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Father and Mother of Default-

ers To Face Serious

ARTILLERY STOPPED

SPARTAGAN RIOTS

Demolish Strongholds of

Radicals.

TRAFFIC IS RESUMED

Campaign of Terrorists May

Be Transferred to Other

Sections.

London, March 11.-German Govern-

ent troops in Berlin made furthe gress during Saturday and Sunday

nolishing Spartacan strongholds

e northern and eastern sections o e city, according to a German wire-

l unnecessary losses the troops used ery and mine throwers, being thus to force the insurgents back with-exposing themselves. Nevertheless

GOVT. CONTROL

OVER SALE OF FRESH

Bill That Failed Last Session

Likely To Succeed This

MEATS IS EXPECTED

PRICE TWO CENTS.

THE LONDON ADVERTISER, LONDON, ONTARIO, TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 11, 1919. 100,000 VOLUNTEERS TO BE GERMANY'S ARMY

TOTAL DISABILITY PENSIONS TO BE INCREASED, SAYS G. W. V. A. SECRETARY

SOLDIER PATIENTS AT BYRON DEMAND THAT ADMIRAL BEATTY ENJOYING WELL-EARNED VACATION CONTROL OF INSTITUTION BE TAKEN FROM SIR ADAM BECK AND GIVEN TO S. C. R.

Send Petition to Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establish- | MEN KILLED DURING ment at Ottawa, Alleging Sir Adam's Interference and Lack of Organizing Ability Have Made Life There Unbearable.

FOOD OF POOR QUALITY AND "SICKENING" IN MONOTONY IS THE ASSERTION MADE Simple Ceremonies for Three,

Petitioners Declare If Immediate Remedy Is Not Found the Excellent Staff Is Likely To Resign in Body, as Matron Did, Remaining Only On Request of the Patients.

Sir Adam Beek has roused a hornets' nest at the Military Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Byron, and his removal as head of the institution is being demanded. According to the soldier patients in the institution, he has, as head of the London Health Association, tried to act the part of a dictator, "butting in" on the management of the sanatorium and causing a condition which has at last become unbearable, and which the men have sought to change by an appeal to the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment at Otsoldiers' civil re-establishment at Otsawa. Through Dr. H. B. Alexander, the assistant medical director for the London sessistant medical director for the London sessistant medical director for the London is being from tuberculosis, from tuberculosis, to a healthy man with a good appetite. To patients suffering from tuberculosis, from tuberculosis, as usefully from tuberculosis, from tuberculosis, and the worst, but they are all bad. I try as often as possible to get an egg, and that, raw, with a piece of bread and butter, serves for my lunch when I can get it. The food served to us absolutely causes my stomach to revolt against it."

Dr. C. C. Bell, the military superintendent, could not be drawn into any discussion of the conditions existing at the institution. "I have nothing to say; go and see the boys," was his reply to a question. "Samething has to be done," declared of the wounded are doing well.

Samething from tuberculosis, and to a healthy man with a good appetite. To non-day in the non-day meal is usually the worst, but they are all bad. I try as often as possible to they are all bad. I try as often as possible to they are all bad. I try as often as possible to they are all bad. I try as often as possible to they are all bad. I try as often as possible to they are all bad. I try as often as possible to they are all bad. I try as often as possible to they are all bad. I try as often as possible to they are all bad. I try as often as possible to the all bad. I try as often as possible to the all

cellent staff here.

The trouble appears to be the constant undercurrent of friction that has always prevalled here, caused by the interference and bad organization ability of the head of the London Health Association, who considers himself supreme to dictate alipolicy and plan of management of the institution, and treatment for the patients, always with an eye to rigid economy in nothing but the food for the patients and staff; with the result that the meals now with the result that the meals now served are to say the least, exceedingly cheap, unpalatable, undesirable and often unwholesome, and not the kind of food recommended in the treatment of tuberculosis.

Superintendent Powerless.

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It is beyond the power of our medical superintendent or of the matron here, to alter said diet, or even suggest a better, for the reason that the business manager, who does all the purchasing, and his wife, who is the so-called head dietitian, are emso-called head dietitlan, are employed by, and will apparently only take instructions or suggestions from the said head of the London Health Association. They appear to have his entire confidence, without efficiency or ability: the same is the have his entire confidence, without efficiency or ability; the same is the case with all other employees of this association, with the result that confusion, friction, and inefficiency are rampant, and spying, fault-finding and tale-carrying are the usual order of the day, while the orders or suggestions of your medical superintendent and staff are ignored, often with scorn. with scorn.
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This condition of affairs has become such that we fear the excellent
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Poor Food.

