military Police of Toronto District, with rank of lieutenant in the C.E.F.

Seventy-one men were attested for active military service by the Toronto Mobilization Centre yesterday, 41 joining the Royal Flying Corps and 30 the C. E. F.

WORK IS HELD UP.

Finance Commissioner Advises Against Its Being Gone on With.

While members of the works committee visited the hill at Silly crescent and were unanimous that the work should be completed, the finance commissioner had the deciding say. At the meeting of the committee yesterday afternoon Mr. Bradshaw stated that for financial reasons it would be impossible to proceed with this hill and the extension of Crawford street.

Ald. Ball moved that the matter be referred to next year's works committee, with a request that it be taken up with the estimates. Carried.

FAREWELL BANQUET.

Detachment of Corps of Guides Hold Military Euchre.

No. 2 Detachment, Corps of Guides, held an enjoyable banquet last evening as a farewell to their O. C., Lt. C. S. McKee, who leaves shortly for an overseas appointment. The entertainment took the form of a military euchre with appropriate prizes. Speeches and a special musical program filled out the evening.

WILL COMBINE OFFICES.

Local No. 46 of the United Association of Plumbers and Steamfitters held a business meeting last evening at the Labor Temple, which concluded with a social hour. The chief business of the meeting was the decision to combine the two offices of financial secretary and business agent in one person. The proposed change is to take place after the election of officers, which will be held in a few weeks.

CO-OPERATIVE LABOR STORES.

The special committee of the District Trades and Labor Council which met last evening to discuss the question of co-operation, decided to place measures before the next meeting of the council, Thursday, November 15, which they hope will insure the beginning of a system of co-operative stores thruout Toronto and Ontario.

WANT PENSIONS EARLIER.

Local union No. 2639 of the International Union of Carpenters, at their meeting held last evening at the Labor Temple, passed a resolution requesting the government to commence payment to widows of soldiers killed at the front immediately on registration of the husband's death, and pending arrangements for a duly certified pension.

CONSERVING FUEL.

Works Commissioner Harris stated yesterday that he believed that stoves were now being installed in the cars. He stated that there was no special time for putting these in. "This is a time for the conservation of fuel," said the honorary fuel controller. "We will put stoves in the civic cars when they are needed."

CHILD BREAKS LEG.

When he fell from a pile of bricks on which he was playing yesterday evening, Heimie Zoddie, aged 10, of 264 Spadina avenue, broke a leg. He was removed to the Hospital for Sick Children.

YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

CHARLES CLUBINE IS BEST PLOWMAN

King and Vaughan Township Match Yesterday Was Great Success.

THOUSANDS PRESENT

Twenty-Three Contestants in Event on Sir Henry Pellatt's Farm.

The King and Vaughan Township Plowmen's Association, held on Sir Henry Pellatt's farm at Eversley, in King Township, yesterday was in many respects a most gratifying success. The number of contestants, due to the busy season, was not so large as on many former occasions. In all there were 23 plowmen, excellent work being done by all, while the soil was in splendid shape for the work.

General regret was expressed at the absence of Sir Henry, who, altho at home on his estate, was too ill to leave his house, being under the care of a physician.

Between 1500 and 2000 people were on the grounds during the afternoon, and among those present were: J. A. M. Armstrong, W. L. Mackenzie King, J. Lockie Wilson, James Wells, Reeve Wells of King Township, ex-Reeve Alex. McMurchy, William Doherty, Archie McCallum, and scores of others equally prominent.

A feature of the match was the presence of James Wells, 88 years of age, a native of King Township, and who 71 years ago plowed in a match on what is now Sir Henry's farm, with a wooden plow, iron mouldboard, taking second prize.

The Winners.

The winners of yesterday's match in the order named were as follows:

Class 1, in sod—Charles Clubine, Woodbridge, 1; Stanley Tyndall, Vaughan, 2; Clarke Young, Hagerman's Corners, 3; William Orr, Vaughan, 4.

Class 2, in sod—Gunn Tran, Whitevale, 1; E. Orr, Maple, 2; J. Lee, Orillia, 3; J. Richards, Vaughan, 4. Best crown, E. Orr; best finish, Orr.

