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ESSENTIAL NEED OF MEN TO FIGHT, IS ROWELL'S PLEA

President of Privy Council, at Bowmanville, Delivers a Powerful Address.

EXPLAINS THE LAW

Youths Will Be Taken First From City, and From Country After Seeding.

By Staff Reporter.
Bowmanville, April 29.—Hon. N. W. Rowell delivered a powerful address on the need of the new manpower bill fore a fair-sized yet extremely enthusiastic audience in the town hall tonight. It is known that many went to criticize the calling out of the young men from the farms, and this was borne out by the appearance of a body of farmers who held a private rence prior to the general meeting. By their applause it would seem that the speaker's vivid word picture of the extremes to which the government has been forced for want men, owing to the demands made by the recent offensive on the western front, more or less reconciled them to the new law. At the same time Hon. Mr. Rowell promised serious consideration of their representations. That the country is in need of all its men was emphasized most strongly Second to the demand for men came the demand for food. "Of what use is food if the Germans win?" was asked. "Will you mothers hold your sons back while other mothers' sons die on the battlefield to guard the honor of your daughters?" was question flung at the audience. Hon. Mr. Rowell explained that the men from 20 to 22 would be taken from the cities first and from the rural parts second, giving them time to get

the seeding done. Chancellor Bowles of Victoria College, Toronto, spoke briefly and those on the platform included Dr. J. C. Devitt, chairman; M. A. James, Fred R. Foley; J. B. Mitchell, mayor o Sowmanville; J. Thornton, George Stevenson, reeve of Darling-

J. B. Mitchell mayor of Bowmanville, extended a welcome to three returned soldiers and then read an address to Hon. N. W. Rowell, the speaker of the evening, eulogizing him for the stand he had taken in

regard to Union government.
Dr. J. C. Lievitt, chairman, explained that the meeting was planned to launch a Y.M.C.A. campaign in behalf of the Red Triangle Club. In decided to levy a tax to raise the for more food was very urgent. Much ers have done Canada can do," he ob-

Rowell explaining the necessity for leaving the young men on the farms. George Stevenson, reeve of Darlington, introduced the deputation, and C. J. Thornton, former M.P., advanced many arguments in favor of retaining the producers on the soil. He claimed that if the men between 20 and 22 were taken, production would decrease 25 per cent. To send men from the city to take their places would be folly, for modern farming demanded expert knowledge. It will paralyze the farming industries. He asked his andered that the conditions were different in Ontario from those in the west,

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THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Toronto, April 29.—(8 p.m.)—The disturbance is now north of Lake Huron, moving eastward, Showers have occurred today in Ontario and eastern Quebec, but the weather has been mostly fair. It continues fine thruout tne west, rather cool in Manitoba, and warm farther west.

Minfimum and maximum femperatures: Dawson, 18, 46; Prince Rupert, 38, 52; Victoria, 44, 58; Vancouver, 42, 66; Kambops, 46, 78; Edmonton, 28, 68; Calgary, 38, 74; Battleford, 30, 66; Minnedosa, 30, 52; Winnipeg, 30, 82; Port Arthur, 34, 44; Parry Sound, 26, 64; London, 38, 66; Toronto, 44, 62; Kingston, 46, 64; Ottawa, 52, 66; Montreal, 50, 58; Quebec, 28, 62; St. John, 34, 60; Halifax, 28, 56, —Probabilities.—

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh west and northwest winds; showers in a few localities, but mostly fair and a little cooler.

ing by train.

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Ing by train.
Yonge, Church and Bathurst cars westbound delayed 10 minutes at 8.35 p.m. at Simcoe and Front by wagon stuck on track. Bathurst cars delayed 8 min-at 8.07 p.m. at G. T. R. cross-

RATES FOR NOTICES

Eggett.

Funeral on Tuesday, the 30th, at 3

Egg. "General Post" should have excellent audiences during its brief visit to the Princess, which extends only till Wednesday night.

HASSARD-On Monday, April 29, 1918, at her late residence, 292 Indian road, Matilda, wife of Wm. Hassard.

Funeral Wednesday, May 1, at 3 p.m. Motors. LAWRENCE-At her residence, 419 Balliol street, on Monday, April 29, 1918, Mary Ann Smith, beloved wife of G. H. Lawrence, in her 76th year.

Funeral on Friday, May 3, at 2.30 p.m., to Mount Pleasant Cemetary. Service at residence.

