

BOLSHEVIST CHANGE PLANS OF WARFARE

Are Giving Orders to Their Detachments to Treat Prisoners Kindly.

Archangel, Saturday, March 22.—Recent developments in the Dvina river sector indicate that the Bolsheviks are trying to change the conduct of their uncontrolled detachments, who have been accused of killing and mistreating prisoners. An officer who returned to Archangel today, after a long stay in the Tuigas region, declared that the campaign there is at the present time "civilized warfare."

On a Bolshevik prisoner recently captured, he said, he found a copy of an order directing that all prisoners should be treated kindly, especially the wounded, and in many instances they were the source of valuable information. In this sector, where the patrols frequently traverse the same paths of the forest, it is a hollow stump which is the battle zone postoffice for the exchange of information regarding prisoners. Letters have been placed there from some soldiers taken by the Bolsheviks, saying that they were well.

The Archangel newspapers publish many citations of decorations awarded to the new Russian troops of the provisional government for bravery in action. The mobilization conducted at Archangel has been a success beyond all expectations, according to the Russian staff, and Russian troops are in the front lines in nearly every sector, fighting beside the British, French and Americans.

Headquarters reports that the situation in all sectors was without change today.

WINDSOR MEN PLAN OCEAN PORT OF CALL

Windsor, Ont., March 23.—When Hon. Frank Carvell, minister of public works, makes his promise to this city early next month, a plan originated by local real estate men will be submitted for his consideration to interest the government in making Windsor an ocean port of call. A harbor commission, made up of representatives of the five border municipalities, has already been organized. So far as making this place a stopping point for ocean steamers is concerned, sponsors for the scheme point to the government dock here, built two years ago at a cost of \$250,000, which is used mainly as a place to tie up ferry boats at present. There is a coal dock in Windsor, and a small landing dock in Walkerville. Beyond that there is very little dredging done anywhere between Windsor and Walkerville, where a few lake vessels land occasionally.

WORTHLESS CHEQUE THREE THOUSAND

Says Mrs. Jeannette Orr, Toronto, in Detroit Court—Taken Back to Jail.

Detroit, Mich., March 23.—Declaring that a check for \$3,000 which had been given her by a Belgian aviator in Chicago, and which turned out to be worthless, was responsible for her arrest, Mrs. Jeannette Orr, 25, of Toronto, whose husband is said by the aviator to be a Canadian aviator was arrested in police court here Saturday, charged with passing worthless checks. She pleaded not guilty and was held in \$500 bail for further examination on Feb. 28. The woman's husband, reported to be on the way here, failed to arrive, and by 12:30 unable to furnish surety, she was taken back to county jail.

CALL ON ALLIES TO PROTECT SHIPS

Copenhagen, March 23.—At a mass meeting of seamen at Bremen a resolution was passed declaring the refusal of the seamen to permit ships to sail for England unless a promise could be obtained that the German crew would be allowed to remain on board according to Berlin advice.

As the provisioning of Germany is jeopardized by the refusal of the German seamen to man ships required by the entente, the German armistice commission has proposed to the allies that they approve the placing of four small cruisers in service to guarantee protection, the immediate sailing of the German merchant vessels and the transport of food.

SOME VESSELS SAILED

Berlin, March 23.—Up to 7 o'clock this evening eighteen ships had cleared from Hamburg, including the Patricia, Santa Cruz, Cordova, Kigroma, Cleveland and Cap Finisterre.

Many other vessels are manned and are ready to sail Sunday. The crews of the Hamburg seamen in proceeding to sea, it is believed here, will have a good effect on the other Hanseatic and Baltic seamen.

BOSHEVIST CAMPAIGN STARTED IN BOHEMIA

London, March 23.—A Bolshevik campaign is in progress in Bohemia, according to a statement quoted by The Daily Mail's Berlin correspondent. This correspondent says strong propaganda is being carried out in a surreptitious manner by the Czech and Bohemian workers, the Bohemians being assured that only with Bolshevik aid can they secure the right of self-determination and escape subservience to Czech rule.

Expect Hydro-Electric Report On Windsor Frontier Railway

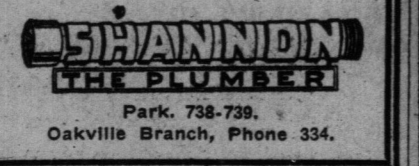
Windsor, March 21.—Within a few days it is expected the report of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission, dealing with the question of street car transportation of this frontier will be ready for submission to the municipal council and at the next municipal election the matter of the acquisition of the street railway system will be placed before the ratepayers for their approval.

