STUDENTS ALLOWED TO COMPLETE TERM

Few Months at Most Allowed to Nearly All Applicants for Exemption.

In the afternoon appeal court yesterday, Judge Coatsworth refused the appeal of J. C. Lumb, 227 Huron street, who said he was a dental student. He also said he had worked on a farm every summer, but his honor stated his case was too weak.

J. B. Thompson, Knox College, a third-year medical student, stated that he appealed before a local tribunal board, but they did not understand anything about food production. He also produced a doctor's certificate showing that he was deaf. He was allowed until class two is called, or until he ceases to be a farmer.

J. H. G. Lindsay, 244 Lippincott street, stated he was a Jamaican. "And I'm 21 today," he added, in answer to Judge Coatsworth's question as to his age. He appealed on domestic grounds, stating he had to support his widowed mother and three sisters. He had one brother who would like to enlist, he said, but his mother would not allow him to go.

Must Persuade Mother.

"Persuade your mother to allow him to go and I will exempt you," said his honor, and his case was deferred until Monday.

A. W. McGarval, Toronto University, a second-year medical student, was granted exemption until he completes his second year.

R. B. Gilkie, Knox College, was allowed until class two would be called.

Jacob G. Blaty, 642 Spadina avenue, a first-year dental student, in winter, works on his father's farm in Manitoba in the summer. He said he had four brothers, the eldest being 19 years of age. He also said he had five sisters at home. Exemption was granted until class two is called, or until he ceases to me employed on the farm.

Allowed Four Months.

Donald W. McKay, General Hospital, a fifth-year medical student, was allowed until he completes his course, not to exceed in any case four months.

"You ought to be a lawyer; you put your case so nicely," said Judge Coatsworth, when W. N. Connell, a fourth-year medical student, pleaded his case. He said he had 18 months to complete his course and also asked for another medical examination. He was sent to be re-examined.

J. R. Miller, Central Y.M.C.A., a fourth-year medical student, asked to be allowed to finish his course before proceeding overseas. "I can only give until the end of this term," said his honor.

May Appeal Again.

"What shall I do then?" asked the applicant.

"Appeal again," said the judge.

He was given an extension of five months.

"It's a pity to lose a husky-looking man like you," said Judge Coatsworth as he placed Harvey S. Threlkeld, 264 Brunswick avenue, in class two. Exemption was claimed on the grounds of domestic and financial obligations, Threlkeld stating that he was the sole support of his widowed mother and also his sister.

TOOLMAKERS EXEMPT UNTIL FIRST OF JUNE

Contention of Machinists' Union Upheld By Mr. Justice Duff in Case of Four Skilled Men.

The contention of the 1,700 members of the local branch of the International Union of Machinists that a machinist or a toolmaker, as such, is too necessary to the industrial demands of Canada in the war to be drafted into the home or overseas army, has been practically upheld by Chief Justice Duff of Ottawa.

Thos. Leonard Miller had been granted exemption only until January 13, 1918, by Toronto tribunal 366; Clarence Skelley and Gordon Potter had been refused exemption by tribunals 349 and 359 respectively, and the military representative of tribunal 364 had appealed against the exemption granted to Harry Walker by that tribunal.

Mr. Justice Duff has ruled that all these men are competent toolmakers, and has deemed it advisable to avoid drafting qualified toolmakers into the army so long as they are continuously employed as machinists or toolmakers, and has therefore ruled that in all such cases exemption should be granted up to June 1, 1918, the question of extending this period of exemption to be then considered in the light of the then existing circumstances.

DRINKS WATER FROM ENGINE.

Flight Sub.-Lieut. Robert Leckie, D.S.O., Ill of Poisoning.

Flight Sub.-Lieut. Robert Leckie, D.S.O., the first Canadian to bring down a zeppelin, is suffering from poisoning due to drinking water from the radiator of his machine. He is under treatment in a hospital in England. Lieut. Leckie, who is attached to the royal naval air service, while flying in a seaplane, found two aviators with their machines in the water and in danger of drowning. He went to their rescue. Altho he got them aboard his machine, the added weight made it impossible to rise, and the trio were forced to remain at sea for two days. During this time the only available water for drinking was that in the radiator. Lieut. Leckie is a nephew of John Leckie of Toronto.

"I'VE NEVER FOUND ANYTHING LIKE IT"

Mrs. Holden Says Tanlac Made Her Feel Like New Person—Gains Seven Pounds.

"I'm just delighted with what Tanlac has done for me," said Mrs. Dora Holden, wife of a well-known employe of the Cudahy Packing Company, residing at 59 Edwin street, Toronto, recently.

