LIGHT-LT. FLEMING, NATIVE OF LONDON, KILLED IN ACTION

...n of Atwell Fleming Recently Spoke in City.

...LYING SINCE THE START

...fted Young Man Was Stationed in Argonne Region.

Flight Lieut. George Fleming of Toronto, a London Old Boy, has been killed in action. The particulars of his death are not at hand. Alf. Talbot, his uncle, was notified last evening by Lieut. Fleming's father, Atwell Fleming of Toronto.

Lieut. Fleming was born in London about 25 years ago, his father, Atwell Fleming, was superintendent of The Advertiser Job Printing Company. He was educated in the public schools here, but left for Toronto in his teens, when his father removed to that city. He was a student at Toronto University for a time, and was a most successful scholar.

On Duty in the Argonne.

When war broke out, he enlisted in the Royal Flying Corps. After a training course here, he was attached to the Naval Squadron, and went to the Ardenne country, where he took part in numerous raids.

Last December he was allowed to come home on leave, and spent Christmas in Toronto with his father and the other members of the family. He came to London shortly after the New Year, and delivered a fine address at the Canadian Club on the work of the Flying Corps. He returned to England in February, where he rejoined his unit.

A Gifted Young Man.

No details of how or where he met his death have been received. He was a most gifted young man, intrepid, courageous, and a fine type of citizen. He was well known to many citizens, and his loss is deeply deplored.

CRICKET GROUNDS DUG UP TO INCREASE PRODUCTION

Hospital for Insane Sacrifices Playing Field to Necessity.

The greater production campaign has been taken up in a practical way at the Hospital for the Insane, with the result that the cricket grounds, comprising three or four acres, and plots that for years have been used for lawns, are being plowed up and put under cultivation. The aim is to increase production to the capacity of the land available. Potatoes or beans will be planted in these "reclaimed" plots, and the superintendent, Dr. Robinson, today stated: "The lawns and cricket grounds will be all the better in years to come for the change."

Much of the ground is not available for gardens, owing to the number of trees. Seeding operations are under way, and this is an especially busy time for the farmers and gardeners at the Hospital.

ORDERS CAR OF SPUDS, GOVT. TAKES THEM

The Ontario Government seems to be taking all the potatoes in sight, according to reports received here.

A local merchant on Saturday received a telegram saying that he could have a carload of potatoes from Port Arthur. The tubers could be laid down in London at $3.60 a bag. He at once wired acceptance of the car lot, only to be informed that the Ontario Government had stepped in and bought them for the Agricultural College at Guelph.

The merchant is disappointed, as he had received orders from a large number of people who wanted them for seed potatoes.

WILL PUBLISH PAPER FOR BOYS IN TRENCHES

St. Andrew's Young People Secure Grant of $150 From Church.

The young people of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church are planning to publish from time to time a little journal in order to give the boys of the congregation enlisted for overseas service news of the church and city in breezy, compact form. A meeting of the session and board of management of the church was held following the evening service on Sunday, when the sum of $150 was voted towards the project.

PRESENTS PETS TO RETURNED SOLDIERS

Police Court Clerk Makes Gift of Squirrels and Cages.

A presentation of three black squirrels and one flying squirrel to the soldiers at Central Military Convalescent Hospital was made on Saturday afternoon by Police Court Clerk John Moule. The cages containing the little animals were also donated. The gift was received with appreciation by the men at the hospital.

Mr. Moule has taken a great interest for years past in animals, and has always been active in urging the establishment of a municipal zoo, which he hopes to see here before many years.

WINS BEAUTIFUL ELECTRIC CLEANER

Mrs. J. Watson, 122 Dreaney Avenue, Draws Lucky Card at Pure Food Show.

A great deal of interest was shown in the free Vacuum Cleaner contest at the Hydro exhibit, Pure Food Show, last week. Nearly a thousand cards were signed and dropped into the ballot box, and on Saturday night an eager and expectant crowd thronged the hydro exhibit, waiting for the drawing to take place.

At about 10:15 the box was unlocked, the cards taken out and put in the cylinder of an electric washer, which was carried out into the centre of the dance floor, and the drawing made by Mayor Stevenson.

Mrs. J. Watson, 122 Dreaney avenue, with card No. 921 was the fortunate winner of this superb cleaner, and Mrs. Watson is to be congratulated upon her good luck. The Frantz Premier is one of the finest and most up-to-date electric cleaners on the market.

CARD OF THANKS.

The family of the late George Wells wish to thank their many friends and acquaintances for the kindness and sympathy shown to them in their recent sad bereavement.