After a three-day trip to Toronto, during which time he had several conferences with the commission, Mayor Winter returned home today optimistic over the outlook for a municipally operated street car system.



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MEWBURN OPTIMISTIC OVER TROOPS' RETURN

Rate of Return to Be Greatly Increased During April—First Division Coming.

Hamilton, March 23.—That there was little doubt that every soldier at present overseas would be home no later than August was the assurance given by Major-General S. C. Mewburn, minister of militia, while in the city yesterday.

"Over 30,000 men have been brought home this month," Gen. Mewburn said, "and that number will be increased greatly during April. Just as soon as navigation opens on River St. Lawrence and the ports of Quebec and Montreal can be used it is hoped that the return of troops will be speeded up to 45,000 a month. Unless hindered by strikes in England there is little doubt now that all the Canadians will be home by the end of August."

The third division would be returned completely by the end of this month, and units of the first division would start on their homeward journey by April 15.

SCORES GREAT ESTATE SALE AND THE "BALACLAVA" SPECIALS.

Mr. Frank Score, the president, said the other day: "We had the highest hopes when we stepped out on the beaten path—that of high-class custom tailoring—and began making the 'BalACLAVA' overcoat—ready-for-use—but our 'highest hopes' have been more than realized and the making and selling of this coat is taking a larger place every day in the Score enterprise." R. Score Sons, Limited, tailors and haberdashers, 77 West King street.

SAYS BE PATIENT TOWARDS FIGHTERS

Commissioner Howard, Salvation Army Chief of Staff, Arrives in Toronto.

Commissioner T. Henry Howard, chief of staff of the Salvation Army, arrived in Toronto this morning from New York, on a trip from London, and was welcomed at the Union depot by Commissioner W. J. Richards, Col. John McMillan, chief secretary, and members of the headquarters staff. A band was in attendance.

The chief, who is here in connection with the army's work as a personal representative of General Bramwell Booth, is making a world tour, and will visit New Zealand and Australia before returning to England.

He was taken immediately to Salvation Army headquarters, Albert street, and in an interview outlined the plans of the army regarding the new condition of affairs consequent upon the conclusion of the war. "We are ready to adapt ourselves to any and every condition," he said, "no matter what demands are made. Speaking of the returned soldiers, he said: "We must be as patient with them as they have been with us, for, no doubt, they tried their patience sorely at times, when they were over there fighting. Let us be kind and give them a chance to adjust themselves."

Commissioner Howard referred to the work of the army in many parts of the world, mentioning particularly the Russian and German situation. He stated that great hopes and great plans had been shattered, for the time being, by affairs in Russia.

Three special services will be conducted in Massey Hall on Sunday, and Commissioner Howard will address each meeting. In the afternoon and evening music by massed bands will be a feature. During the three days of the commissioner's stay, conferences will be held and the work of the army thoroughly discussed. Delegates began arriving from all parts of Ontario early Saturday morning, and every train has been bringing its quota ever since.



HAMILTON NEWS

Hamilton, March 23.—Unheralded and almost without a welcome home about sixty veterans of the great war who left Hamilton with the 88th and C.M.R. units returned today. Every possible effort had been made here to ascertain the time of their arrival in Hamilton, and to arrange for them to come thru from Toronto to get here in order that a public reception might be tendered them, but no word came until a very late hour.

James Henry Wild, aged 34 years, eldest son of Geo. Wild of the parks board, passed away last evening at his home, 564 East Barton street.

That the Liberal voters of Toronto in 1911, who constituted practically two-fifths of the entire available vote of the city, were disfranchised by the present system was the statement made at the Citizens' Open Forum in Lewis' Theatre last afternoon.

Members of the board of control will, on Tuesday, endeavor to determine the status of the Tallman Brass and Metal Co., the lowest tender of lead pipe for the works department. The board threw out the company's quotation when informed that the company was on labor's "unfair list."

Mrs. Lillian Mary Hutchinson, wife of George H. Hutchinson, of Port Rowan, died in St. Joseph's Hospital last night, following an operation. Interment will take place at Port Huron.

CENSUS REVEALS BUSINESS BOOM

Farm Implement Manufacturers Did Splendid Business Last Year.

Ottawa, March 23.—The Dominion bureau of statistics has completed a preliminary census of the agricultural implement industry in Canada for the calendar year 1917. The census covered altogether 90 establishments. These were located in the provinces as follows: Alberta, 1; Manitoba, 7; Nova Scotia, 1; Ontario, 56; Prince Edward Island, 1; Quebec, 21, and Saskatchewan, 3.