The boys claim that Mr. and Mrs. Holland, the so-called business manager and dietitian, respectively, secured their jobs through Sir Adam Beck, who backs them up in everything they do, and that their method of running the cafering for the patients is such that, instead of getting the best of food, they fare as they might in a very poor-class form much too large a portion of the diet, and that these things are dished up in a never-ending and sickening circle, what is left over from breakfast being made over for lunch, and the remains of lunch used as a basis for supper. It heart is served for lunch, for instance.

made over for lunch, and the remains of lunch used as a basis for supper. It heart is served for lunch, for instance, and if any is left over, as it generally is, heart patties are likely to be on the menu for supper. Bread dressing is said to be used with almost everything, the explanation, being that there is always bread to spare. Manitoba To Lift Theatre Seat Tax bread to spare.

There are many evidences that the feeling of dissatisfaction is not confined to the patients. The members of the staff live, as the boys do, on what is provided by the business manager and his wife. They are not so free in their criticism as are the men, but conversing with them, one gains the impression that they are seeking to make the best of things only for the sake of the boys.

Channel Tunnel

Proposed Structure Would Require Five Years To

200,000 MONTREAL

PEOPLE WELCOME

First Battalion To Return as

Unit Is Enthusiastically

Received.

42ND HIGHLANDERS

Bill To Amend Act Given Second Reading in Legis-

Winnipeg, March 11.—Fourteen bills were passed and four given second readings at the sitting of the Legislature last night, among the latter being a bill to sanction the borrowing of capital What is a fact is that the matron, diss Jacobs, submitted her resignation, Miss Jacobs, submitted her resignation, and although no confirmation could be gained officially, the men declare that her reason was simply that she felt unable to continue her work under existing conditions of divided control, with Sir Adam Beck seeking to dictate what should be done and what should not, whether in respect to finance, dieting, discipline or management generally. The act respecting the soldiers' land, so the patients waited on her and asked her, for their sakes, to "stick it out" a little longer.

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The whole trouble seems to have arisen from the fact that, while the department of soldiers' civil re-establishment has control so far as treatment, discipline, etc., are concerned, the London Health Association runs the institution in all other respects. The S. C. R. pays a flat rate per capita of the patients, and for that the Health Association undertakes to feed them and provide accommodation, employing its ewn staff for this purpose. WESTERN MEMBERS ASK ASSURANCE THAT ROAD

KINMEL RIOTS ARE **BURIED NEAR CAMP**

Full Military Honors For Two.

CHAPLAIN'S APPEAL

the institution. I have body, "was his reply to a question.

Thorough Dr. H. B. Alexander, the assistant medical director for the London unit of the department, they have forwarded a petition, signed by 140 soldiers, or practically every patient in the institution with the exception of those who were new-comers, to the department It reads as follows:

THE PETITION.

Dear Sir,—We, the undersigned patients of your commission, under treatment at the Queen Alexandra Sanatorium, R. R. No. 7, London, Ontario, do hereby humbly and respectfully pray that your honorable commission take immediate steps to change a condition of affairs that now exists at this institution, that is fast becoming unbearable to your patients, and intolerable to your excellent staff here.

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red as the guests of the nation.

SIr Rider Haggard's Views.

Several letters have appeared in condon papers from members of andoin papers from members of inadian corps defending the me of the Canadian forces and ally the third division, which, serted, has a fighting record so none. Sir Rider Haggard, the

Build.

London, March 11.—Five years would be required to complete the proposed tunnel under the English Channel, according to an authoritative estimate. It is said that in ordinary times the cost of the work would be about £16,000,000, but in view of the increased cost of labor and materials the expense involved would, under present conditions, be nearly £20,000,000.

ANNIDEA

asserted, has a lighting fective solution none. Sir Rider Haggard, the well-known novelist, writing to the Times, says the riot has a lesson for the without has a lesson for the whote empire, not omitting the British Isles. He contends, as he has on soundry occasions urged in speeches in Canada, that the Empire should be kept for the citizens of the Empire. "However great may be the needs of the dominions for population—and it is great—to admit Russian Bolshevists, such as the man who seems to have begun the trouble at Kinmel Camp or other vite foreign stirrers-up of strife that they may mature their plots under the shadow of our flag, is suicidal madness. madness.
Would Shut Them Out.

The poison which such men scatter does us incalculable harm and unless the supply of it is cut off at the source in the existing conditions of world ferment it will do us more in the traded if strong measures be

OLYMPIC TO SAIL WITH RHYL CAMP MEN, IS REPORT

Olympic will sail this week from Eng-Six owners of large businesses have with upwards of four thousand Canadians at present encamped at Rhyl, where rioting took place last week, it is alleged. The information described by the continued on Page Three.

Six owners of large businesses have with the continued of seeking new quarters as soon as their leases run out and possibly before. They are J. Gammage & Sons is very enthusiastic over the idea. "We have already had an offer from a prominent capitalist, who is more demanded by the continued on Page Three."

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Admiral Sir David Beatty, enjoying a game of hockey at his estate Brooksby Hall, England, where he is spending a much-deserved vacation

127,100 CANADIAN SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN REPATRIATED

London, March 11.—The number of Dominion soldiers repatriated between November 11, 1918, and March 1, 1919, were: Australians, 65,154; New Zealanders, 26,205; Canadians, 127,000; South Africans, 6,196.

