

### SOLDIERS MARCH TO MASSEY HALL

#### Form Most Spectacular Feature of Salvation Army Campaign.

The procession of soldiers to Massey Hall last night was one of the most spectacular features of the Salvation Army campaign. The men started in five divisions and the time between the different arrivals was enlivened by bright airs by the military band under Bandmaster Slater. Brigadier-General Gunn presided and received an ovation when he appeared on the platform. Applause broke out afresh when he told the men that this was one of the nights that the boys went over the top. It was the Great War Veterans' triumph. As Harry Lauder would say, said the general, "It's a great night th' night."

Continuing, the popular soldier told the audience he was proud as he watched their march discipline. "I never saw a man drinking out of a water bottle," he said, while the laughter went up thru the hall. "I heard your eyeballs cick as your heads came round," brought out another salar.

Sir William Livingston, one of the city's greatest physicians, when asked what was his best advice for health, wealth and happiness, said, "keep your head cool and your feet warm." He said to say to you that Canada wants men with cool heads, sound judgment and dry feet.

Rev. George Adam won the good will of the soldiers when he sang several of Harry Lauder's songs in the absence of the Scotch comedian who could not come himself but who sent some talented members of his company.

### WILL COAL PRICES TAKE A TUMBLE?

#### Hamilton Dealers Sell It \$2 a Ton Less Than Toronto.

Anthracite coal of all sizes is being sold in Hamilton at two dollars a ton less than in Toronto. Local dealers profess to know nothing about the drop when spoken of by The World yesterday and one even went so far as to doubt the truth of it in the face of the advertisements appearing in the Hamilton papers. However, the fact remains that the Hamilton householder has the advantage of his Toronto neighbor to the extent of \$2 a ton. Perhaps the dealers here will follow suit and in view of the mild weather and the large stock on hand decide to meet the Hamilton price.

The most reasonable explanation for the difference of \$2 a ton, on anthracite, is that advanced by R. Glover of the Standard Fuel Co. in Toronto: "I presume you know," said Mr. Glover, "that during the past week the government has unloaded large consignments of coal in that city at much reduced prices, the coal being from munition plants. It is just possible that an individual dealer took advantage of these much reduced prices and resold it at a profit of \$2 a ton less than other dealers in the province. The legitimate price on coal between Hamilton and Toronto should differ by only 25 or 30 cents."

An official from the Conger Coal Co. opined that the information was perhaps incorrectly misinterpreted. It was true that the Conger Coal Co. had buckwheat anthracite selling at \$8.75, but this was not the coal usually classed as ordinary hard coal. Nothing, he said, had entered into the cost of coming and transportation during the past three months to in any way lessen the costs to coal companies and give them margins on reduced prices.

The management of the Milne Coal Co. could give no reason for any difference in coal prices as between Hamilton except on the difference in freightage. Freightage to Hamilton from the Suspension Bridge was 30c a ton cheaper than to Toronto.

"Oh, a Hamilton paper tells the tale, does it?" rapped out the manager of the Burns Coal Co. when informed of the happy situation in Hamilton. "Well, it doesn't know what it's talking about. In any case we in Toronto have quite enough to do attending to Toronto's end of the situation."

"Our prices have not changed since November," said the manager of the Mitchell Coal Co., "and the cost of production is as high today as ever it was. Perhaps the difference in the cost of freightage partly accounts for the difference favoring Hamilton. Freightage from Black Rock to Toronto before the war used to be easily 75c a ton and Hamilton nearly 35c a ton cheaper. It has naturally increased during the war all along the line."

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### PRICES HOLD STEADY ON CATTLE MARKET

That there never was any foundation for the sensational reports supposedly emanating from Ottawa, and published in an evening paper regarding the threatened closing down of the Canadian packing plants is fully established. Having started a fire, the paper yesterday proceeded to put it out. A period of readjustment is and that there will be some disarrangement of existing conditions in the hucro trade as in other lines, goes without saying.

Yesterday at the Union Stock Yards trade held steady, with Monday's decline. H. P. Kennedy, of the H. P. Kennedy, Ltd. who has this week bought between 800 and 900 head of cattle, shipping out between 30 and 40 cars to United States points, said to The World last night: "Let the Canadian farmers and feeders finish off their cattle in good shape, and there will be a good paying market all right."

The market for hogs was yesterday still irregular, but it is confidently expected that a basis of trading at a good paying price will soon be established. There were over 1600 on sale, and the price ran around from 16 to 18 1/2, and up to 17 cents, feed and watered, according to quality.

### MESSAGE FROM KING ON DEATH OF SON

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—The following has been received in reply to the condolences sent by the members of the majesties upon the death of Prince John.

"The Queen and I are deeply touched by the kind sympathy expressed by you on behalf of the government and people of Canada on the loss we have sustained by the death of our youngest son, and we thank you all sincerely."

(Signed) George R. I.

### AT THE ALLEN.

Versatile Douglas Fairbanks is scoring a tremendous success in his latest Artcraft production, "Arizona," which is the attraction at the Allen all this week. This is a stirring tale of the west, and Fairbanks is seen in it at his best. Augustus Thomas considers this the best of his stage plays.

