## MANY ENLIST AT HIGH PARK MEETING

Vast Audience Attended Gathering of Rifle Associations.

### EARLSCOURT IN LEAD

Three Hundred Recruits Joined Colors as Result of Great Rally.

High Park had the biggest crowd in its history last night when 25,000 people assembled to cheer and honor three of the civilian rifle associations of the west end of the city which have been prominent in the recruiting campaigns conducted in the city and which now have offered more than 300 men for the service of Britain.

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ne service of Britain.

Many were the tributes paid by the various speakers to the rifle associa-tions for their self sacrifice and in these remarks the references to the Earls-court Association were numerous. To this association goes the palm, and the other kindred associations, those of Parkdale and High Park, were the first to give them the credit. The Earls-court association paraded to the meeting over 200 strong and returned with only 40 members. This meant that the recruiting officers had gathered in more than 150 of them for foreign service.

Held Big Parade. The combined parade of the three associations was 1000 strong, and besides this army, "A" Company of the 74th Battalion attended and conducted all of the recruiting. This company until a few days ago was the 36th Regiment of Feel, and last night they were commanded by Captain Allan

McGiffen. The parade to the park began about 7.30 o'clock, and by 8 o'clock the circle around the pavilion at the entrance to High Park boulevard was a solid

mass of people.

Members of the rifles associations appeared in civilian clothes, but sooner were they in the park than they began to take the first steps preparatory to donning the khaki. Business began immediately when Capt. J. Stewart Lundy of the High Park Association conducted his speakers up on to the pavilion. Rev. A. Logan Geggie, A. E. Donovan, M.L.A. of Brockville, Mon. Thomas Crawford, Rev. Alex. McGillivray and Rev. G. Miller Dunn were the orators, while Capt. Lundy occupied the chair him-

speakers made addresses at once, one from each end of the pavilion. Between the orations, martial selections were given by the bands of the Governor-General's Body Guard, the Parkdale Bugle Band and the Police Pipe Band. After the opening speeches by Rev. A. L. Geggie and Hon. T. Crawforl, the band played "Oh God, Our Help in Ages Past," and after the next speeches, "Onward Christian Soldiers," when the big crowd broke into song in the chorus.

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Bail Was Renewed.

H. J. Macdonald, the St. Clair avenum barrister, who appeared last week in the police court on a charge of the board into having the provided in the police court on a charge of the board in the police court on a charge of the board in the police court on a charge of the board in the police court on a charge of the board in the polic

Mayor Church arrived in a hurry from the night meeting of the council, but he was too late to address the boys.

## DEATH SHIP'S TOLL TWELVE HUNDRED?

Definite Knowledge of Extent of Chicago Disaster Still Lacking.

BUSY PROBERS

Federal, State and Civic Officials Are All Taking Part.

CHICAGO, July 26 .- Plans for investigations by federal, state and city official bodies to determine who was to blame for the capsizing of the steamer Eastland in the Chicago River Saturday, with loss of hundreds of lives were completed tonight. A cor-oner's jury will start an inquest tomorrow, while federal departments, headed by Secretary of Commerce Redfield and officers from the city police departments and the officers of the state's attorney will gather evidence, holding formal inquiry in abeyance until the inquest has progressed as far as possible.

Efforts continued to remove victims of the disaster from the wrecked ship today and to tabulate the dead to determine whether the total death list would remain around one thousand, as many believed, or creep up to 1200 or more, as others predicted. Registra-Registration of employes of the Western Electric Company showed nearly 400 miss-ing, but many of the names of these were included in the list of 826 bodies already identified. It was said also that probably a goodly number did not

report at the plant, altho safe.

The probability of swelling the list above a thousand was suggested by the announcement of detectives from the state attorney's office that they had seized the tickets taken from passengers boarding the Eastland for the excursion to Michigan City, Indiana. They asserted that these tickets numbered 2550, and did not account for children, musicians and the 72 members of the crew. They estimated that the total number of persons aboard

## HOTEL TECK

When you entertain your particular

### CANADIAN CASUALTIES

Midnight List

Killed in action—Lieut. Herbert How-ells Washington, 112 Aberdeen avenue, Hamilton, July 23; Wm. Johnstone, Eng-land.