The total capital invested amounted to \$70,492,301, divided as follows: Land, building and fixtures, \$15,331,468; machinery and tools, \$6,140,882; material on hand, stocks in process, finished products, fuel, etc., \$32,127,628; cash, trading and operating accounts, \$16,892,323.

The total capital invested represented an increase over 1917 of \$10,364,710, or 15.4 per cent.

The total salaries paid in 1917 amounted to \$1,329,786, an increase over 1915 of \$273,235, or 25.8 per cent. The total wage payments rose in 1917 to \$8,027,036 from \$3,125,086 in 1915, or by 156.3 per cent.

The average amount paid to wage earners in 1917 was \$828. The total number on salaries in 1917 was 101,311, having risen from 57,371 in 1915. The average number of wage earners employed monthly in 1917 was 9563; the least number was 9003 in September; the greatest number was 10,027 in the occasion of the corn of the year.

Average Payroll. The total number of different individual wage earners on the payroll in 1917 was 24,895. From a total sum of 9,951 wage rates, it was found that 1,118 were paid from \$12 to \$15 a week, 4,271 from \$15 to \$20 a week, 2,093 from \$20 to \$25 a week, and 1,163 at a rate over \$25. The balance were paid at a rate below \$12 a week.

The total cost of materials used in 1917 was \$4,895,011, being an increase over 1915 of \$9,616,451, or 160.7 per cent, and the total value of products rose from \$3,872,506 to \$22,364,840, or 142.0 per cent. The value added by the manufacturer was \$16,764,649 in 1917. In 1915 it amounted to \$7,389,270.

J. H. WILD DIES

Hamilton, March 23.—James Henry Wild, aged 34 years, eldest son of Geo. Wild of the parks board, passed away last evening at his home, 564 East Barton street.

More than one proud and happy soldier's wife made her husband surrender rifle and equipment when they met yesterday. Pts. F. Stilla, who is seen in the above photograph, says that was something the Germans never could do.

COMMISSIONS DELAY THE PEACE TREATY

That on Reparations Finds Snag in Allotment of Damages to Different Nations.

Paris, March 23.—While all the commissions strive hard during the week to comply with the desire of the council of ten to have all their reports ready by March 20, some of them were prevented from accomplishing their tasks by the development of unexpected issues and by the necessity of co-ordinating their work with that of other commissions.

The council of ten appears to be anxious that it should be known that it is not the delay in the completion of the work of the commission of the league of nations that is holding back the peace treaty. Other commissions handling subjects even more essential to the treaty itself are working simultaneously and any one of them may be held responsible for the delay.

YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

RIVERDALE

RESOLUTION AGAINST DAYLIGHT SAVING BILL. Albert Hanna, secretary of the North Riverdale Liberal Association, will submit the following resolution at the next meeting of the organization: "That the federal government be requested to cancel the Daylight Saving Bill, as it works a hardship especially upon the working class, aged parents and others in their morning household duties before going to business and favors the sporting class and those that wish to use the evening for a selfish purpose at other people's expense."

Mr. Hanna points out that the Divine Creator has given mankind the sun as the luminary for the day and states that what is termed the rising and the setting of the sun should be sufficient daylight for all classes.

Woodmen of the World, North Riverdale Camp No. 215 held a well attended social and dance in Playter's Hall, Danforth avenue, Saturday evening. Over 100 members and friends were present and handsome prizes were presented to the winners in the euchre contest.

SAFE HOME AGAIN. Signaller Albert Roe, C.E.F., 878 Carleton avenue, who was badly gassed in action at Tiegny Hill, France, arrived safely at his home last evening, after three years overseas, and twelve months in Orington Canadian Hospital, England.

Signaller Roe speaks in the highest terms of the trip home and the treatment of the hospital cases. He was employed at the Canada Metal Products Company previous to enlisting.

WILL DISCUSS PAPE CARS.

North Riverdale Ratepayers' Association Executive Committee will meet at the residence of the president, Dr. E. A. McDonald, 240 Danforth avenue, this evening, to discuss the proposed plan for the erection of a public roadway, Broadview and Danforth and a district sub post office will be discussed.

FAIRBANK

RESIDENTS ASK FOR SIDEWALK INCREASE. A well-attended meeting of the North Fairbank and Fairbank Ratepayers' Association was held in the Club House, Hamilton, on Sunday. A. Camp, president, occupied the chair.