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LOCAL NEWS

Forty boys and girls received their first holy communion at St. Mary's Church at the 9 o'clock mass Sunday morning. Rev. Father Kennedy, the pastor, administered the sacrament, and later briefly addressed the communicants.

VISITS OF D. D. G. M.—Dr. C. H. Ziegler, D. D. G. M. of the A., F. and A. M. for this district, will visit officially at Mount Olivet Lodge, Thorndale, on Tuesday evening, and at Doric Lodge, Lobo Village, on Thursday evening.

PUPILS' RECITAL.—The recital at Conservatory Hall was given Saturday afternoon by the following pupils: Iris Burt, Ronald Nutter, Florence Langton, Edna Barbour, Helen Langford, Stewart Hayes, Kenneth Cooper, Marian Beattie, Jean Meek, Margaret Gillies, Erma Berry and Lizzie Kohl.

ADJUST SOLDIERS' CLAIMS.—There will be a session of the council committee to adjust claims for soldiers' insurance on Saturday. There are 8 claims to be dealt with, 6 of them coming on the civic insurance fund. These claims arise from the recent London casualties.

94 YEARS IN LONDON.—W. Peters, 130 Wharncliffe road, West London, on Saturday celebrated his 94th birthday. He has lived in London all his life, and still retains much of his mental alertness and keenness. A number of friends dropped in on him Saturday to congratulate him.

PRESENTATION TO MISS WEBB.—Miss Kathleen Webb, who has resigned her position in the revenue office of the Bell Telephone Company to enter St. Joseph's Hospital Training School, was made the recipient of a beautiful fountain pen and watch by the office staff.

GUESTS OF MOTHERS' CLUB.—The Aberdeen Mothers' Club and teachers entertained a number of returned soldiers Friday night at the school. The evening was spent in playing old-time games, while an exceptionally fine musical program was provided. Refreshments were served. Those taking part were Misses Louisa Swan, Field, Marjorie Davis and Mrs. Perry and Messrs. Winnett, Lewis, Parker, Crossley and Master Charlie MacArthur.

MONTH'S FIRE LOSS.—The fire loss for the month of April was between $6,000 and $7,000, the larger portion of this having been suffered by Sir George Gibbons in the fire which destroyed his stables. The figures for the month show that 25 alarms were turned in, 22 of these being fires; 2 of this number false, and 1 a chimney blaze. Twenty-one were telephoned in and four turned in from alarm boxes.

PTE. ROY FLEMING WOUNDED.—Word has been received by E. M. Fleming of Woodstock, formerly of this city, that his son, Roy, had been admitted to a military hospital in France. He is suffering from severe shrapnel wounds in the left leg, received during the battle of Vimy ridge. Pte. Fleming was employed as a linotype operator in Vancouver at the outbreak of the war and enlisted in a machine gun section.

GROCERS' HALF-HOLIDAY. — One thing that brings to the householders' attention that summer is approaching is the fact that the grocery stores have made an announcement that commencing with Wednesday of this week, the half-holidays will start for the summer months and continue every Wednesday throughout the warm weather. Householders therefore will have to arrange from this week for the purchasing of all necessities as the stores will close at 1 o'clock each Wednesday.

CHILDREN'S SERVICE.—A bright and interesting children's service was held Sunday morning in Knox's Presbyterian Church, South London. There was a large turnout of the younger people. Children's hymns were sung and the sermon was especially for the boys and girls. Rev. J. G. Stuart spoke on "Seeing God," and impressed the lesson that people become like the things they fix their thoughts and attention upon. If they keep their eyes upon things that are pure and holy they will become pure and holy also. If they fix their eyes upon Christ, they will become like Christ.

NURSING DIVISION TO MEET.—The recently organized St. John Ambulance Nursing Division, of which Mrs. J. B. McKillop is superintendent, will meet this evening for the first time for practice in the rooms of the Hamilton Gault Chapter, I. O. D. E., in the Royal Bank Building. The division already has 22 members, and others wishing to join must apply in writing to the secretary, Miss Ella Davis, 515 William street. All members have successfully passed their first aid and home nursing examinations, the passport for entrance to the division. In order to maintain and raise the standard of efficiency of the organization, practices will be held on the first and third Monday evening of each month. Attendance at twelve practices a year is required to retain membership. This evening bandaging drill will be the order of the program, under the inspection of Dr. Cleese. The new division is offering its services for V. A. D. work in connection with the Central Military Convalescent Hospital. The officers are: Superintendent, Mrs. J. B. McKillop; first officer, Mrs. E. Nelles; keeper of stores, Miss Ruth Wardrope; secretary, Miss Ella Davis; treasurer, Miss Eulalie Young.