Class 3, in sod (under 18 years of age)—A. Walkington, King Township.

Class 4, in sod (junior plow)—W. J. Brown, King Township, 1; W. A. Orr, King, 2; E. Shropshire, King, 3. Best crown and finish, Brown.

Class 5, in stubble—R. Watson, Pine Grove, 1; Earle Lloyd, King, 2; John Ley, Orillia, 3; Best crown and finish, Watson.

Class 7, in stubble—G. Weldrick, Maple, 1; C. Ley, Orillia, 2. Best finish, Lee; best crown, Weldrick.

Class 8, in stubble—W. Reid, Vaughan. Best going team—C. Clubine, 1; S. Tyndall, 2.

Best groomed team and equipment—E. Shropshire.

Officials of Match.

The judges for the day were: John Morgan, Niagara-on-the-Lake; W. Haustrauser, John Campbell, Neil Malloy, W. Paterson, J. Cousins.

The board of directors is composed of C. E. Walkington, T. H. Legge, M. O. McDonald, J. M. McCallum, B. Weldrick, George Lawson, James McLean, A. B. Wells, Alex. Cameron, Henry Coffey, Andrew McNeil, W. J. Wells, W. T. Clubine and Henry Legge.

H. E. Ross is president; Stanley Tyndall, first vice-president; T. McMurchy, second vice-president; Archie McCallum, treasurer; honorary directors, A. McNeil, J. M. Walton and A. J. H. Eckardt.

A splendid luncheon was served the plowmen and visitors by the local Red Cross Society, at which a large sum was realized, and following the presentation of prizes, short addresses were given by J. Lockie Wilson, W. L. Mackenzie King and others. Mr. King made a strong plea for the success of the Victory Loan, but stated that he had no particular confidence in the union government as at present constituted.

YORK RED CROSS.

Annual Meeting Township Organization Shows Good Work for Year.

At the annual meeting of York Township Red Cross, the following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. C. J. Catto; first vice-president, Mrs. Sleigh; second vice-president, Mrs. O. Bales; treasurer, Miss B. Bathgate; secretary, Miss Gibson; supply committee, Miss Bathgate, Mrs. Stone.

The year's receipts had been $1090.90, and disbursements $884.53. There were 31 members, and in the year they had sent overseas 610 pairs of socks, 204 shirts, 12 pyjamas, 50 personal property bags, 36 field comfort bags, 54 trench shirts and a quantity of bandages. The York One Hundred Club had 220 members and receipts of $920.

DANCES START TONIGHT.

The weekly dances in connection with the Earlscourt Branch, Great War Veterans' Association, will commence this evening and will be continued during the winter months, for the benefit of the club.

LEAVING FOR NEW YORK.

Rev. Peter Bryce, pastor of Central Methodist Church, Ascot avenue, Earlscourt, who has been staying at Clifton Springs, in company with Rev. Archer Wallace, during the past week, has left for New York City, where he will stay during next week and study the social survey work in that city.

UNDERGOING OPERATION.

Mrs. F. Ball, 68 Auburn avenue, Earlscourt, has received information from friends in England that her husband, Pte. Frank W. Ball, C.E.F., is about to undergo a critical operation for wounds received in France.

GETTING COAL SUPPLY.

Earlscourt Dealer Is Supplying Five Tons to Residents Daily.

Referring to the coal situation in the Earlscourt section, Rev. E. Crossley Hunter, Central Methodist Church, Ascot avenue, said yesterday that the coal supply promised by a local coal merchant for residents of the district some time ago, namely, five tons daily, has been regularly delivered to date.

President George R. Ellis of the citizens' committee of Earlscourt, and other members of the organization, have spared no effort to see that all applicants for fuel in the district, who have applied to the committee, are supplied by local dealers as quickly as possible.

"There is really no need to worry about a sufficient supply of coal for the winter months, in my opinion," said Treasurer T. S. Smithbone of the citizens' committee. "I have full confidence in Fuel Controller Magrath, and the greatest admiration for his executive ability," he said.