"I have taken many different kinds of medicines in my life," continued Mrs. Holden, "and I can truthfully say I have never found anything to compare with Tanlac. I was in a badly run-down condition and failing health for at least a year. I had no appetite, and what I did eat seemed to give me no nourishment. My nerves were all shattered, my sleep unsound, and I always felt as tired in the mornings as if I hadn't slept at all. I had fallen off until I weighed only ninety pounds and just kept going down. I was pale and sallow, had no life or strength and never felt like turning my hands to a thing. In fact, I just felt worn out, tired and miserable all the time. But I certainly feel altogether different now.

"I have just started on my third bottle of Tanlac, but before I finished my first bottle I felt decidedly better I never thought it possible for a medicine to give such quick and satisfactory results. My appetite is fine, I enjoy everything I eat and have already gained back seven pounds of my lost flesh. My nerves are perfectly quiet now, I sleep like a child and get up in the mornings thoroughly refreshed. My tired, worn-out feelings are gone entirely; I have plenty of new life and energy and simply feel like a new person."

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MARINE ENGINEERS ASKING FOR INCREASE

Great Lakes Executive of the National Association in Conference Here Decides on This Step.

Delegates from the Great Lakes Executive of the National Association of Marine Engineers are in the city, and yesterday afternoon they were in conference here and drew up a new wage schedule. Exactly what the new schedule is has not been ascertained, but it is said to be in the neighborhood of from $1,440 to $2,160 a year for chief engineers, and from $1,15½ to $1,800 a year for second engineers. The figures have not been given out for publication, but are believed to be fairly correct. The present wage scale is as follows: $960 to $1,500 a year for second engineers, and $1,200 to $1,800 a year for chief engineers.

In view of the huge estimates drawn up by the emergency shipping board of the United States, involving the construction of a number of ships never before paralleled, the United States Government regulations have been so changed as to recognize Canadian certificates at face value for the period of the war, thus permitting Canadian engineers to work in the Great Lakes territory governed by the United States, and at wages current in that country, to the benefit of the engineer in Canada, where the wage schedule is appreciably lower.

HOP CASE RESERVED.

Ontario License Board Withholds Judgment Concerning Contract.

Judgment was reserved in the case which came before the Ontario License Board yesterday concerning the British Columbia Hop Company and the Berlin Lion Brewery Company. Under section 54 of the Ontario Temperance Act no person shall take action for the purpose of enforcing a contract made for the purchase of hops when the contract was made prior to April 27, 1917, unless permission be granted by the Ontario License Board. It is this permission which the hop company requested, in order that it may sue for payment of the difference between the contract price and the price at which the hops were actually sold when the brewery refused to take them.

GENEROUS CONTRIBUTORS OF ADVERTISING SPACE.

The Toronto Press Committee of the Victory Loan regret that in the public acknowledgment of the space donated by various patriotic concerns, and the list of these advertisers, which appeared in The World in December, the following were omitted. This committee, therefore, wish to do justice to the generosity of these concerns, and thank them, with the others, for their public spirit: Trusts & Guarantee Co., Limited, Imperial Oil Co.

WAGES BEHIND IN RACE.

Freight rates on the great lakes steamship routes are said to have increased from 50 per cent. to 75 per cent. during the past three years. During the same time wages in the general sense of the term are said to have advanced only 15 per cent.

PARTICULARS NOT AVAILABLE

Senator Nicholls and H. H. Williams interviewed Premier Sir William Hearst yesterday in regard to the coming patriotic fund and Red Cross campaign, and while it is understood the government will take a prominent part in the raising of more money, definite particulars were not available.

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ROSE AVENUE SCHOOL FORMS ASSOCIATION

Old Boys' Organization Will Look After Comforts for Former Pupils Now at Front.

There was formed last night in one of the club rooms of St. Simon's Church, Howard street, what will be known as the Rose Avenue School Old Boys' Association. H. P. Carr, principal of Winchester Street School, was elected honorary president, Mr. Carr was assistant principal at Rose Avenue School at the time these "old boys" attended and was later principal. George Mayrick was elected president and Ross Curran, secretary.

Rose Avenue School has the proud distinction of having scores of its former pupils at the front, on active service or home from active service and ever since the outbreak of the war those overseas have been cared for in the matter of various comforts and smokes by a band of enthusiastic women composed of mothers and wives and friends who have worked unceasingly for their welfare. It is to assist these in carrying on the work and if possible augment their efforts, that this association, comprising former Rose Avenue scholars, who are at home, as well as some who have returned from the front, has been formed.