DUKE COMES MAY 21, 22, OR ONE WEEK DATER

Details of Entertainment Forwarded by City Clerk.

City Clerk Baker has been asked by Col. Henderson, Ottawa, in charge of the arrangements for the tour of the Duke of Devonshire and party, to give the details of the series of entertainments to be given the vice-regal party on their visit to London.

He mentions in the letter that there may be a postponement for a week, on account of the proposed visit of Hon. Arthur Balfour, British secretary of state, to Ottawa. The date of this visit has not been definitely set.

However, Col. Henderson assured Mr. Baker that the visit would be on Monday and Tuesday, either May 21 and 22, or May 28 and 29. Mr. Baker has forwarded the information.

RUSH OF CITIZENS TO SECURE SEED POTATOES

General Manager E. V. Buchanan of the utilities commission, who secured 50 bags of seed potatoes at a small price, is overwhelmed with requests for the tubers. He is trying to secure more, in order to meet the demands.

"We have taken the names of those desiring these potatoes, and will distribute them as far as they will go," said Mr. Buchanan. "We could use a much greater quantity."

ACTING AS ASSISTANT

Dr. Harris Serving City Until Settlement Is Reached.

Dr. Harris, an assistant at the Institute of Public Health, will take over the work of Dr. W. S. Downham, assistant medical officer of health, pending the settlement of the difficulties between the board of health and council. He has had considerable experience in the matter.

THE MONTH'S BUILDING

During the month of April, there were 135 building permits issued for a total of $83,020. This is remarkable in the number of permits. There is a great deal of small work being done, generally repairs. Of the total for the month, $20,000 was for repairs to the Western Fair buildings for the militia department.

The totals for the month were slightly in advance for April, 1916. Last year, the permits for the month totalled $82,550, or $300 less than this month. The total for the four months to date is $162,060, as compared with $150,765 last year at this time.

HUN ADMIRAL DEAD.

Amsterdam, Via London, April 30.—The Berlin Vossische Zeitung announces the death of Vice-Admiral Kaller von Kaisenfels, chief of the Austrian navy department.

COLD WET WEATHER, ALLY OF PNEUMONIA, TAKES MANY LIVES

Many Aged Citizens Succumb During April.

BOYS LEAD IN BIRTHS

Seven Illegitimate Children Born, Highest Number in Many Months.

The vital statistics show that April has joined the "pneumonia" months. The cold, backward spring was productive of this disease, no less than 20 of the 90 deaths registered having been from this cause. March and October are generally the worst months for pneumonia, but April seems to be taking the front rank. The cold, showery weather, so different to the usual April showers and sunshine, have worked to bring on the ailment.

April was also a hard month on old people, no less than 32, or more than one-third, being over 70 years of age. Thirteen infants passed away. Other than pneumonia, there was no particular disease responsible for many deaths. Tuberculosis, and its kindred afflictions, caused 7 deaths, while cancer caused 6. Diphtheria was responsible for one child's demise.

There were 112 births, or 9 less than during April of 1916. Of these 57 were boys and 55 girls. There were 7 illegitimate births during the month, the highest total in many months.

Marriages practically held their own, there being 47 recorded this month, and 48 for the same month in 1916.

BALFOUR AND POPE DISCUSS PROBLEMS OF THE CANADIANS

Dominion's Experience Will Be Helpful To States.

Washington, April 30.—Mr. Balfour spent the morning in conference with Sir Joseph Pope of Ottawa. The problems Canada has faced both in raising an army and in industrial and agricultural mobilization were similar to those now facing the United States, and Canadian experience would have great value in aiding American officials. The two greatest questions probably are the increase of food exports and of shipping tonnage.

The British wheat commissioner, A. G. Anderson, who is also chairman of the British, French and Italian wheat purchasing commission, has already found in conference with American officials that his experience representing entirely a purchasing nation differs from the experience he brought here from a producing nation. This has suggested the difficulty that at present there is no central authority to represent the United States.

Lord Eustace Percy, Britain's trade representative, continued his conferences with British embassy officials and British naval and military officials continued their detailed conferences with American experts.

McADOO'S SCHEME.

Washington, April 30.—The federal reserve board has recommended to Secretary McAdoo of the treasury department, that funds to be raised under the $7,000,000,000 war finance loan could be obtained gradually by offering to the banks of the country, blocks of treasury certificates to be retired later with bonds every two weeks. Indications are that Secretary McAdoo soon will announce the offer of another block of certificates. The proceeds would be applied to the loans to be made to France and Italy, which will total from $200,000,000 to $300,000,00.