Harold Jarvis, Toronto's favorite tenor, is dividing honors equally with Fairbanks on the bill, and is receiving a tremendous ovation at every performance. Some interesting views of the widely-heralded visit of the Canadian editors to the front just before war is declared are also shown.

### HYDRO COMMITTEE FOR BURLINGTON

#### Appoint Strong Body of Citizens to Direct the Campaigning.

Hamilton, Jan. 22.—Latest developments in the Hydro situation today were the completing of arrangements to have Sir Adam Beck come here and address the city council in informal session and the forming of a Hydro committee by Burlington to back up the scheme of the electric knight, and to see that an all-Beck slate is elected at the coming elections in that town.

That Burlington is determined to out the corporation for its streets for ever is evident from the following resolution, which the citizens unanimously endorsed.

**Ask Speedy Action.**

"Moved by Rev. A. Andrews, seconded by E. J. Corwin, that we declare ourselves in favor of no further time being wasted in negotiations with the Radial Railway Company, and that the most prompt possible action be taken to secure Hydro Radial service between the Town of Burlington and the City of Hamilton, and with this end in view do recommend the appointment of a strong citizens' campaign committee."

The following is the committee, with powers to add to their number: R. Hodson, R. Faraway, Jas. Troughton, Wm. Redding, F. Burns, T. H. Bamford, T. F. Easterbrook, A. Tansley, T. Drever, A. C. Ferguson, Russell Wilson, Wm. Bell, J. C. Church, secretary.

### BOY FINDS SAFE CLOSE TO LAKE

#### Y.W.C.A. Robbers Use Automobile to Cover Their Tracks.

Thieves entered the Alexandra Park House of the Young Women's Christian Association at 875 West Dundas street, by way of an unlocked window, and carried a small safe away. A number of women were sleeping in the building at the time the premises were entered, but the robbery was not discovered until yesterday morning, when the superintendent entered the office and found the safe missing.

The front window of the office had been left unlocked, and the thieves hoisted the window and carried the safe, weighing about 150 pounds, to a motor car on the street.

The police were informed of the occurrence, and last night they received information that the safe was lying in a creek at Stop 35, Lake Shore road. Acting Detective Nicholls was sent out and found the safe, badly battered, lying in the creek covered with switches.

The safe was first found by a twelve-year-old boy named Edward Wickens, of Stop 35, who was playing near the creek. It is the belief of the police that the thieves, after removing the safe from the office, placed it in a waiting automobile and after rifling it drove out to the lake shore to get rid of the safe and at the same time avoid detection.

The safe contained \$25 in money and a number of papers. The desks of the office were not disturbed by the intruders.

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### HAMILTON NEWS

Hamilton, Jan. 22.—Miss Emily Wickens was killed by a street car at the "Delta" tonight.

Forty thousand dollars has already been subscribed by Hamilton people to the S. A. Red Shield Fund.

F. A. Baxter, a traveling representative of the Dominion Pensions Board, addressed a mass meeting of G. W. V. A. members in the S. O. E. Hall tonight.

A motor truck carrying 20 people from Hamilton to the Beach was struck tonight by a G. W. freight train. Two of the passengers on the truck were thrown off, but nobody killed.

A man in the matter of whether the soldiers' aid commission or the provincial employment bureau should deal with the returned soldiers seeking work is reported. Both organizations here are waiting for authorization before giving

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### HAMILTON APPEALS AT THE CAPITAL

Probable Legislation Empowering Commission to Compel Joint Terminals.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 22.—Hamilton's appeal to the cabinet council against the judgment of the railway commission granting the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo Railway Company the right to proceed along the original plans agreed upon and expropriate property in a residential section of the city for extension of the Kinross Yard and also to lay four tracks across Leiby avenue, was heard today by Hon. Messrs. Rowell, Carvey, Slewburn, Robertson and Field. After some three hours of argument on behalf of the city and the railway company, Mr. Rowell said that the cabinet would carefully consider the whole situation and announce a decision later on. Meanwhile it is probable that the railway board will be asked for a further report on the Hamilton situation with a view to guiding the cabinet in deciding whether or not to interfere with present plans. It is also probable that legislation will be introduced at the coming session of parliament enlarging the jurisdiction of the railway commission so as to empower it to compel the use of joint terminals in

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### LEGISLATURE OPENS ON FEBRUARY 25TH

#### Date Was Fixed After Consultation With Dominion Authorities.

The provincial legislature will open for the coming session on Tuesday, February 25, according to an official announcement made yesterday by Sir William Hearst. The premier and his cabinet have deliberated on this matter for the past few days and it is understood, favored February 14 as the opening day, but recent advice has been received from Ottawa, asking the provincial government to delay the opening until such time as the local legislature could work concurrently with the Dominion house in the matter of legislation affecting returned soldiers, which both governments contemplate putting thru. It has been the policy of the provincial government to complete all seasonal business prior to the Easter holiday and it is understood that this plan will be followed this year. The session usually extends over a period of six or seven weeks and with Easter coming on April 30 this year all work should be completed by that time.

With the return of peace it is understood that the pre-war activities, which made the meeting of the legislature a distinctive event in society, will be revived this year.

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### HEADS THE U.F.A.

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 22.—H. W. Wood has been re-elected president of the U.F.A.