### York County and Suburbs of Toronto

## CROWD LIFT HATS TO HELPLESS LAD

Sister of Earlscourt People, a Nurse, Writes From Near Battle Front.



Paris to her relatives, Capt. and Mrs. Weeks, 38 Earlscourt ave-

While we were at the St. Lazare station today 51 of our wounded soldiers boarded the train for Rouen. If the Belgian Relief Fund at the benefit concert in St. Cecelia's Hall by the young people of the church last night The program was a lengthy one, but excellent throut. A feature of the evening was the singing of St. Cecelia's Hall by the young people of the church last night. The program was a lengthy one, but excellent throut. A feature of the evening was the singing of St. Cecelia's Hall by the young people of the church last night the given by the members of the school.

Scotch boy was carried up in the arms of a huge orderly. He seemed to have lost the use of all his limbs, and the growd looking on from each side of the station spontaneously lifted thair hats to him. Staff Capt. Aspinall was busy helping a one-legged man to the carriages and I couldn't help running to fetch a few cakes and small bars of chocolate for them.

There are complete trenches now outside Paris. Only foot passengers, who are carefully looked at, are allowed to pass.

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A man asked me for a lookingmass. He had had his leg taken off and wanted to see how he looked.

Learning that a British soldier had died in one of the hospitals with no one near him who could speak English, I sought and obtained permission to attend his funeral and to resularly visit the institution in future. The hospital was one which admitted no visitors. It has 200 beds, of which see are reserved for British wounded.

Moore Park Ratepayers Stir Up Election Pot This Evening.

## YORK MILLS

LOCUST HILL

A quiet wedding took place at White-vale on Wednesday, December 2nd, when Dr. J. M. Armstrong was married to Miss Anna Jarvis. Tea was served at the home of the bride's parents after the ceremony. Dr. and Mrs. Armstrong left on the 6 o'clock train for their

## WYCHWOOD.

At the annual meeting of Yarmouth Lodge, S.O.E.B.S., in Hillcrest Hall, the Lodge, S.O.E.B.S., in Hillcrest Hall, the following officers were elected:
Past president, M. S. Cooper; president, H. Stollard; vice-president, B. Honess; chaplain, F Browning; secretary, W. Robertson; assistant secretary, F. Thomas; treasurer, W. Gee; first guide, A. Simmons; second guide, E. Taylor, jr.; third guide, H. Browning; fourth guide, A. Dowley; fifth guide, F. Nicholls; sixth guide, J. A. Vallance; organist, James Vallance; inside guard, J. Maddiford, jr.; outside guide, J. Maddiford, sr.

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Fine, Smooth

Mellow, Matchless

Scotch Whisky

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Interesting Convention-Installation of Officers Followed by Banquet.

TELLS HOSPITAL STORY

One-Legged Soldier Wanted to See Mirror — Friendless Dead.

Capt. Whittakar of the army and navy department of the Salvation Army in France, attending the wounded soldiers in the hospitals, in the course of a letter from Paris to her relatives, Capt. and Mrs. Weeks, 38 Earlscourt avenue, says:

Nearly 100 women were present yesterday afternoon at the annual meeting of West Toronto Division No. 268, Ladies' Refamed international Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, held in St. James' Hall. The chief business was the election of officers for the ensuing year, over which Mrs. Watkins, grand inspector from Buffalo, N.Y. presided. A number of other distinguished visitors were present, including Mrs. Mains, the grand officer of Ontario west, and Mrs. Smith, president of Division No. 268, Ladies' Refamed international Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, held in St. James' Hall. The chief business was the election of officers for the ensuing year, over which Mrs. Watkins, grand inspector from Buffalo, N.Y. presided. A number of other distinguished visitors were present, including Mrs. Mains, the grand officer of Ontario west, and Mrs. Smith, president, Mrs. Geo. Johnstone, skill; vice-president, Mrs. Geo. Wanless; treasurer, Mrs. J. Campbell; chaplain, Mrs. Paul; guide, Mrs. J. Morrison; of the installations an excellent program of music was rendered, and the ladies abanquet awaited them. Speeches were made by the newly-elected president and visitors.

Benefit Concert.