Eighth Battalion. Dangerously wounded—Ernest Reginald Blades, Winnipeg.
Died of gas poisoning,—Ronald Charles Gazzana, Brandon, Man.
Killed in action, July 13—Wilfred John Sparling, England.
Prisoner at Arensberg—L. Weaver, Bresland
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Thirteenth Battalion.
Wounded—Leonard Lewis, South Wales.
Prisoner at Meschede—John Robert
mith, England.

ley, Engiand; Sergt. Harold Purser, England.
Wounded and missing (believed killed in action)—Malcolm Ernest Toms, Eng-

unnymede avenue, Victoria, B.C.; A. E. Clark England.
Second Field Company, C.E. Wounded—Sapper Sydney S. Davey England; Corp. Wm. Chas. Cook, Eng-

# **NEW COMMISSION'S**

Ottawa Separate School Board is Composed of "Die Hards."

FIGHT OVER OFFICES

Commission's Power to Take Possession of Quarters Challenged.

OTTAWA, July 26 .- There was another conflict between the Ottawa Separate School Board and the Separate School Commission in the board's offices this afternoon.

but these were dropped, the tenor of the "meeting" being good-humored.

No Notification Needed.

Board Chairman Genest pointed out that the department had not communicated to the board notice that it had been superseded. The reply was that no notification was necessary.

Chairman Genest stated later that the board was only waiting for a lead on the part of the commissioners for on the part of the commissioners for the matter to be taken to the courts. The legality of such a body usurping the rights of the elected representatives of the taxpayers had to be established. The chairman may call a meeting of the board for Wednesday meeting of the board for Wednesday

## **BALTIC SHADOWED** BY FOE SUBMARINE Eighteen Bombs Dropped on

Liner Escaped by Zigzagging and Destroyer Chased Submersible.

BELIEVED TO BE SUNK

Passengers Saw Undersea Boat Disappear When Attacked.

Special Cable to The Toronto World.

LONDON, July 26.—After being shadowed by a submarine, which, it is believed, was subsequently sunk by a British ship, the Baltic arrived safely at Liverpool at 9 o'clock this morning from New York. When the passengers reached London this afternoon they were all full of the submarine story. One, however, Arthur Plaskidd of New York, asserted that he actually saw it. that he actually saw it.

"I was on deck about 7 o'clock on Friday evening," he said. "We were then nearing Fastnet. I saw the submarine distinctly, about half a mile away from us, coming in our direction. It must have been seen that moment by the lookout, for our course was immediately changed. I believe we must have kept that course, zigzagging until we almost made Cornwall.

"A few minutes after I hoticed the sub-marine I saw a British torpedo boat de-stroyer coming from the north. She seemed to me to be chasing the sub-marine. Anyhow, we saw no more of the latter." the latter."

Dr. Smith of Winnipeg said that most of the passengers were having dinner when the submarine was sighted and therefore scarcely any had the oppor-

the steamer might have been 2800 or more, instead of the 2480 previously announced by the officers of the Indiana Transportation Co.

Despite an all-day search of the hulk by divers and a constant dragging of the riven bed between the wreck and a net stretched across the river a block down the current, only a dozen bodies were found. Estimates of the number still held under water varied widely from 150 to 500.

Tunity to see it.

"I was told about it later by ship's officers," he added. "They said it was heading straight for us, but the torpedo boat destroyer intercepted it."

News that submarines were in the vicinity was kept a secret as far as was possible by officers of the White Star Line. Some passengers knew nothing of it until the vessel docked today.

Other passengers confirmed Dr. Smith's story. Most of them seemed jubilant, and all paid tribute to the excellent manner in which the ship was handled in mity to see it. ner in which the ship was handled in view of the possibility of attack.

A.Y.P.A. HELD PICNIC.

friend, dine at the Hotel Teck, where the cuisine is unexcelled, the charges moderate and the service good. Special luncheon daily at 50 cents.