At the organization meeting last night, ways and means were discussed and immediate action is to be taken. The committee is very anxious to hear from all "old boys" with a view to getting into touch with them in this project.

LONDON DELEGATION TO TALK HIGHWAYS

Authorization of Revised County System to Be Discussed at Parliament Buildings.

A delegation from the London, Ont., County Council is expected at the parliament buildings on Wednesday, January 16, when a conference will be had with Deputy Minister of Highways W. A. McLean and other representatives to discuss the authorization by the highways department of the establishment of a revised county road system for Middlesex.

The object of a bylaw recently passed by the county council was the establishment of an interprovincial highways system under which the county would receive a grant much larger than that at present allowed. To make the system complete the City of London was asked to co-operate by inaugurating a suburban road area. Commissioners were to have been appointed, but this did not materialize so far as London was concerned.

TO FINANCE PIPE LINE.

Hon. T. W. McGarry, provincial treasurer, was in Ottawa yesterday in consultation with Sir Thomas White, minister of finance, on several matters concerning Ontario. One of these, it was learned at the parliament buildings yesterday, is the financing of the new pipe line at Niagara which is to carry a third supply of water for the development of electric power during the construction of the Chippawa plant.

SIGN COMPANIES SUFFER.

T. J. Macey of the Macey Sign Company, in discussing the recent order of Sir Henry Drayton, power controller, says it is a knock-out blow to the manufacturers of electric signs, but does not believe the order applies to lighted signs. It is stated that a firm like the E. L. Ruddy Co., affected even indirectly, would lose from $10,000 to $15,000 by a strict working of the order.

SMALL SHIPMENT FISH.

A small shipment of government fish from Lake Nipissing was received thru the department of fisheries yesterday and placed on sale in Toronto. It is reported that there is an active demand for Lake Erie herring, which is being sold by the provincial government in a panned frozen state.

RAILWAY USED HYDRO.

Special to The Toronto World.

Chatham, Ont., Jan. 10.—The Chatham, Wallaceburg and Lake Erie Railway was operated yesterday for the first time with the use of hydro-electric power. For some time the road has been practically tied up, as a result of the low gas pressure, which is used to generate the current for the road. So successful was the test that it is quite likely the road will continue to use the hydro for operation.

CANADA'S AIR HERO DESCRIBES FIGHT

Major Bishop, Premier Airman, Speaks Before Empire Club in War's Interests.

Major Bishop, Canada's phenomenal flying hero, had the largest audience on record at the Empire Club yesterday, when he very modestly detailed a few of his experiences in fighting the Huns in the air. He was introduced by Chairman Norman Sommerville, in most laudatory but well-deserved terms and when the chairman sat down Major Bishop rose and said:

"I am not a speaker, but I have resolved in the last ten minutes, if ever I go on the stage or into vaudeville or exhibit myself as any kind of menagerie, I know whom I will engage as my manager." Great laughter greeted this sally, which was renewed when Mr. Sommerville exclaimed: "I accept."

Major Bishop's simple narratives could not have been more dramatic had they been recited by a trained actor. The thrill of the bright face of danger passed over the audience and broke into applause again and again as he described a fight with four enemy machines in the upper air, while going at the rate of 150 miles an hour, or chasing balloons near the ground at a speed of 200 miles an hour, or dodging the enemy when the enemy had the advantage of position.

Major Bishop concluded with an appeal for a fuller realization of the demands of the war.

"What we have gone thru is absolutely nothing to what we have ahead of us in the next few months," he said. "We have reason to be proud of Toronto, but you must do more. Get after the people who have not done their share and bring them up to the mark."

Major Bishop returns to the front next week.

Dr. Albert H. Abbott has assumed the duties of secretary of the Empire Club, vice Mr. Dow, whose business engagements compelled him to resign.

LODGES

LOYAL NORTHERN LODGE.

At the annual meeting of Loyal Northern Lodge, M.U., I.O.O.F., No. 9252, in the Eglinton Orange Hall, the following officers were installed by T. Hastings, P.P.G.M.: F. Scott, P.G.M.; M. Greenaway, N.G.; F. Windfield, V.G.; H. Bond, F.S.; A. D'Argent, R.S.; A. Chitty, treasurer; Sister Mrs. Bejbin, I.G.; Mrs. Thornborow and F. Windfield, auditors; W. Fellows, A. Chitty and Mrs. Thornborrow, trustees.

WESTERN DISTRICT OFFICERS.

Annual Meeting L.O.L. Held Last Night in Orange Hall.