Moore Park Ratepayers This Evening.

A very enjoyable concert took place in York Mills schoolhouse last night under the auspices of the A.Y.P.A. of St. John's Anglican Church in aid of the Red Cross movement. The hall was filled to capacity, and an excellent program was provided by local musicians. W. F. Maclean, M.P., occupied the chair. The lid is off the election pot and the ratepayers mean to stir it up a little this evening. Candidates are expected to speak, notably, Controller Church, Aldermen Risk, Rowland, F. S. Spence and Ben Spence. As the two last-named are candidates for the board of control the Moore Park ratepayers are particularly interested in their views concerning the straight road thru Mount Pleasant Cemetery. In fact, the straight road will be the touch-stone by which all candidates will be tested, and those that want a winding circuitious highway will be well advised to stay away from Moore Park Hall tonight.

Tired Waiting.

Hall tonight.

"We know that the council intends to put this road thru," said Secretary W. J. Shaw last night, "but when? For the past twenty years or more we've been speaking about it, and controllers and aldermen and township councillors have come up here and talked about the great efforts they were making to get it done. It's about time for some of these efforts to mature. They've got the authority of the legislature to expropriate, and there's no excuse, for delay.

"We want more hydro lamps, too. We pay our full share of city taxes and don't intend to put up with a half share of street lighting."

President G. A. Hodgeson of the North Toronto Ratepayers' Association has promised to attend the meeting and bring a deputation with him to discuss matters of mutual interest to the two associations.

Motive.

Coroner Dr. McGillivray of Whithy re-opened the inquest into the death of George Hollinger of Cherrywood yesterlay, the village station waiting room being crowded to the doors.

Hollinger, it will be remembered, met his death under mysterious circumstances, his body being found in a well with a stone tied round the waist. Hollinger, it will be remembered, met his death under mysterious circumstances, his body being found in a well with a stone tied round the waist.

Crown Attorney: Farewell examined a number of witnesses, but no evidence developed which threw any new light on the mystery surrounding the case beyond the testimony of Donald Beaton and a resident of Pickering, who had seen Hollinger with over a thousand dollars on his person at different times when he came to do business with them. As he never banked any money and was of a miserly disposition this evidence deepened the general impression that robbery was the motive which led to the murder.

By request of the crown attorney the inquest was adjourned until December 29th to permit of further investigation.

ARMY HORSE INSPECTION.

Corporal Arthur William Watts of the Royal Munster Fusillers, whose home is at 15 Ashland avenue, East Toronto, is the first Canadian to be recommended for the most coveted of all English military honors, the Victoria Cross. Watts dived into the River Aisne under a hall of pullets and rescued a French officer, diving in again to pull the officer's horse ashore. The corporal then went back to the trenches, where he stayed all night in sodden clothes. This brought on a severe cold and a few days later he was sent to the hospital with an attack of malaria fever. When convalescent he was investigation in again to pull the officer's horse ashore. The corporal then went back to the trenches, where he stayed all night in sodden clothes. This brought on a severe cold and a few days later he was sent to the hospital with an attack of malaria fever. When convalescent he was invented to home.

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The Imperial Remount Commission will again begin buying horses in Toonto, starting at the Union Stock Yards horse department on Friday, Dec. 4, at 10 a.m. The inspection will be in charge of Mr. S. Bellamy, purchasing officer, and Dr. J. W. Rider, veterinary. This is certainly good news or the Ontario horse dealers. Some changes have been made in the speci-fications, size of horse being 15 to 15.3, gunner type preferred.

## **CANVASS BRAMPTON** FOR SUBSCRIPTIONS

Patriotic Meeting and Concert Tonight to Start Cam-

BRAMPTON. Dec. 3.—A public meeting will be held in St. Paul's Church on Friday evening in the interests of the Red Cross and Belgian relief campaign, which is to be conducted next Tuesday. Colonel Sterling Ryerson, president of the Red Cross Society fund; Mrs. Plumptre of Toronto will be the principal speakers. The speeches will be lifter-spersed with musical numbers by local talent. It was originally the plan of the Women's Institute to conduct a canvass on the 8th, but when the local patriotic society decided to canvass the town as well, they decided to amalgamate.