THE FOOD BILLS.

Washington, April 30.—The administration food bills were introduced in the house today by Chairman Lever, of the agriculture committee. They do not cover price fixing or control of the use of grains for distilling liquors. These subjects will be covered in a bill to be introduced later. The bills introduced today are designed to stimulate production, prevent hoarding, make for equitable distribution and suspend the law prohibiting the mixing of flour. They contain provisions to prevent conflict with the anti-trust and interstate commerce laws.

GREAT ARTISTS AND FAMOUS ORCHESTRA TO APPEAR AT FESTIVAL

The Russian Symphony Orchestra, which will be heard Tuesday and Wednesday at the London May Festival, is one of the few noted orchestral organizations on this continent which maintains its ensemble throughout the entire year. There is practically no dull season for the Russians, for after their winter series of concerts in Carnegie Hall, New York, is finished, the round of spring festivals begins and of late years these appearances have kept the orchestra on the go until the end of June. Constant playing together gives the orchestra an ensemble that has been frequently likened to the playing of one man. This point has been particularly emphasized in recent reviews. After a concert in the United States capital, a few weeks ago, the critic of the Washington Evening Star wrote:

"So perfect is the playing of this remarkable organization that its playing has the appeal of an individual performnce."

And in far-away California, this same quality was noted by the musical editor of the San Francisco Examiner, who said: "Altschuler plays his orchestra as perfectly as a master organist controls the keys; and the organ is a wondrous one, with men and instruments of the finest material available."

In conjunction with the Musical Art Society choir, Handel's immortal oratorio, Judas Maccabaeus, will be given tomorrow night. The plan is now open at Heintzman's.

NO POWER TO NAME ASSISTANT TO M. O. H.

City Clerk Baker has been informed by City Solicitor Meredith that neither the board of health nor the council has the right to appoint an assistant medical officer of health. The board has power to name health inspectors, and it may be that the difficulty in naming an assistant to Dr. H. W. Hill, medical officer of health, may be overcome in this way.

The opinion of Mr. Meredith will be forwarded to the board of health and the council for action.

Dr. W. S. Downham, who has been assistant for about three years, severed his conenction with the department today, and will go to Byron Sanatorium, where he will be assistant to Dr. Craig.

Health conditions will be in rather a bad way, it is said, unless an assistant is named for Dr. Hill.

NEW ACT CLEARS UP BUSINESS TAX PUZZLE

Assessment Commissioner Stephen Grant has received a copy of the amended assessment act, and one amendment is of interest.

It makes it clear that a person is liable for business tax whether he dies or changes his place of business.

The assessment department has always held this to be the case, but the act makes it clear to those who object to the payment of this tax.

MILITARY NOTES

CAPT. ROWSON RETURNS.

Capt. W. W. Rowson, paymaster of No. 1 Military District, who has been on temporary duties at militia headquarters, Ottawa, has returned to assume his duties here, and Lieut. J. T. Scarfe, who has been handling his duties here, has gone back to Toronto.

Major F. M. Spry, assistant director of supplies and transport, in this district, has also returned from Toronto, where he was attached for temporary duty for a short time. Major J. C. Allan, who has been acting as A. D. S. T. in his absence, left on Saturday to report back to headquarters of Military District No. 2, Toronto.

ON DUTY AT GALT.

Lieuts. E. D. Hutchinson and W. P. Tew of A. M. C. Training Depot No. 1 have been detailed for duty temporarily with the details of the 122nd Battalion still remaining at Galt, according to camp orders today.

JOINS 64TH BATTERY.

Lieut. Donald P. Guthrie of the 11th Battery has been appointed to the 64th Battery at Guelph, camp orders state today.

GOES FROM TORONTO.

Among the members of one of the Toronto units which left for the east on April 24 was Pte. J. R. Flannigan, who until about five years ago was a resident of London. Pte. Flannigan was a native of London Township, and is the son of George Flannigan, a wholesale butcher of Masonville, and he himself has been employed as foreman at the Swift Abattoir, Toronto. He left this country exactly one year from the day on which he enlisted.

Pte. Flannigan has a brother and a brother-in-law in France at the present time. His wife and children reside in Toronto.

WEDDING BELLS

CHENEY-FLETCHER.

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Thursday afternoon, April 26th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Connor, of Mrs. Connor's youngest sister, Alma B. Fletcher, to Robert J. Cheney. Rev. F. Barbour of Colborne Street Methodist Church, officiated.

The bride looked charming in her travelling suit of navy blue broadcloth, with blouse of georgette crepe, and a smart tailored hat of Japanese braid, and wore a corsage bouquet of sweet peas and roses.