This information was given out today in the House of Commons by the under-secretary of state for war.

BRAND NEW BUSINESS BLOCK IS CONTEMPLATED BY MERCHANTS WHOSE PREMISES HAVE BEEN SOLD

Capitalist Stands Ready To Make Block Between Waterloo and Colborne One of Finest in City-Retailers Enthusiastic Over Scheme-Other Real Estate Deals Under Way.

It is more than likely, in fact there son, butcher; John Nash, jeweler; John strike. a strong probability, that London Graham & Co., haberdashers, and the Information From Authoritative Sources Not Confirmed by Company.

Halifax, N. S., March 11.—It is reported unofficially here today that the ported unofficially here today that the college will sail this week from Engstreets. W. W. Gammage of J. Gammage Six owners of large businesses have

patients, and for that the Health Asso-claim undertakes to feed them and provide accommodation, employing at a provide accommodation employing at a provide

YOUTHS GIVE THEMSELVESUP Berberich Brothers Drive Into Guelph Early This Morning. BOTH REMANDED FOR TRIAL

Terms of Disarmament Adopted by Supreme Council Abolish Conscription in Germany as Recommended by Premier David Lloyd George of Great Britain-Arms and Munitions Above Certain Amount Must Be Surrendered or Destroyed.

Charges.

Guelph, March 11.—Deeming discretion the better part of valor, the two Berberich boys, wanted by the Dominion military police for breaches of the Moboting episode at New Germany, on Sunday, drove to the city this morning and surrendered, probably influenced by the arrest of their father and mother. They were arraigned on charges of failing to report and remanded for a day.

Charges arising out of the shooting will be berief been, will probably be tried on several charges this afternoon.

Accompanying the two men when they surrendered was a man named Brusle, also of New Germany. He is wanted for desertion, and will be handed over to the military authorities.

MINE THROWERS AND

ARTILLERY STOPPED

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Paris, March 10.—Military Germany will go out of existence as the result of the adoption by the supreme council to device departs as the result of the adoption by the supreme council to display the provisions, which will be discussed tomorrow. The progress that has been made with low to the work of framing the peace treaty insures the consciption of the tasty except for a few reserved provisions, which will be discussed tomorrow. The progress that has been made with four thousand officers, the army to be recruited by the voluntary similarly strength for the mext they wars to 100,000 men, with four thousand officers, the army to the recruited by the voluntary of the work of framing the peace treaty. These terms provision discussed tomorrow. The progress that has been made with low discussed tomorrow. The rest of the end of the work of framing the peace treaty insures the council has a the end of the device served provisions, which will be discussed tomorrow. The result of the work of framing the two man military strength for the next twelve years to 100,000 men, with four thousand officers, the army to the result of t this in his report, which proposed an intermy of 140,000 men, but the council duality adopted an amendment further reducing this figure to 100,000, One of Premier Lloyd George's main purposes German Government Troops

G.W.V.A. SEGRETARY DECLARES TOTAL DISABILITY PENSION IS TO BE RAISED TO \$1,000 A YEAR

Soldiers' Widows Will Also Receive Increased Grants, Says W. E. Turley-Government Action Claimed To Be the exposing themselves. Nevertheless Spartacans have not given up and attempting to transfer their field of istance to the eastern suburbs. The patch says that their terroristic thods have caused a revulsion of ling in favor of the Government grywhere. Callway traffic and other communicates have been resumed except on the Result of Recent Protests Made by the Veterans.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, March 11 .- "I have it on good authority from Ottawa," said W. E. Turley, the provincial secretary of the G. W. V. A., "that the total disability pension is to be raised almost at once to \$1,000 a year. I am Informed, also from the same source, that widows' pensions will be raised to the same amount as the total disability pensions of the men. That is the result of our protests. It is the greatest proof I can offer of the power of the G. W. V. A. "Just now," he continued, "We are on the flood tide of a wonderful expansion. Over fifty new branches were opened last week, and ten to-day. There are over one hundred branches now in Ontario alone." 'Is it true that a branch has been opened in London, England?" he was asked. Mr. Turley announced that it was the intention of the society to advocate strongly to the Government the supplementing of the pensions of

PENSIONS FOR TOTALLY DISABLED MEN AND WIDOWS ARE INADEQUATE Ottawa, March 11.—C. G. MacNeil, up to the scale of the Canadian pensecretary of the Great War Veterans' sions. He said he knew of widows who were getting only \$28 or \$30 per month.

Association, appeared at the first meeting this morning of the Parliamentary in this morning of the Parliamentary collisies, pensions and living in Canada before the war. Mr.

disabled men by grants of two to twenty-five acres.

UMPLEX PROBLEMS

| Consideration Must Come gravity of the formation of the control of the contro