The four wards will be represented by the following who in turn will appoint enough canvassers to cover the town in one day: South Ward. T. W. Duggan and Mrs. Quinn: West Ward, Robert Crawford and Mrs. Graham; East Ward, Thomas Thauburn and Mrs. McKechnie. North Ward, L. R. Halnan and Mrs. Jones. The amount desired is \$4000, which will mean about \$1 per head of the population. The result of the canvass will be made known at the high school commencement exercises that evening.

Anniversary services will be held at Caezais Methodist Church next Sunday. On Tuesday evening an entertainment will be given by the members o't the school.

Patriotic Concert.

The patriotic concert given at Mesdow.

Charged With Sending Black
Hand Letters to Caledon
Postmaster.

George Waller, a Toronto carpenter, has been locked up in Brampton jail charged with sending "black-hand" letters to W. Cranstown, postmaster at Caledon East, The first letter demanded that \$500 be tain woodpile, under penalty of dreadful consequences. Mr. Cranstown paid no attention to the first letter, but when he received a second, even more threatening and demanding \$750, he notified the police and sent a reply asking for time to raise the money.

Detective Miller went to Caledon to investigate the case and found that the letters had been posted in the letters.

The case will be tried at Brampton next Wednesday.

KEW BEACH RAPTICES

KEW BEACH BAPTISTS ENJOYED FINE CONCERT

Women's Patriotic League Pre-pares for Bazaar — Conservative Meeting.

There was a large attendance at Waverley Road Baptist Church, Kew Beach, last night at the concert held under the auspices of the young ladies' Bible class of the church.

The contributors to an excellent program were Miss Winnifred Lewis, planist: Miss Alva R. Banks, violinist; Miss Irene Chivrell, Miss Annie Bullock, Mrs. W. J. Street. vocalists: Laurence J. Lugsdin. elocutionist, J. W. McLean, bass, and George Lightwood, 'cello.

The large audience much appreciated the patriotic items and encores were frequent.

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Patriotic Bazaar.

The Balmy Beach branch of the Women's Patriotic League is busy prepartions.

HOLLINGER INQUEST

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Evidence Points to Murder

With Robbery as the

Motive

EAST TORONTO SOLDIER WINS VICTORIA CROSS

Rescued French Officer From the Aisne Under Hail of German Bullets.

R.C. INSTITUTE MEETING.

The members of the Royal Canadian Institute will hold their usual meeting at the Physics Building, University of Toronto, Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Dr. Alexander Fraser, provincial archivist, is expected to give an illustrated lecture on "Sault Ste. Marie and the Early Fur Trade." The public is invited.

MISS ALICE ROWE'S RECITAL MR. CHURCH'S SCHEME DIES.

City Solicitor Johnston reported to the board of control vesterday morning that it was not within the jurisdiction of the Ontario Radway Board to order single fares on the railways during exhibition time. The report was asked for on Controller Church's motion some time ago.

Miss Alice Rowe made a splendid impression on her audience at her first recital at Foresters' Hall last night. Her volce was in excellent condition, the middle notes being particularly coharming. The following assisted: Miss Ruth Robertson. contraito. Herold M. Whelley, tenor; Harry Williams, baritone: A. E. Semple, L.R.A.M., flautist, and Miss Adelaide P. Chelew, accompanist.

Application Made at Osgoode Hall Against Mrs. Gussie

At Osgoode Hall yesterday Mr. Justice Kelly adjourned until Monday the application made by Singer & Singer for an order committing Mrs. Gussie Gross, 57 St. Patrick street, to jail for non-attendance for examination as alwhich it is said once belonged to her sband. On the day of the examination Mrs. Gross did not appear, but a medical certificate was tendered. Three days later an effort was made to serve a notice on Mrs. Gross, but the she is said to have come to the door, she refused to unlock it. The following day David J. Ogie is said to have called at the house but was told that Mrs.

### (ADVERTISEMENT.) To Put On Flesh And Increase Weight

A Physician's Advice.