At the annual meeting of Western District L.O.L. in the Western District Orange Hall, the following officers were elected: W. Stewart, W.D.M.; G. Bush, W.D.D.M.; N. Thomas, chaplain; A. Robertson, D.R.S.; T. Spence, D.F.S.; A. Connor, D.T.; F. Adam, D.D. of C.; John J. Tennison, and W. Collin, D.L.'s; E. Mansfred, J. Gard, and W. Tuck, auditors; F. Connor, I.T.; T. Phair, O.T. The proceedings were presided over by T. W. Self, county master, and A. A. Gray, past county master.

YORK CHAPTER OFFICERS.

Annual Meeting G.R.C. Held in Eglinton Masonic Hall.

York Chapter No. 62, G.R.C., at its annual installation meeting in the Eglinton Masonic Hall, installed the following officers, the ceremony being performed by Rgt. Ex. Co. R. J. Gibson: M. Engers, 1st P.; R. Shaw, 2nd P.; F. Markham, 3rd P.; C. Murphy, S.E.; A. J. Goldsmith, S.N.; Very Ex. Com. D. Robertson, treasurer; J. Cleeland, P.S.; A. J. Brown, S.S.; H. Jennings, J.S.; A. Thomas, M. of 4th V.; A. B. Dalby, M. of 3rd V.; C. Wilmott, M. of 2nd V.; J. Cook, M. of 1st V.; F. Walker, janitor. During the evening a presentation of a past first principal's jewel was made to the retiring principal, W. C. Norman, by the Ex. companion and the regalia pertaining to the office of grand steward to Very Ex. Com. D. Robertson, on behalf of the chapter. Following the installation a very pleasant 4th degree was held.

KING SOLOMON LODGE.

In the Masonic Temple last evening, King Solomon's Lodge, A. F. and A. M., No. 22, G.R.C., installed the following officers, the ceremony being performed by Wor. Bro. R. A. Woodley, assisted by other past masters of the lodge: J. C. McMulkin, W.M.; C. T. Hoare, S.W.; H. A. Moffat, J.W.; A. J. Prest, treasurer; Don MacKay, secretary; J. M. Laing, assistant secretary; Hugh Rose, S.D.; T. Taylor, J.D.; Wm. Anderson, jr., I.G.; W. H. Hoare, S.S.; Percy Adams, J.S.; W. H. Scott, chaplain; R. McClelland, D. of C., and E. Harris, organist.

VIOLA REBEKAH LODGE.

The annual installation meeting was held last evening by Viola Rebekah Lodge, No. 53, I.O.O.F., in the Oddfellows' Temple, the following officers being installed by Sister Mrs. Warwick, D.D.P., assisted by her suite: Miss Lucy Steane, N.G.; Mrs. Etta Box, V.G.; Miss H. M. Thornton, P.N.G., R.S.; Mrs. Middleton, W.R.A., F.S.; Mrs. Lee, treasurer; Mrs. Chadwick, warden; Mrs. Wood, conductor; Mrs. Boyd, chaplain; Mrs. Sherman, R.S.N.G.; Miss Ewart, L.S.N.G.; Mrs. C. Miller, R.S.V.G.; Mrs. Hume, L.S.V.G.; Mrs. Sands, I.G., and Bro. Colin MacKay, O.G.

BALANCE ON HAND.

Financial Report Given at Meeting of Mystic Link Rebekah Lodge.

At last night's meeting of Mystic Link Rebekah Lodge, No. 102, I.O.O.F., in the Oddfellows' Temple, presided over by Mrs. Dawson, acting N.G., the financial report was submitted, which showed a balance in hand of $125, and a membership of 200. It was also reported that there was about $50 in hand for the overseas fund. There are nine of the brothers overseas, for whom the lodge is paying the due, and is also sending parcels to them. One is a prisoner of war in Germany, and the members are paying $4 a month for bread for this member.

JOINT INSTALLATION.

A joint installation meeting was held last evening in the Oddfellows' Temple, by Toronto, No. 8, and Coalesce No. 105 Encampments, I.O.O.F., when the following officers were installed by John A. Ferrier, D.D.G.P.: Coalesce Encampment: C. O. Peters, C.P.; A. Cohen, S.W.; G. H. Couter, H.P.; H. Isbits, F.S.; P. C. H. Falk, R.S.; R. W. Wilson, treasurer; M. J. Tobias, J.W. Toronto Encampment: W. Butler, C.P.; W. Boucher, H.P.; E. F. Dowdlet, S.W.; H. W. Terry, F.S.; J. E. Jeffries, R.S.; A. Chadwick, J.W., and H. W. Taylor, treasurer.