Miss Beatrice Fletcher was her sister's bridesmaid, while Mr. Cl. Rankin was best man.

A reception followed the ceremony. Later Mr. and Mrs. Cheney left for a short honeymoon trip west. On their return they will reside on Oxford street.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

FUNERAL OF ELI OLDRIDGE.

The funeral of Eli Oldridge, who died on Thursday, was held Saturday afternoon from his late residence, 16 Woodward avenue. The funeral services, which were of a private nature, were conducted by Rev. Dr. C. B. Flanders of the First Methodist Church, and interment took place at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

The pallbearers were H. Tozer, J. Moore, Fred Rossiter, H. Thorne, Thos. Wilson and J. Wilkins.

FUNERAL OF MR. BIRD.

The funeral of William Bird, who died on Friday, was held from his late residence, 149 Kent street, on Sunday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dr. G. B. Sage, who also officiated at the grave in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

The pallbearers were William, Herbert and Stafford Bird, R. Kennedy, A. Bottom and D. Taylor.

PERSONAL MENTION

Hon. Dr. Jamieson, speaker of the Ontario Legislature, and Mrs. Jamieson spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Martin, 268 Ridout street.

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A. J. Brenton of Winnipeg spent the week-end with his partents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brenton, Bruce street, before going on to his home in the West.

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Mrs. F. M. Spry, wife of Major Spry, of the headquarters staff at Wolseley Barracks, has returned to the city after spending two months with friends in California.

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Mrs. W. E. Stephens (nee Frieda M. Heard) will receive informally the first and third Thursdays of each month at 192 Waterloo street.

CRONYN BOYS BOTH WELL

Capt. R. H., on Furlough, and V. P. Is Leaving India.

Major Hume Cronyn today received a reassuring cable from his son, Flight Capt. R. H. Cronyn, who has been on duty on the west front, to the effect that he is well and in London, England, on furlough.

The other son, Flight Lieut. V. P. Cronyn, has received notice of his transfer from India to the west front.

EXAMINING PUPILS FOR PHYSICAL TRAINING

The examination of pupils in the public schools for prizes under the Strathcona Trust, in physical training and military skill will commence this week. C. R. Somerville and A. T. Taylor will conduct the examination in the schools in the north end of the city, while J. K. H. Pope and Capt. Slatter will examine the schools in the south section.

Inspector Edwards is anxious that all the schools make a good showing, and is urging the teachers to devote as much time as possible to this work.

"The importance of physical training and education has been overlooked," said Mr. Edwards. "It is just as important as the three 'R's,' in spite of the objections of some. It will hold a greater place in the curriculum of the future than at the present time. Our pupils, I think, will do well, but there is much room for improvement."

BIG SHAKE-UP ORDERED OF FRENCH ARMY OFFICERS

Paris, April 30.—The appointment of Gen. Petain as chief of staff is generally welcomed as a timely reform which had long been advocated by military experts. Gen. Petain, as technical advisor to the Government, will occupy very much the same position as Gen. Sir William Robertson in London, and will be responsible for the general conduct of operations wherever French troops are engaged.

In addition to this appointment, it is understood that the Government contemplates various other measures of reorganization, based on an examination of the military situation and the lessons taught by the recent operations. The Petit Parisien says that services whose working has been shown to be defective will be overhauled, and that changes will be made among leaders whose talents could be more advantageously used. The paper adds that this will be done "without prejudice to the disciplining of those who, whatever their previous services have committed faults and made mistakes."

WAR PRISONERS STRIKE.

Kiev, Russia, April 29.—Via London.—Prisoners of war employed on municipal work here have gone on strike. They demand an eight-hour day and better working conditions.

CASH GRAIN.
Chicago.

Chicago, April 30.—Wheat—No. 2 red, No. 3 red and No. 2 hard, nominal; No. 3 hard, $2 30.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, $1 58¾@1 60; No. 3 yellow, $1 57½@1 60; No. 4 yellow, $1 56¼.

Oats—No. 3 white, 70¼@71½c; standard, 70¾@72c.

Rye—No. 2, nominal.

Barley—$1 25@1 52.

Timothy—$5@6.

Clover—$12@17.

CASH PROVISIONS.
Chicago.

Chicago, April 30.—Pork—$38 22 per barrel.

Lard—$21 90@21 95.

Ribs—$20 30@20 75.

TAXI DRIVER AIDS IN CAPTURING MAN WHO TOOK JOYRIDE

Young Soldier "Borrowed" Oliver Ellwood's Car.