St. St. Michael S. and All Angels branch of the A. Y. P. A. held a picnic at Highland Creek, on Saturday. A very enjoyable afternoon was experienced by all. St. St. Michael's and All Angels

## THREE AUSTRIANS ARE UNDER ARREST

But Theft May Follow.

Was Refused.

Three Austrians, named Sarbey Panlek of 344 West Richmond street Eli Banco of 66 Agnes street ,and Trobern Medenski of 135 Chestnut street, were arrested last night by officer 361 on the charge of vagrancy, but it is understood that charges of the theft of several suits of clothing will be laid against them. Detective Strohn of the Agnes Street Station has charge of the case.

Lewis Davis of 175 Seaton street was arrested last night by Detective

Soldier Under Arrest. Having served as a soldier in no less than two regiments inside of a month and having had many experi-ences, John Hamilton thought it was

Dr. Cook states that the man came o him on Saturday suffering from an tion has been referred to High Conattack of "nervousness" and wanted treatment. The physician attended to police force. him, but a little later he came back for more. He was told that he had

Fire, the origin of which is unknown, broke out in the carpenter works of Albert Welch in the rear of 33 East Richmond street at 10.45 o'clock last night and before it was put out damage to the extent of \$300 was caused, mostly by flooding and the breaking of glass.

Conductor Died in Hospital.

Frank McMullen of 62 Strathcona avenue, a street car conductor died in

avenue, a street car conductor, died in the Western Hospital at 6 o'clock yes-terday morning, from a fracture of the skull which he received when he fell skull which he received when he fell in the board's in in the board's it is all a is in possession. Oners, with Mr. C., Toronto, got im "possession." lest and Trustee by say that "posnest and three children. The wife will get \$20 a month as compensation, and the children \$5 a month until they are 21 years of age.

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## ITALIANS CLOSELY **BLOCKADE GORIZIA**

Guns Mounted on Temporary Platforms Sweep Whole Austrian Front.

AERIAL RAID ON RIVA ITALY TO DECLARE

Railway Station of Lake Garda Town.

LONDON, July 26.—A despatch from Udine, Italy, via Paris says: "For the first time since the Italians began op-erations against Gorizia, Lieut. General Count Cadorna, chief of staff of the Italian army, has been personally directing the battle in the presence of of Aosta; cousin of his majesty. The operations against this important Austrian town have been pushed with extreme intensity. The Italian engineers have constructed new bridges across the Isonzo River, made new roads and erected temporary fortifications and gun platforms. Meanwhile the scouting service, the cavalry and airships have been co-operating, while the Italian artillery has swept the Austrian front with a concentrated fire The Italian general staff's official report says: "On the afternoon of July 23, two of our seaplanes flew over Riva and dropped eighteen bombs on the railroad station with excellent results. The enemy's artillery fired on the machines without causing any nale D'Italia advocated the partici-

damage. "In Carnia, during the night the 24th-25th, enemy forces attacked our positions at Somdogna Pass, but broad hint from the government the were promptly repulsed. "In the Monte Nero region the enemy tried to arrest our offensive, delivering three fierce attacks on posiions conquered by us on the crest of Luzinica, but were repused by us with

### great losses. PLEASED AT WESTON.

Lieut. A. D. Corelli, who is attached to the 75th Battalion C.E.F., was at Weston yesterday, inspecting the plaoon raised from recruits in the town. He said he was pleased with the appearance and smartness of the men and feels sure they will make a name for themselves and the town they represent.

"There is little need for the recruit ng officer to visit our district," said Lisle, of the West Fairbank Ratepayers' Association, 'as practically all the married men have enlisted.

Present Charge is Vagrancy, ASK OTTAWA TO INSTAL

Night and Decided on

A meeting of the West Fairbank presiding.

The Jelay in the installation of a siderable length. H. Grenfield romarked that the situation was becoming more difficult owing to the number of to the front, and to work in factories in England. "The women cannot con-

C. Lisle could not understand the f \$15 from Joseph Lester, his room- postoffice had been recommended by the postal officials.