Amongst communications read was one from Arthur Hewitt, general manager of the Consumers' Gas Company, which stated that conditions are such that it is impossible to plan for extensions in the district this year.

The residents of Kitchener avenue, Fairbank, and Rockdale, asked for the support of the association in their application for sidewalks, and the secretary was requested to write the township council re same.

Chas. Banaley of Oakwood brought forward another of his pet schemes, the widening of Vaughan road and Eglington avenue, which has received considerable good-natured criticism.

Dr. D. H. Hood stated that before the idea of building 100-foot roads to benefit the poor farmer, at others' expense was entertained, it would be better to improve the roads in the immediate district.

The association decided to take no action. Reeve Miller and Deputy Reeve F. A. McDonald, assisted by a delegation of bylaw, the vote on which will be taken on April 5, and asked the residents to send in their names for same.

It was decided that the water main would be carried thru Eglington avenue this summer, and advised residents on side streets to get their petitions in as early as possible. A vote of thanks was tendered Messrs. Miller and McDonald.

DANFORTH

New Secretary of Methodist Union Gives Forceful Address. Rev. E. W. Neal, newly-appointed secretary for the Toronto Methodist Union, gave a forceful address at the evening service in Hope Methodist Church, Danforth avenue, yesterday.

The speaker's appeal met with a generous response. Rev. A. L. Terryberry, pastor, welcomed six returned veterans recently arrived from overseas at the close of the service. There was a large congregation present.

ST. BARNABAS' OPENING.

St. Barnabas' Church new Sunday school building, corner Hampton and Danforth avenues, was opened with a dedicatory service on Sunday. The building is a fine example of modern architecture and is well equipped for the needs of the church.

Rev. F. E. Powell is rector of the parish.

OLD CHURCH INADEQUATE

The matter of the new building site for the Todmorden Baptist Church, on Page avenue, near Gamble, is still in the hands of the church extension board. According to a prominent member of the Baptist communion, the old church is altogether inadequate for the number of people who attend. On a previous Sunday, seating accommodation could not be provided, and it is necessary to erect a larger building.

EPWORTH LEAGUE SOCIAL.

Under the auspices of the Epworth League a social entertainment will be held in Danforth Methodist Church on Sunday evening, March 24. A musical program will be rendered by the members and refreshments served.

REV. MR. SIMPSON PREACHED.

Rev. E. J. D. Simpson, pastor Danforth Methodist Church, preached at the morning service in Central Methodist Church, Bloor street yesterday. The subject of the preacher's discourse was "The work of the superannuation department."

EARLSCOURT

WELCOME FIFTY-EIGHTH. Earlscourites in large numbers gave a hearty welcome home to the 58th yesterday, many of the soldiers returning being residents in the Earlscourt district. A good number of automobiles assisted in bringing the returned heroes to their homes in various parts of the city.

REV. ROADHOUSE BACK.

Rev. W. F. Roadhouse, pastor of Boon Avenue Baptist Church, resumed his ministry on Sunday, preaching at both services. Mr. Roadhouse returned on Saturday from a successful evangelistic mission in Cleveland, U. S. A.

SPECIAL SERVICES END.

North Earlscourt Methodist Church concluded its special services on Sunday, when Rev. Thomas Bloss preached on "Well-attended meetings morning and evening."

This church is one of the five churches connected with the Earlscourt Central Methodist Church, of which Rev. Peter Bryce is pastor.

EVANGELISTIC CAMPAIGN.

St. David's Presbyterian Church, Harvie avenue, Earlscourt, has finished the first week of its evangelistic campaign under the leadership of Rev. F. A. Robinson, secretary of evangelism. The meetings so far have been well attended by citizens, the church being crowded and every seat taken before the services began.

The musical arrangements are in charge of W. W. Wray. These services will come to an end on Saturday evening, Rev. C. A. Mustard is minister of St. David's.

MEN'S OWN BROTHERHOOD.

At the Men's Own Brotherhood meeting at Central Methodist Church yesterday, Rev. Gilbert Agar gave an address on the temperance situation in the province of Ontario. Mr. Agar is the field secretary of the Temperance Association. The Men's Own Orchestra rendered selections. Sincere sympathy was extended to Rev. E. Crossley Hunter, who presided in the loss sustained by the death of his father, Rev. Crossley Hunter, the famous evangelist, who died last Tuesday after a long illness. Mr. Hunter is the only son.

NORWAY

CROWDS LINE ROUTE AT HOGARTH FUNERAL. One of the largest funerals ever held in the east end was that of the late Mrs. Eva Hogarth and her four little children who were hospitalized at their residence, 45 Rainsford Road on Tuesday last.