WESTON FLOWER LOVERS.

Horticultural Society Holds Annual Meeting in Red Cross Rooms.

At the annual meeting of Weston Horticultural Society, which took place in the Red Cross rooms, the following officers were elected: John Dickin, honorary president; T. L. Moffatt, president; Mrs. G. M. Lyons, first vice-president; H. A. Coon, second vice-president; Mrs. V. H. Hollinsworth, third vice-president; J. M. Pearen, secretary; D. MacDonald, treasurer; T. D. Dockray, district representative; Thos. Harrison, A. M. Oldham, auditors.

A board of directors was also elected, which consists of: Mrs. W. Wilby, Mrs. G. W. Verral, Mrs. G. W. Coulter, Miss E. Savage, Mrs. G. G. Adams, Mrs. W. Longstaff, Mrs. A. Kaake, H. Jennings, A. M. Odham, J. Nason, T. J. Reaston, J. J. Dalton, G. W. Verrall, W. J. Davidge, A. G. Goulding, V. H. Hollinsworth and Rev. W. MacKay. The annual report of the society shows that it is a flourishing organization.

WESTON TRIBUNALS.

Only Three Men Granted Permanent Exemption in Two Days.

Out of 16 applications for exemption presented before the Weston tribunal within the last two days, only three were granted permanent exemption. The majority of those applying for exemption in this district are farmers' sons. The members of the exemption board are endeavoring to leave one son out of a farmer's family at home. Those gaining exemption are W. Lock, Dr. Bond, D. Smith. Those exempt until their respective class is called: R. Mously, T. Wardell, W. Taylor. To be examined: W. Lawn, J. Bogg, and G McNichol. Refused exemption: J. Devins, R. Wardell, A. Gracey, J. Snider, H. Phillips, N. Calhoun and N. Davis.

RATEPAYERS MEET.

Ward Seven Association Makes Plans for Winter's Program.

At a meeting of the executive of Ward Seven Ratepayers' Association, held in the Annette Street School last night, nothing of real public interest was discussed, the meeting being simply to prepare work for the winter months. It was decided to hold an open meeting on Nov. 2 and to ask Controller Cameron and O'Neil to address the citizens on the question of the purchase of the Toronto Street Railway. The association will also hold a debate on the same subject at a future meeting.

A complaint was lodged by C. Woodburn regarding the disreputable condition of the sidewalk on Weston road, near the G.T.R. station.

McCORMACK LODGE OFFICERS.

At the annual election of officers of McCormack Lodge, No. 2142, L.O.L., held in Colvin Hall, the following officers were elected: J. E. Bigley, worshipful master; P. J. Dunn, deputy master; N. Nearguard, P. J. Dunn, W. H. Sergent, recording secretary; Geo. Jackson, financial secretary; R. Anderson, treasurer; D. MacDonald, director of ceremonies; G. McCormack, F. Thomas, lecturers; F. Steep, E. Harman, W. Crudick, P. Tomskin, F. McClure, committeemen; Ivan Andrews, W. J. Conron, auditors. The ceremony was directed by District Master I. C. Woolner, assisted by district officers J. Bearnish, F. H. Robson, J. M. Davis. Others present were: E. J. Ritter of Runnymede Lodge, and R. Partridge of Alexander Muir Lodge.

Keeping the Quality Up

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE, the World-Famous Cure for Colds and Grippe, is now 30c per box. On account of the advance in the price of the six different Medicinal, Concentrated Extracts and Chemicals contained in LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE, it was necessary to increase the price to the Druggist. It has stood the test for a Quarter of a Century. It is used by every Civilized Nation.

LABOR PARTY CONTESTS TWO HAMILTON SEATS

Follows Laurier's Policy on Conscription—Names Candidates and Calls for Abolition of Senate.