McKAY—On Saturday, April 27, 1918, at 430 St. Clarens avenue, Toronto, Marthe town he said the munition industries for the town he said the munition industries.

garet Victoria, daughter of the late Altry was not expanding, because the exander and Elizabeth McLaren McKay, British Government had not the money exander and Elizabeth McLaren McKay, formerly of 430 Manning avenue. Funeral from St. Clarens avenue on Tuesday, at 2 p.m. Interment in Mount

Pleasant Cemetery. Mitchell Advocate please copy. NKERTON-On Monday evening, April 29, 1918, at his late residence, 376 he was glad to have their views on Brunswick avenue, Toronto, John M. Pinkerton, C. E., husband of Lola M. McGill Pinkerton. Funeral from the above address Wed-

nesday at 3 p.m. Rrivate. Please omit flowers. (Motors.) ROBINSON-Suddenly, on Sunday, April 28, 1918, Sarah Margaret ("Sadie"), beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Robinson, 49 St. Clair east, in her 29th

Funeral private, Wednesday, at 2 p.



lationship between the church and the to the last registration. Of these

PLAYS, PICTURES AND MUSIC

"GENERAL POST" PROVES CLEVER ENGLISH COMEDY

Genial "Tom" Wise of Falstaff fame returned to Toronto last night and with William Courtenay, one of Am-

German menace merely calls forth incredulous remarks on the part of the conservative old gentleman, much perturbed at the advanced ideas voucned by Smith (William Courtney), his very excellent tailor. To make matters still more impossible Sir Dennys' daughter Betty (Cathleen Nesbitt), not only champions the handsome young tallor's ideas, but confesses that she is in love with him—a tradesman—and also proposes. She is rejected,

very worthy trade. In the second scene (1915) the tailor

p.m., to St. John's Cemetery, Norway. GOOD VARIETY BILL

to pay for munitions in Canada at the

sand men had been discharged.

What Canada Must Do.

Ethel Clayton. The Six Serenaders in a pretty singing and dancing act are good, as are also Barnes and Pobinson in their song act. Ross, Wyse and the Week" are also interesting.

"SEVEN DAYS' LEAVE" A STORY OF SPIES

McIntyre and Heath, assisted by Otto T. Johnson, in "The Man From Montana," come back to Shea's this week, where they are ever welcome as the kings of the blackface realm. Their long-famed characterizations are even outdone in the new offering which they bring this week, crammed with hilarious lines and riotous incidents. Patricola, billed as the dainty and the tailor goes off to pursue his Notices of Births, significant with the Second scene (1915) the failor has graduated to colone; in the territorials, in which regiment Sir Dennys' son Alec (Reginald Goods), is serving as a lieutenant. The writ son, and lines, additional words and the social shake-up has begun. The situations of Themsel (Berearements). 1.00

CRUST—As result of autymobile accident, on Sunday, April 28, 4918, at Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Eisle Bertha, beloved daughter of Edgar and Alice Lamb Crust, in her lith year.

Funeral from the residence of her parents, 136 Cumberland street, on Tuesday, at 4 p.m. Interment in Prospect Cemetery.

Wery worthy trade.

In the second scene (1915) the tailor has graduated to colone; in the territorials, in which regiment Sir Dennys' son Alec (Reginald Goods), is serving as a lieutenant. The writ son, and company have a bright miniature musical comedy, in which some excellent song and dance specialties are provided. "Suicide Garden" presents a novelty in the way of short sketches in which Paul McCarthy and Eisle (With Allarious lines and riotous incledents, Patricola, billed as the dainty involutions, by well, and have seen at the territorials, in which regiment Sir Dennys' son Alec (Reginald Goods), is serving as a lieutenant. The writ son, and the social shake-up has begun. The situations which some excellent song and dance specialties are provided. "Suicide Garden" presents a novelty in the way of short sketches in which Paul McCarthy and Eisle flaye one-time tailor, now a Brigadier-General with the V.C., to the daughter of Edgar and Alice Lamb Crust, in her lith year.

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> Co., the company consisting of two clever child acrobats, made a great lift with the audience with their tumbling stunts. The Dancing Kennedys do some whirlwind dancing, while the farce "Cold Coffee" is a timely one act comedy. "Stolen Hours." the film Loew's Theatre offers a good variety bill this week along with the screen, production "Stolen Hours," featuring Ethel Clayton The Sty Season of the daughter Clayton takes the part of the daughter Clayton takes the

> applause when he arose to speak and engagement," said Hon, Mr. Rowell.
> "If there was such an engagement Canada did not now have enough reserves to last until July. The government had no alternative but to introduce the man power resolution. Of what value is food if Germany wins? At this hour man power on the western front is more important than production," the speaker declared with emphasis. "This is no time for exemption tribunals, tho it meant sorrow and hardship. present time. Nor had he asked for money for public institutions for the county, because it was not a time for incurring expense. The speaker referred to the conference with the farmers prior to the meeting, saying he was glad to have their views on the question of conscripting the young men. They did not realize the strength the enemy would have on the western front. They did not know what she would gain with the drop-ping out of Russia, he declared. The only hope of saying civilization is the

ping out of Russia, he declared. The only hope of saving civilization is the line on the western front, he said. The government would fail in its duty if it did not put forth every effort to reinforce that line. The enemy was superior in man power on the west at this hour. Canada's total contriat this hour. Canada's total contribution of men was some four hundred thousand or about five per cent. of the population, and seventy-five thou-

This was a good record, but to meet the figures of Australia, Canada would man to be engaged in some essential occupation was explained. Mention was also made of the law providing have to give one hundred and twentyfive thousand more men. To equal New Zealand three hundred thousand for the registration of every person of 16 years and over in Canada.