ABANDONED IN COUNTRY

Machine Considerably Damaged and Left On Road Near Nilestown.

Seized with a sudden impulse to take a joy ride, and not having an auto of his own, Gerald Barkwell, a youthful member of the Canadian Engineers Detachment located at Carling Heights, jumped into a Briscoe car owned by Oliver Ellwood, secretary of the utilities commission, left standing last evening in front of Memorial Church, and satisfied his desire for excitement. Barkwell found the adventure to be more expensive than he anticipated, and today he appeared in police court charged with the theft of the car, valued at $1,000. He elected summary trial and pleaded guilty. Asked by the magistrate why he had stolen the car, Barkwell replied, "Just because I wanted a little ride." He was remanded to jail one week for sentence.

Others Not Charged.

After taking the car he invited three other young men to go for a ride. They accepted, but none were charged with any offence. The car was driven within a few miles of Nilestown and there abandoned, having broken down. It was brought into the city this morning by Emmanuel Charlton, a taxi driver, who picked the young men up in London East and drove until he met a patrolman, when he handed them over. Barkwell stated that he enlisted two months ago, and prior to that time was employed in the local branch of the Dominion Bank. His commander stated that his record during his term of enlistment had been exemplary. Magistrate Graydon informed him that his past record would be given every consideration in passing sentence. "It was my intention to impose a heavy penalty as a lesson to you but I will have more facts concerning your past presented before sentencing you," said the magistrate.

Barkwell's relatives are residents of the city. Mr. Ellwood stated that the auto has been damaged to the extent of $50 in addition to the cost of getting it towed back to the city.

Another $200 Fine.

Peter Berasuck, 65 Maitland street, was fined $200 and costs in police court today on conviction of having kept liquor on premises other than a private dwelling. He paid the fine. The information was laid following a fight at Berasuck's boarding house at the above address two weeks ago, when several Russians were arrested and fined in court for disorderly conduct. Berasuck testified that he did not know that the liquor was in the house although he admitted having a few drinks but did not know, he said, where it came from.

George Reardon and William Wilson, both employed at local liveries, were found not guilty when each was charged with having solicited and received illegally orders for liquor. Inspector Keenleyside had seized a case of whiskey on Friday last at the office of the Canadian Express Company addressed to H. Lamport, 68 Oxford street. Lamport testified that he had never ordered the whiskey, but that Reardon had informed him that the case would be sent in Lamport's name to the latter's house.

Steal Groceries From Car.

Frank Kingsland, a munition worker, and Melville Link, a baker by trade, pleaded guilty in police court today to the theft of a quantity of groceries from a C.P.R. freight car left standing on a siding at Crumlin station. They removed the groceries from the car and secreted them a short distance away. Returning on Saturday night they were caught by railway detectives. Link is known as the man with the "musical heart" and had just been released from jail a week ago after serving a three months' sentence on conviction of selling liquor without a license.

Two youths, William Russell and Arthur Craig, pleaded guilty to disorderly conduct and were fined $10 and costs each. Two young women who were arrested in company with them in a vacant house on Colborne street, were remanded to jail for one week. Patrolman William Middaugh, who made the arrest last evening, said all four were in September morn attire when arrested.

Put Up an Argument.

Three persons were fined $10 and costs each, for being drunk. The first two pleaded guilty, but the third, an Irishman, insisted that he was as "sobe" as a judge." He launched forth into an oration that would have made Demosthenes turn green with envy, but when four patrolmen testified he was drunk, he threw up his hands and said, "Alright, I'm through."

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montreal, April 30.—Sales: Brazilian, 110 at 38½ to 38; Steamships, 500 at 38¾ to 39⅜; do., pfd., 460 at 86½; Civic Investment, 161 at 79 to 79½; Quebec Railway, 55 at 28; Toronto Railway, 23 at 83; Montreal Loan and Mortgage, 35 at 165; Ontario Steel, 20 at 22½; Spanish River, 50 at 18; do., pfd., 35 at 50; Wayagamack, 375 at 74 to 73; Steel of Canada, pfd., 50 at 93; Dominion Iron, pfd., 30 at 90. Bonds: Riordan Paper, $10,000 at 96½; Sherwin-Williams, $2,000 at 100¼; Bank of Commerce, 27 at 186½.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.
[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.]
Toronto, April 30.