Hamilton, Saturday, Nov. 10.—The independent Labor party wants none of union government. At a stormy three-hour session behind locked doors last night members to the number of about two hundred selected Ald. Geo. Halcrow and Walter Rollo as Labor candidates in the east and west ridings, respectively. Other names were mentioned, but voted down. In a general resolution, which was unanimously endorsed, a referendum on the question of conscription of manpower was demanded. It was also contended that conscription of wealth should be on a basis of ownership. Members declared that twenty per cent. of the Dominion's population owned 80 per cent. of the Dominion's wealth, while 80 per cent. of the population was doing the fighting in France for the affluent 20 per cent. The meeting instructed its candidates to stand for a proportionate splitting of financial obligations. The abolition of the senate was also endorsed by the convention.

SENATORSHP OFFERED COL. COLES TO WITHDRAW

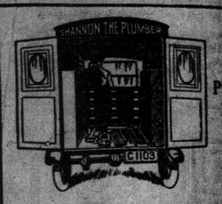
London, Ont., Nov. 9.—What was characterized by Lieut.-Col. Coles, the Great War Veterans' candidate, as one of the most barefaced pieces of dirty political work yet thrust upon returned soldiers by the Conservative machine was the suggestion offered tonight at a meeting of the war veterans by Allan Towe, president of the Hermitage Club, that the late Senator Coffey's position had not been yet filled and he would be a good man for the position.

"We have smashed one machine and here's another," said Sergt. Rawlings, a leader among the returned men. "You can go back to the people that sent you and tell them we are going to fight them," he said amid cheers.

Lieut.-Col. W. G. Coles was nominated as the soldiers' candidate. The soldiers rose as one man and cheered him as the man who had put the Conservative "tank" out of action.

ACCLAMATION LIKELY FOR HON. H. GUTHRIE

Arthur, Nov. 9.—Interest in the political situation in North Wellington is daily becoming more intense, and despite the fact that the Liberal convention held here on Tuesday last endorsed the candidature of R. M. Haselgrove, the desire for an avoidance of a contest at the polls on December 17 is steadily becoming stronger in both political parties. In South Wellington both political parties will give support to Hon. Hugh Guthrie, assuring his election by acclamation, and it is strongly felt that W. A. Clarke, who represented the riding for the past six years, should be accorded the same treatment in the northern half of the county.



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CANADIAN CASUALTIES

INFANTRY.

Killed in action—Lieut. L. Gauvreau, Quebec; Lieut. C. M. Reid, Pakenham, Ont.; Lieut. F. G. Stone, Laird, Sask.; Lieut. A. Rusconia, Edmonton; Lieut. E. R. Brunton, Newmarket, Ont.; Lieut. R. J. G. Dew, Indian Head; Lieut. H. P. Collins, Saltcoats, Sask.; Lieut. A. Reid, St. John, N. B.; Capt. (acting major) T. M. Papineau, London, England; Lieut. J. E. Almon, Edmonton.

Died of wounds—Lieut. R. McIntyre, Montreal; Lieut. E. J. Vanpotten, Cinnrose, Alta.; G. Carter, La Valee, Ont.; O. H. Ditch, Minnedosa, Man.; J. Howe, Winnipeg; G. S. Lynn, San Francisco; W. Taylor, Winnipeg; A. C. Jones, Winnipeg; Lieut. H. A. Garr, Ottawa; Capt. E. E. Sullivan, England; Lieut. J. R. Geddes, Fort Elgin, Ont.

Missing, believed killed—Lieut. H. McKenzie, Montreal; Lieut. A. E. Boswick, Edmonton; Capt. R. L. Haggard, Ottawa; Lieut. M. W. Williams, Burlington; Capt. R. J. Banks, Winnipeg.