It was decided to write the postmaster-general at Ottawa; W. F. Mac-le.n. M.P., and Postmaster Ross, in order to hasten the installation. ences. John Hamilton thought it was not a very far jump to the profession of medicine, and now Dr. Lorne H. Oeck of 141 1-2 Jarvis street alleges that the soldier stole a valuable set that the soldier stole a valuable set

The matt r of better police protec-Owing to the large number of mem-

matters in the section.

HOLD RECRUITING MEETING Soldiers Who Have Returned From Front Will Speak at Dundurn Heights.

A recruiting meeting will be held at Dundurn Heights, 850 West St. Clair avenue, tomorrow evening commenchave promised to attend and address the meeting will be J. Castell Hopkins, and a number of soldiers who have reand a number of soldiers who have re-

INSURANCE OF SOLDIERS.

David Brunton, secretary of officia committee, appointed by the various ratepayers of the Township of York. has now completed all arrangements for the monster mass meeting in favor of insurance of township soldiers to evening, at 8 o'clock, when the ratepay-ers of all associations interested are architects, are: Masonry, H. N. Dauinvited to be present. The following speakers are expected to be present: Mayor Church, Aldermen Ryding and Rev. D. D. Frank, Todmorden and Mr. Hawkins of the Empire Club.9

FIRE IN EARLSCOURT.

Shortly after 7 o'clock yesterday ev ening an outbreak of fire occurred at the unoccupied one-storey solid brick house situated at the corner of Prescot and St. Clair avenues, Earlscourt The damage is estimated at \$300. Earlscourt and neighboring fire reals were notified and were quickly on the

# **WAR UPON TURKEY**

Relations Near Snapping Point -Press Urging Expedition.

GERMANS SHIFT MEN

King Victor Emmanuel and the Duke Big Movements of Troops Coing on in Germany Somewhere.

BY GORDON GORDON-SMITH

ecial Cable to The Toronto World. MILAN, July 26 -- Since the visit of General Porro, assistant chief of the Italian staff, to Paris, a change is visible in the altitude of Italy toward chers at the Humber. the war with Turkey and Germany.

Some time ago, when the government pation of Italy in the Dardanelles exbroad hint from the government that this was undesirable and the campaign stopped at once. When The Popolo D'Italia later took up the question the article was suppressed by the censor. These orders have evidently been rescinded, as that journal yesterday demanded war with Turkey and the article was allowed to appear. It is further pointed out that hence-forth it will be idle to keep up the fiction that Italy is not at war with Germany, as it has been proved that German troops are taking part in the

operations against Italy. Campaign Against Italy A violent campaign against Italy will soon begin in the German press. The Muenchener Neueste Nachrichten declares that a systematic campaign has been begun by Italy against Turkey, on the same lines as those which culminated in war with Austria.

The Kreuz Zeitung accuses the Italian Government of preparing publie opinion for the extension of the war to Turkey. The German press ex-pects that the intervention of Italy

# **WAS GREAT SUCCESS**

SOLDIER WANTED MORE Ratepayers Discussed Matter Last More Than Two Hundred Dollars Received, Which Will Be Spent for Soldiers.

The garden party and "tag day" Ratepayers' Association was held last given by the Lambton Mills Rifle Club evening in Caledonia Hall, C. Lisle on the Lambton School grounds, held yesterday, and in which all the local churches took an active part, was remarkably successful. A feature of the new postoffice was discussed at con- afternoon was the demonstration of rifle loading. Capt. Howell and Lieut Hutcheson were in charge of this dopartment. Supper was served in a large marquee and during the evening men who have gone from the district Dr. Margaret Patterson, W. Hopkins to the front, and to work in factories and Lieut. Seely gave brief addresses, H. P. Hammond, secretary of the Boy Scouts, presented the local ride reniently spare the time to walk to club with a magnificent Union Jack Fairtank and Itave their homes," he and the band of the Highlanders rendered a delightful program of milltary music. The amount realized was more than \$200, which will be Armstrong on the charge of the their g cat delay, consilering that the given to the Red Cross and Soldiers' Comfort Club. The committee hav-ing the affair in charge were: Rev A. S. Bamford (chairman), Captain Howell, H. C. Jarvis, Mrs. McDonald, M. A. Harland and J. Anthony, sec-

### BOWLING CLUBS IN FRIENDLY MATCHES

Three rinks of the Unionville Bowling Club played a friendly match with the Markham Club last night on the latter's green. The match was keen! contested thruout, two of the Union ville rinks tying with Markham, while for more. He was told that he had had enough, and when he was refused any more, it is alleged that he stole the set of instruments and a quantity of the morphine.