"You have elected this government by a large majority. We are going to more would be needed, while to come up to South Africa four hundred thousand would have to be sent. England's figures would demand six hundred thousand more men, and France carry out your mandate in order that a victorious peace may come at the carliest moment." he said.

about eight hundred thousand more. "What England, France and the oth-May Have to Close Industries. decided to levy a tax to raise the funds the meeting had been changed, and Hon. Mr. Rowell would be heard on the man power bill.

Prior to the general meeting some 45 farmers of Durham County held a private conference with him, Mr. Rowell explaining the necessity for leaving the young men on the farmer. In answer to a question Mr. Rowell said Canada had not commenced to

some 397.671 actually registered, and Quebec, Que., April 29.-Cardinal J. L. Fallis spoke briefly, urging modification of the country was anxious to do what was best and thought that the need was specified with state, and said the conditions of the country was anxious to do what before.

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AN AMUSING FARCE

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The audience for love. Helen Travers has a rattling good part as Maude, with a line of slang in which she fairly revels. Describing the burglar's hasty exit she declares, "All I saw of him was his observation car." Miss Travers puts an immense amount of spirit into her performance. Elise Bartlett has carefully elaborated the part of Mrs. 'Caldwell, and Reina Caruthers is Joe's flancee.

SINGING AND DANCING ON HIPPODROME BILL

pect Cemetery.

DRYDEN—On Sunday, April 28, at his father's residence, 881 Dundas Street East, Thomas H. Dryden, jr., in his cellent audiences during its brief.

Dunedin, "the Variety Girl," opens the bill in songs, eccentric dances and slack wire steps, while the British Gazette is shown as the special film feature, "The Doctor and the Woman," which depicts the awakening of a girl to the fact that the man she is engaged to does not the film feature. she is engaged to does not measure up to the ideal she imagined him to be.

> **MILITARY MAIDS** AT STAR THEATRE

d Mutt and Jeff cartoon furnishes the usual laughs, while "The Events of the Week" are also interesting.

Morris Wainstock is presenting his new production, "The Military Maids," at the Star Theatre for the current week. The production is in two exceptional booklets, the first being "The Hotel de Crook," a burlesque on present-day conditions in a hotel, and a military burlesque captioned "A Day in Camp," Lou Powers and Bob Nufensive now taking place.
"We must be ready for a Canadian engagement," said Hon. Mr. Rowell.
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ter, whom he had disowned for marrying against his wishes. Beeston, after a time, discovers the deception, but refuses to give up Betty because of the happiness she has brought into his home. Eventually, however, grandfather "fesses up," a reconclitation is effected. The Mack Sennett comedy is perficularly grand and other metricularly grand and other interests. eracted. The Mack Seynett comedy is particularly good and other attrac-tions are an oboe solo by Vincent Rifici, orchestral numbers, "The Allen Screen Telegram," and "The Screen

Magazine." PICTURES CONDITIONS IN RUSSIAN LIFE

Anita Stewart is the outstanding figure in the big Vitagraph film, "The Suspect," at the Regent this week, a tale of Russia in pre-revolutionary days, with plot and counter-plot on the part of the yearst sarvice and the lead. part of the secret service and the leaders of the revolutionary cause. In the role of Sophie Karrenina, Miss Stewart is forced to witness the flogging of her father for some political offence, so ordered by Prince Karatoff, known as the "Butcher," which enrages her so that, with the aid of a suitor, she starts a revolutionary body. The thrills usually connected with stories of this kind come thick and fast, and part of the secret service and the leadof this kind come thick and fast, and the romantic side of the case is very

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Mr. Howell explained that exemptions still prevailed with all other years except 20 to 22. Those in the city would be taken first. Those in the country would not be called until seeding was done. Where one or more brothers were in service or had been killed in action a serving son would be given exemption.

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> CLEVER BURLESQUE IN LIBERTY GIRLS

pals is thruout perfect.

ations, and the acting of the princi-

Drew Campbell's 1917-18 edition of the Liberty Girls, featuring that great exponent of Irish roles, Jack Conway, opened for the week's engagement at the Gayety Theatre yesterday afternoon with a capacity house. The production is featuring "Eefly and the Seminary Girls," a clever burlesque skit giving plenty of scope for the singing and dancing specialties. Worthy of special mention is the Liberty Connedy Four. The cast, too, is the best obtainable. It includes such well known, favorites as Barry Meiton, Mae Penman, Jaines Collins, Charlotte Worth, Brad Sutton, Dick Morgan, Hilda Giles, Michael Pugl'a and Frank W, Martin. Something new is introduced in the act of Paynton and Green, in Falls and Falls.

Harper, customs broker, 39 West Wel-ngton street, corner Bay. Adelaide