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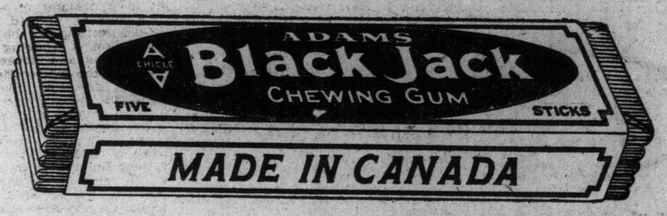

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APPLICATION OF CITY BEFORE BOARD TODAY

Decision Asked of Railway Board Regarding Metropolitan Division of York Radial Railway.

At 11 o'clock this morning the application of the City of Toronto in which it asks for a ruling regarding the Metropolitan Railway within the city limits will be heard by the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board at the parliament buildings.

The case is of interest to the citizens at large in that the board is asked to determine the compensation, if any, the city should pay to the Toronto & York Radial Railway Company for its Metropolitan division. It is also requested to name the value and conditions under which running rights should be granted.

It is expected that lengthy legal proceedings will take place, since the city is desirous of knowing how the sum of $1,860,000, which is the value stated on the franchise, was arrived at when the physical assets are said to be about $110,000.

BELONGS TO SOLDIER.

J. Greenberg, De Young Co., 70 West Queen street, has picked up a pocketbook containing papers, money, letters and photographs. It would appear from the addresses on the letters that the pocketbok belongs to Pte. L. L. Jolhe. The owner may claim it by applying to Mr. Greenberg.

DEVELOP PEAT FIELDS.

Acting Mayor O'Neill has written to the bureau of mines asking whether or not it is possible to develop the peat lands of Ontario for the production of fuel. He has also asked the department for information in regard to the hardwood supply of the province and its availability as fuel.

TWO HOTEL LICENSES CANCELLED YESTERDAY

One Case Stands Until Appeal of Proprietor of Hotel is Decided Upon.

Two standard hotel licenses were cancelled by the Ontario License Board yesterday because of violation of the Ontario Temperance Act, and one case stands for appeal. George Crippall, proprietor of the Pine Tree Hotel, 650½ West Queen street, asked and was given until the end of this month to dispose of his business.

Joseph McLachlan, Strand Hotel, will be minus a license the end of next week, while W. H. Miles, owner of the Shamrock Hotel, stated he would appeal against the board's decision. Until the appeal has been decided upon no further action will be taken.

MANY ESCAPE TAXES.

According to figures issued by Assessment Commissioner Forman, there is a total of $87,375,684 of Toronto property exempt from taxation. Of this a large part is exempt from taxation by provincial statute, and $3,006,338 is exempt by special agreement between the city and the owners of the property. It is liable to war tax only. About $150,000 is liable to school and war tax only. It is largely Hydro property.

MANY SHARE SEWER COST.

Having spent several weeks grading the assessments of West Toronto property owners who will have a share in paying for the Bloor street outlet sewer, the assessment department mailed the notices to the taxpayers affected yesterday. Nine thousand two hundred and sixty notices were sent out, and filled four huge mail bags.

TEN RETIRING MEMBERS SAY FAREWELL TODAY

City Council for 1917 to Hold Last Meeting This Afternoon—Presentation to Ald. Dunn.

This afternoon the old city council will meet for the last time. No business will be transacted, but farewells will be the chief order of business. Ten members of the 1917 council will pass out. They are: Controller Cameron, Controller Shaw and Controller Foster, and the following aldermen: Donald C. MacGregor, Garnet A. Archibald, Louis M. Singer, William Fenwick, John Dunn, Frank Whetter and Alfred E. Burgess.

There will be one or two other features to the meeting in addition to the valedictory addresses. Ald. Singer promises to enliven the affair by demanding an explanation of why so mnay citizens off foreign birth, living in his ward, were left off the voters' lists. Controller Cameron may also make reference to a number of his election cards, which, he alleges, were delayed by the postoffice until after election day.

Ald. John Dunn, the dean of council, who retires after about twenty years' service, will be presented with a suitable memento by his associates.

LEGISLATORS GATHERING.

Every day brings its quota of members to the parliament buildings following the announcement that the session will open February 5. Yesterday among those who paid a visit were William Proudfoot, K.C., leader of the opposition; John R. Cooke, M.L.A., North Hastings; William D. Black, M.L.A., Addington; Robert H. McElroy, M.L.A., Carleton; George S. Henry, M.L.A., East York; and F. W. Hall, M.L.A., South Lanark.