Wounded—Lieut. G. Hiam, 347 Walmer road, Toronto; H. M. Morris, Carleton Place, Ont.; Lieut. A. R. Robertson, Brandon; Lieut. R. Bernhard Mousdale, Hamilton; Lieut. W. Dunkley, Picton; Lieut. R. D. Millard, 20 Butternut avenue, Toronto; Lieut. G. L. Murray, Nelson; Lieut. C. H. Spragge, Winnipeg; Lieut. C. M. Pines, Virden; Lieut. A. J. Rome, Levis, Que.; Lieut. E. G. Fleming, Cayuga, Ont.; S. Kuryn, MacLeod, Alta.; Lieut. S. G. Thomson, Dobbinton, Ont.; Lieut. W. J. Johnston, Victoria; Lieut. J. R. Smith, Stewiacke, N. S.; Lieut. A. Fraser, Springhill, N. S.; Lieut. V. M. MacLean, Montreal; Lieut. W. Biggar, Montreal; C. Dempster, Winnipeg; C. W. Lock, Jumping Pound, Alta.; P. G. W. Hamilton, Stettler, Alta.; Lieut. J. B. Dobbin, Montreal; Capt. J. W. Tipton, Edmonton; Capt. I. G. Mitchell, Portland, Oregon; Lieut. S. W. Thurber, Freeport, N. S.; Lieut. D. E. Webster, Niagara; Capt. C. L. Wood, Halifax; Lieut. W. Chown, Vancouver; Lieut. G. C. Brown, Oak Ridges, Ont.; Lieut. J. McKay, Ottawa; Lieut. C. E. Dobbin, Montreal; Lieut. G. W. Banks, South Farmington, N. S.; Lieut. G. H. Fletcher, Allandale, Ont.; Lieut. E. A. McFee, Montreal; Capt. J. W. Tipton, Edmonton; Lieut. E. A. McMurdie, Kenora; Capt. F. Lindsay, Peterboro; Lieut. J. E. Pike, Bridgetown, N. S.; Lieut. J. McKay, Ottawa; Lieut. A. J. Robins, Levis, Que.; Lieut. C. F. Heintzman, 96 Evelyn Crescent, Toronto; Lieut. W. C. Wetmore, Halifax; Lieut. C. J. Dryden, Montreal; Lieut. J. M. Inglis, Vancouver; Lieut. J. Meiklejohn, Winnipeg; Lieut. C. W. Nash, Winnipeg; Lieut. C. Lang, Winnipeg; B. Marahite, Coleman, Alta.; Lieut. T. B. Shannon, Campbellford, Ont.; E. B. Bastensby, Bearberry, Alta.; Lieut. D. H. MacArtney, Ottawa; C. L. Maenen, Ottawa.

Gassed—Major G. R. Bouchard, Montreal; Lieut. F. Foster, Dorchester, N. B.; Lieut. E. E. Napier, McCallum, Frenchman's Bay; Capt. E. S. Kappel, Revelstoke, B. C.; B. Moon, Calgary.

Wounded and gassed—Lieut. H. Donald, Valcartier.

Ill—J. E. Sager, Griswold, Man.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

Killed in action—H. J. Hughes, Vernon.

Capt. D. U. Cameron, Winnipeg.

Died of wounds—R. Nelson, Peterboro.

Wounded—W. J. McCann, Quebec; Smith, Cookshire, Que.; A. E. Cullen, Upland Pond, Vt.; Lieut. J. A. Jones, England; Lieut. J. K. Petter, Victoria; Lieut. W. Lake, Asquith, Sask.; Lieut. L. H. Millar, Drummondville, Que.; Lieut. G. A. Cook, Vegreville, Alta.

MEDICAL SERVICES.

Killed in action—Capt. R. A. Ireland, Trenton, Ont.

Gassed—Capt. K. H. Peake, Winnipeg; Major W. Bapty, Victoria.

ENGINEERS.

Wounded—Lieut. A. L. Cumming, Cornwall, Ont.

ARTILLERY.

Killed in action—Lieut. T. Brotherton, Montreal.

Wounded—Major W. B. McTaggart, Clinton, Ont.; Lieut. H. L. Robinson, Victoria; Lieut. F. C. Young, Edmonton.

Gassed—Capt. R. Sanderson Billman, Halifax.

SERVICES.

Killed in action—E. Tomlinson, Edmonton; R. Wingate, Montreal.

Missing—Lieut. W. Crowther, Welland, Ont.

Wounded—T. Takayanagi, Calgary; Lieut. J. A. Stephen, Ottawa; S. Hopgood, Vancouver.

Gassed—Capt.-Chaplain G. C. D'Easum, New Westminster.

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