	Ask.	Bid.		Ask.	Bid.
Am Cy.p	59	55	Spanish.	15½	14
Abitibi..	11¾	11¼	do pfd.	51	50
Brazilian	38	37⅞	St Chem.	..	12
Burt, c..	85	80	do pfd.	..	40
do pfd.	90	89	Stl Can..	60¼	59¾
C Bread.	17	15	do pfd.	93	92½
do pfd.	84	80	T Paper.	87	86
C Car..	29½	28	Tor Ry.	82½	80
do pfd.	70	68½	Tuckett's	20	19
Cement.	60½	59½	do pfd.	80	78
do pfd.	93	92	Tw City.	91	90
C S L...	39¼	39	Win Ry.	68	..
do pfd.	86¼	86⅛	Banks—		
CG Elec.	108½	107½	Com'rce.	..	186
C Loco..	61	59	Dom...	207	..
do pfd.	..	90	Hamil'n	192	..
C P R..	161	159½	Imperial.	104½	..
C Salt..	135	130	Molsons	185	..
C Dairy.	..	30	N'Scotia	257	..
do pfd.	70	..	Ottawa.	202	..
ConLife	375	350	Royal..	213	..
C Smelt.	28¾	28¼	Stand..	209	..
Con Gas.	165¼	165	Union...	..	139½
Cr Nest.	70	..	Loans, etc.—		
Canners.	24	..	C Land.	157	155½
Detroit.	115½	114	C Perm.	172¾	171
Dome....	..	1600	C Invest.	..	75
D Steel C	60⅞	60½	H Prov.	..	141
Duluth..	..	50	H & E..	210½	208½
La Rose.	50	45	20% pd..	..	195
Mackay.	85½	84½	L Bank..	..	146
do pfd.	65½	65	L & C..	130	129½
M Leaf..	107	105	N Trust	212	..
do pfd.	..	94½	T Trust	212	..
Monarch	..	40	T Mort...	..	138
Nipis'g.	770	730	Bonds—		
NSSteel.	91½	90½	C Bread.	93	92½
P Burt..	39	36½	Mex Elec	35	27
do pfd.	..	80	M L & P	45	35
Petrol..	1413	1338	P Rico..	85	..
P Rico..	38	30	S Paulo.	82	80
Quebec..	28½	27½	Spanish.	88	..
Riordon	115	114	Stl Can..	100	99
Rogers..	70	..	War Loan, 1925...	96	95½
do pfd.	..	90	War Loan, 1931...	95	94¾
Russell.	80	75			
do pfd.	105	104			

STANDARD STOCK AND MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, April 30.—Morning mining sales: Boston Creek, 1,000 at 88, 500 at 87; Dome Lake, 500 at 19; Dome Mines, 70 at 15¾; Elliott, 1,000 at 34, 500 at 34½; Imperial, 4,000 at 3¾, 400 at 3; McIntyre, 450 at 167, 1 at 170; New Ray, 2,800 at 149; Porcupine Crown, 1,500 at 58, 500 at 57; Preston, 2,000 at 4⅝; Teck-Hughes, 500 at 60, 200 at 58; Vipond, 1,400 at 41; West Dome, 500 at 24; Beaver, 300 at 37; Crown Reserve, 700 at 35; Gifford, 1,000 at 4; Cash Hargraves, 2,500 at 16½, 400 at 16¼; Kennebeck Consolidated, 2,000 at 28; La Rose, 100 at 5½, 1,000 at 9¼; Shamrock, 1,200 at 21; Seneca, 100 at 1½; Temiskaming, 6,750 at 43, 500 at 42½.

MANY MEN PLACED ON CITY ACREAGE; MORE ARE NEEDED

Ald. Manness Working Hard On Urban Production.

47 MEN READY TO WORK

Lot Required On Wharncliffe Road—Where To Apply For Land.

"Anyone who wants to get on the land in the city and help with production should apply to me or to Industrial Commissioner Philip at the city hall," said Ald. Sam Manness this morning.

Ald. Manness has been doing nearly all of the work toward greater production in the city by means of community lots and parcels of land for individuals to work.

"Up to the present time I have secured 47 men to go on the land, and I have also done the work in connection with the community gardens, which will be worked by fifty women. Those who want to secure land to work should get in touch with me. I'll give them something to do."

Ald. Manness states that he proposes to look into the fish situation, as it involves the shipping of fish from Port Stanley to American points. He believes Ontario, which grants the licenses, should have first chance at Port Stanley fish.

PRIVATE SOLDIER IS THE REAL HERO, SAYS CAPT. IVEY

Honors of the War Go To Mr. Thomas Atkins.

INDIANA MAN SPEAKS

Tells Rotarians That Uncle Sam Is in War To Finish.

Capt. Chas. Ivey, who served some months with the Engineers at the front, and returned to take over the management of a munitions plant, was the speaker at the Rotary Club lunch at noon today. He gave a vivid account of his experiences at the front. Capt. Ivey was formerly secretary of the club.