Most thin people eat from four to six pounds of good solid fat-making food every day and still do not increase in weight one ounce, while on the other hand many of the plump, chunky folks eat very lightly and keep gaining all the time. It's all bosh to say that this is the nature of the individual. It isn't Nature's way at all.

Thin folks stay thin because their powers of assimilation are defective. They absorb just enough of the food they eat to maintain life and a semblance of health and strength. Stuffing won't help them. A dozen meals a day won't help them. A dozen meals a day there" pound. All the fat-producing elements of their food just stay in the intestines until they pass from the body as waste. What such people need is something that will prepare these fatty food elements so that their blood can absorb them and deposit them all about the body—something, too, that will multiply their red blood converses.

Chinese Take No Chances When Paying \$500 Head Tax

Chinamen pay a head tax of \$500 to enter Canada. This gives them freedom of the entire country, and practically all of them work in the laundry business, earning BIG Wages—ten, twelve, fourteen dollars and up each week, including board and room. Their prospects in Canada are bright; there isn't a chance of failure; their race has the monopoly of the business, and the way is prepared all ready for them. They come here to make money, and they risk NOTHING, because the first few months' wages pay back more than the head tax.

Compare the condition of the Chinamen in Toronto this winter with the outlook of thousands of Canadian and British unemployed who are practically facing starvation already.

The object of these articles is to get the co-operation of every patriotic man and woman in the city in the movement to turn more work into Canadian Laundries, so that a practical and widespread means of employment can be created for THOUSANDS of members of the British Empire in our midst who are facing destitution. Help cannot come too quickly-see that your NEXT parcel goes to a CANA-DIAN Laundry.

Toronto Canadian Laundrymen

Mrs. Gross, as she had gone to bed, the time being 7.30. Ogle promised to call not be able to see Mrs. Gross. The following cases are set for hearing in the second appellate divisional

court today: ohnston v. Birrell, Russell v. Thompson, Laduc v. Tinkess, re Ottawa and N. Y. Railway, Johnston v.

Gross had gone to the butcher's. He said he would wait to see Mr. Hyman Gross. After some time Mr. Gross arrived and said it was too late to see on the expiration of his sentence for to the position of chairman of the Just released from prison yesterday on the expiration of his sentence for being an inmate of a disorderly house, George Sabaasky, an Austrian re-servist was rearrested by Detective Twigg and taken to Stanley Barracks. He will be interned until after the war.

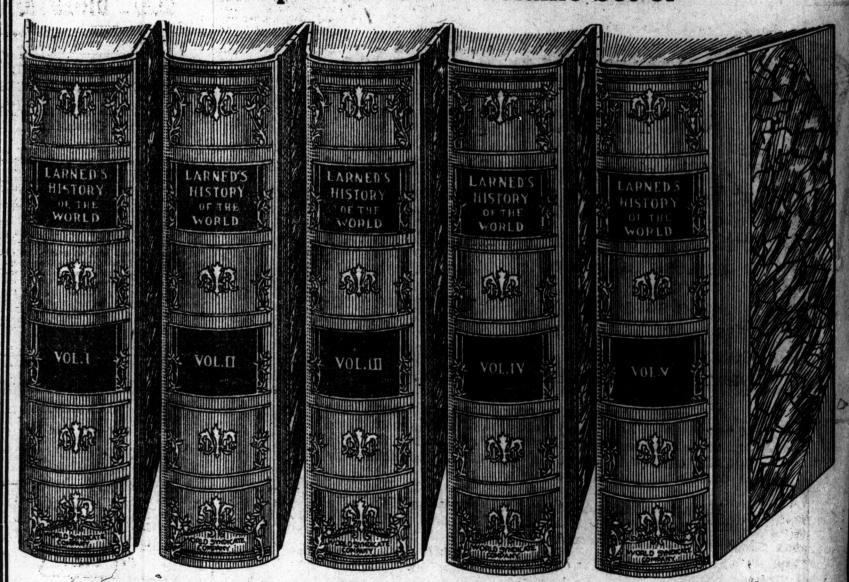
GAS STOVE EXPLODED. Fire, caused by the explosion of a gas stove, broke out in the residence of Charles Drapper, Binscarth road, Earls-court, yesterday afternoon. The damage was small and covered by insurance.

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