The bodies were conveyed to Norway cemetery in two hearses. The mother and infant child in the first and the three eldest in the second hearse, and followed by a long line of motor cars and coaches. Crowds of sympathizers lined the route on both sides of the road and the cemetery was filled with mourners.

Rev. E. A. Macdonald, assistant rector of St. John's church, officiated at the graveside. Besides the husband, Mr. Fred Hogarth, Mrs. and Mrs. Hogarth were present, and other relatives were present.

EAST TORONTO

Y. M. C. A. IS HANDY. The Y. M. C. A., Main street, East Toronto, which was reopened a few days ago after being closed for over two years, will be of considerable convenience to the railway men in the neighborhood. A special building has been erected on the building will be open to the members throughout the day and evening.

AURORA

FIRE GUTS HOME. Caused by an overheated stove which set fire to the chimney and roof, much damage was done to the residence of Mrs. F. E. Powell, 1000 Main street, Aurora, completely demolished and the extent of the loss has not been estimated.

Mr. Thomas of Kennedy street has sold his property consisting of house and two acres for \$4,000.

G.W.V.A. OBJECTS TO RETURNING OFFICER

Comrade H. Leith presided at a meeting of the Silverthorn branch of the G. W. V. A. on Saturday night, the meeting being called for the final organization as a district branch of the central body. One of the matters taken up by the members was a complaint lodged against a merchant of Silverthorn who was advertising himself as a returned man when he had not been.

Objection was taken at the meeting against the appointment of L. Smith as returning officer for Silverthorn and the following was appointed: delegate, Comrades B. Stittie, S. Deane, H. Pettit, W. Froude, J. Meadows, F. Ross and H. Graham.

A letter from a soldier's widow complaining that her house was in a dilapidated condition because of the bad condition of the avenue, was referred to the next meeting.

The condition of the roads in Silverthorn was again the subject for hot criticism against the township officials, some of the roads being over two feet deep in mud and black mud, one member stating that a two horse team had become stuck in the center of one road and had to be hauled out by citizens with ropes.

It was decided to hold a mass meeting next Friday night when local speakers and officials of the G. W. V. A. are to be asked to attend.

DEATH OF MRS. G. H. HUTCHINSON.

Hamilton, March 23.—Mrs. Lillian Mary Hutchinson, wife of George H. Hutchinson of Port Rowan, died in St. Joseph's Hospital last night, following an operation. Interment will take place in Port Rowan.

CREDIT AUCTION SALE

High-class DAIRY HOLSTEINS, HORSES, IMPLEMENTS, HAY, GRAIN, ETC., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26th, AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON, BELONGING TO W. H. PATERSON, Lot 30, Con. 1, Scarborough, One Mile East of Wexford, J. H. Prentiss, Auctioneer.



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SALE OF LANDS

FOR ARREARS OF TAXES. Township of York, County of York. Notice is hereby given that the list of lands now liable to be sold for arrears of taxes in the Township of York has been prepared and is being published in an advertisement in The Ontario Gazette upon the 8th, 15th and 22nd days of February, and the 1st day of March, 1919. Copies of such list of advertisement may be had upon application to me on or before Thursday, the 15th day of May, 1919, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon I shall, at the said time, and at the Township of York Offices, 49 Jarvis street, Toronto, proceed to sell by public auction the said lands or such portions thereof as shall be necessary to pay such arrears, together with the charges thereon.

W. J. DOUGLAS, Township Treasurer, Township Office, 49 Jarvis street, Toronto, Feb. 10, 1919.

ANOTHER ENTRY MADE FOR FLYING PRIZE

London, March 21.—Another entry for the £10,000 prize offered by The Daily Mail for the first flight across the Atlantic was made today by a half of Major J. C. P. Wood, pilot, and Captain C. W. C. Wylie, navigator. They propose to make the attempt in an airplane of 275 horsepower, capable of a speed of 85 miles an hour when carrying 2632 pounds.

Major Wood has had considerable experience as an aviator, while Captain Wylie, in addition to his flying experience, has been navigating destroyers in mid-Atlantic.

Will Honor Returned Men At St. George's Hall Tonight

St. George's Society is giving an entertainment, including refreshments, on night in St. George's Hall for British reservists and Canadian returned soldiers of English and Welsh descent. The opportunity owing to shortness of time was afforded to send printed invitations to the soldiers who returned to Toronto on Sunday but these are requested to be present to-night and are assured of a hearty welcome.

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