Fire, the origin of which is weeks from date.

School Trustee Duncan Hood briefly addressed the members on school Took, and which has been been school to the section. York, and which has been up for competition for two years.

on the first occasion, the handsome trophy was won by Markham, while last year a Unionville rink, skipped by Frank Frisby, was successful in carrying off the prize. This year the competition, which begins at Markham on Aug. 16, bids fair to be more keenly contested than ever.

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A jitney service has been established between Markham Village and the city, terminating at the Danforth avehours, and including the Village Unionville,

WYCHWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The chief librarian fulfilled his pro mise that within 24 hours of the de-livering to the public library board of cy & Son; carpentry, Chas. Cooper & Son; plastering, W. H. Little; painting, E. G. Roberts & Co.; conduit wiring, R. A. L. Gray & Co.; T. Eaton Co.; roofing, A. Matthews. Ltd.: roof truss, McGregor & McIntyre; plumbing, Sheppard & Abbott; Cleating, A. W. Wilson.

WYCHWOOD CIVILIAN RIFLE CO. The Wychwool Civilian Rifle Co. rifle ranges, in the ravine of the R. J. Fleming estate, St. Clair avenue, are now used by College Heights and To-

ronto Police Rifle Associations as well as the Wychwoods. WHO IS HOLDING UP NORTH TORONTO?

Editor World: Do my fellow-citizens n North Toronto know that the set-element of the street railway question on Yonge street north of the C. P. tracks, and the building of the municipal car line on Meunt Pleasant road, are both being deliberately held back in the interest of a great real estate proposition at the Humber? A certain city newspaper seems o be aiding the plot. The promoters of this scheme do not want to see any other portion of the city get ahead before they have a chance to float out their property on the market, pos-sessed of a single fare street railway service, before other parts have the same advantage.

Even if the city could buy the Metropolitan franchise on Yonge street up to York Mills on easy terms, and thus secure a better and cheaper service, the proposal would be blocked. Papers sympathetic with this object never open their mouths against the attempt of the cemetery trust to get an exorbitant sum for the right of way thru Mount Pleasant. This cemetery trust is used and has been used right along to block the whole of the north end of the city in order to aid some very prominent land but-

## HALF OF OIL STRIKERS WILL RETURN TO WORK

Fair Play

English-Speaking Men Respond to Appeal of Sheriff-Foreigners Demur.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Developments in the strike situation at Bayonne, N.J., tonight indicated that probably half of the approximately 5000 employes of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey would return to work tomorrow morning. In response to an appeal by Sheriff Eugene Kinkead at a mass meeting tonight, the English-speaking men and American citizens among the employes agreed to return to work, altho the foreign-speaking element earlier in the day refused an offer from the company which the sheriff had urged them to accept.

cept.
It is estimated that 1500 men signifed it is estimated that 1500 men signifed work, and WITH VICTORIA REGIMENT.

Captain Harbottle, who was well-known in Toronto four or five years ago, and who has offered to go on active service with the C.E.F., is, it is understood, about to be gazetted with a Victoria regiment, under the comniand of Col. Ross.

War to Turkey. The German press expects that the intervention of Italy bill have an effect on the hesitating English or are American citizens. What the foreign-speaking element will do when the others go back is problematical. Sheriff Kinkead declared he had every means to protect the men if they returned to work, and their intention of returning to work and the probably half of the employes speak English or are American citizens. What the intention of returning to work and the probably half of the employes speak English or are American citizens. What the inte open at the regular time tomorrow

## Partnership Insurance

We know of a case where the death of a partner has caused the remaining partner serious financial embarrassment. If he had had a substantial Imperial Life Partnership Insurance Policy on his deceased partner's life, the moderate premium for which could have been paid out of "profit and loss," he would easily have been able to tide over the severe strain.