After signing up with the Engineers, he took a course in training at Ottawa, later going to England. Here he received further instruction, and finally found his way to France.

"The worst time I spent there was when our first casualty happened," he said. "I will never forget it, and I do not think any man who has the experience will be able to forget the horror of the first death among his men."

Later his battalion took part in the operations at the Somme, "the best little bit of hell in the world."

Honors to Privates.

"The honors of this war must go to the privates," he declared. "Amid all their discomforts, their danger and their hard work, they are always cheerful, always ready for anything, and never grumble. They are the real heroes of the conflict, and I take off my hat to these men. They are truly wonderful."

Mr. Ivey gave some humorous stories of the men at the front. An officer in charge of a mortar battery, located some 200 yards from the front line trenches, wanted to get back to the gun. A heavy barrage was on, and he telegraphed the gunner in charge, "What is the location of the gun," he asked. The answer came back "rough."

Rotarian Noblock of South Bend, Ind., was a guest of the club, and presented the greetings of the South Bend Rotarians.

In to the Finish.

"I am glad to come here, since we have thrown ourselves into your arms," he declared. "I want to tell you that the United States is in this thing to the finish. I would have gone 500 miles to hear Theodore Roosevelt in Chicago on Saturday night, if I could. We have a lot of men like him, too. We are going to see this thing to a finish."

Ensign Martin of the Salvation Army made a plea for support in the campaign to raise $25,000 for the Salvation Army Rescue Home. The rtquest was supported by Dr. H. A. McCallum and C. R. Somerville, and indorsed by the club.

Two new members, Rev. H. H. Bingham and Albert Mitchell, were introduced.

RESTORED TRAINS CARRY CROWDS ON FIRST RUN

The new timetable issued by the Grand Trunk Railway, which went into effect at 12:01 o'clock this morning, at the same time restored to their former runs a number of passenger crews who have been doing freight duty since November last. The Huron and Bruce train, northbound, which left at 8:30 o'clock this morning, was crowded to capacity. The Ontario Limited for Toronto at 9 o'clock carried a large number of passengers.

The C. P. R. will make no change in its timetable until June 3 next.

THREE MORE LONDONERS KILLED IN ACTION

Three more Londoners have been added to the list of killed in action, the official report from Ottawa states today. It gives the names and numbers as J. S. Olds, 1[illegible]; R. Davis, 123001; R. M. Gibson, 487442.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.
[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
Chicago, April 30.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	$2 76	$2 79	$2 70	$2 71
July	2 30	2 34	2 23¼	2 26¼
Sept.	1 93½	1 95	1 86½	1 89
Corn—				
May	1 49½	1 50¾	1 48¾	1 49⅞
July	1 45½	1 46½	1 43	1 44¼
Sept.	1 38¼	1 39½	1 35½	1 36⅛
Oats—				
May	70	70⅜	67¾	68¾
July	67½	....	64⅜	65¼
Sept.	57⅝	....	56	56⅝

CHICAGO PROVISION MARKET.
[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
Chicago, April 30.

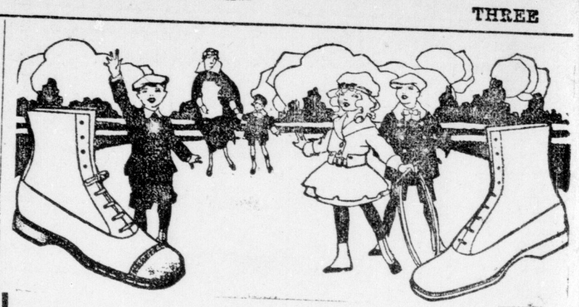
Pork—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	$.....	$38 25	$38 20	$38 22
July	.....	38 70	38 45	38 70
Lard—				
May	.....	21 87	21 65	21 87
July	.....	22 06	21 80	22 00
Sept.	.....	22 10	21 90	22 07
Ribs—				
May	.....	20 80	20 47	20 80
July	.....	20 95	20 77	20 82

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.
[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
Winnipeg, April 30.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	$2 71	$2 72	$2 63	$2 68⅞
July	2 52	2 55⅛	2 47¾	2 49
Oct.	1 95	1 96	1 90	1 92⅛
Oats—				
May	72	74	71½	71⅝
July	69	70¾	66⅞	68⅝
Oct.	62	62	62	62

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.
[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
Minneapolis, April 30.—Wheat—Close—May, $2 57¼; July, $2 32¼.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN MARKET.
[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
Kansas City, April 30.—Wheat—Close—May, $2 78; July, $2 24.



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