For a moderate premium

one may provide against

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men trading in partner-

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selves and their business interests. The Imperial maintains its policy reserves on a stronger basis than does any other Canadian life ascurance company.

## ANTI-RECRUITISTS **GUILTY OF TREASON**

Montreal Military Authorities Will Take Action Against Socialist Interrupters.

POLICE GIVEN ORDERS

Mayor Martin Instructs Constabulary to Stop Speeches Against King.

MONTREAL, July 26.-Indication that the military authorities are losing patience with organized attempts on the deed of the property on the cor- the part of Socialists and others in ner of Bathurst and Melgund streets the district to halt recruiting was exbe held in Cook's Hall, St. John's work would commence. The successmoad, West Toronto, on Thursday
evening, at 8 o'clock, when the ratepayevening, at 8 o'clock, when the ratepaydistrict. Col. Wilson, speaking particularly of the Champ de Mars demonstration and the breaking up of a recruiting meeting at Parc la Fontaine

on Friday night, said: "These men are taking much greater chances than they seem to realize. Such speeches and attempts to stop recruiting similar to that which occurred on Champ de Mars today, are treason. Steps will be taken to deal

ther." The colonel added that to take any procedure in such cases it would be necessary to have a certified shorthand report of the speeches and witnesses.

The police have been instructed by the mayor to arrest anyone verbally attacking the King, and to break up meetings at which seditious speeches are made. Mayor Martin ordered the chief of police to take this action after council meeting this afternoon, at which the Champ de Mars demonstration was freely discussed and con-

## PREPARING BIG THINGS FOR FIRST ANNIVERSARY

Riverdale Park to Be Decorated and Special Bandstand Erected.

> Park Commissioner Chambers conferred with the mayor yesterday in reference to the big "gala day" to be held on Wednesday, August 4, at Riverdale Park. The commissioner will have a large band stand erected and have colored electric lights running

around the park. The Don free bathing station has become a most popular resort, and Commissioner Chisholm said yesterday, that it was necessary to put a man on guard there to protect the little swimmers.

Only three members of the board of control met at the city hall yesterday morning. Controllers O'Neil and Fos ter were absent, so nothing was done District Chief Gunn appeared before the board again and thru his lawyer

asked when the Acting Chief Smith would make his report. The mayor said it had not been presented yet, but that he would see Mr. Smith. Altho the property commissioner had lined up 30 men to go to work at Parry Sound and had their railway tickets purchased he was only able to send 17 away as the others failed to with the matter if it goes any fur- is not given to fits of anger, but he ther." show up. The amiable commiss ment served up by these supposed "willing to works."

THOUSANDS PERISH IN CHINA.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—The loss of life in Canton, China, due to fire and flood, is estimated in tens of thouands, according to a report today from Admiral Winterhalter, command ing the Asiatic fleet. The gunboat Gallac took 100 bags of rice to Shuyhing on July 16 and resoued missionaries and 50 blind girls from the dykes of that town.

## Something Unique in the Dahlia Family

Mr. Ralph Wade, 21 Riverdale avenue, who is an amateur florist of no mean ability, has a curiosity in a twin dahlia bloom-two complete. distinct blooms from the one stem. Mr. Wade will be pleased to show this curiosity to anyone who will call.

What has been accomplished by Mr. Wade in the way of producing magnificent flowers can be accomplished by any who will apply themselves, with the aid of the new book on agriculture now being distributed by The World.

# 'Making Money From the Soil'

will instruct you as to the manner in which to cultivate flowers for your amusement and pleasure, and vegetables for your table. The methods required in the successful production of the various fruits, bee culture, and, in the larger sphere of agriculture, the care and enrichment of the soil. This wonderful book will be of inestimable value to the city dweller with a small plot of land, as well as to the large agriculturist with his hundreds or thousands of acres.

"MAKING MONEY FROM THE SOIL" can only be obtained thru The World on their popular Coupon Plan. Obtain it now, as the offer will soon be withdrawn, then you will have to pay double, or perhaps three times, what it would cost at present. See the certificate on another page, and get yours today.

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