

These Are the Days Weather Uncertainty.

When a man leaves his home in the morning he is not sure whether it may be WET or COLD before he returns at night, and the wise man will carry a Raincoat or a medium weight Topper. We have a splendid showing of both styles, and a price range as varied as the patterns from \$5.00 up to \$30.00. We are showing a Slip-on Combination Coat at \$15.00 that's selling freely and is worth your while to see.

We take care of BIG MEN, TALL MEN, SMALL MEN, and ALL MEN in a way that will bring them back to see us again. Be sure and see our big selling Raincoat at \$8.50—it's a wonder.

UAK HALL, CLOTHIERS

"THE LUCKY CORNER"

J. C. COOMBES, Manager.

It Around Madeline

McMaster.

Six-year-old Madeline McMaster, 920

529 of Ossington avenue division last

evening, when after she had her cloth-

off his tunic and stopped the flames.

The constable was severely burned

about the hands but was able to re-

grove by the caretakers and in working

about the park they did not notice the

children come down Dufferin street and commence pulling burning brands

The policeman was the first to reach

of Dr.: Cook, West Bloor street. where,

after receiving medical attention she

The child is burned severely about

Note Your Increase

In Weight

and vigor.

50 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited,

blood rich and red

Dr. Chase's Nervo

Food forms new

cells and tissues and

nourishes the starved nerves back to health

By noting your increase in weight while

using it you can prove

positively the benefit being derived from

this great food cure.

was taken home in a motor car.

He carried her to the residence

constable on Dufferin street.

The fire had been lighted in

main on duty.

Store Open Till 10 Saturday Night.

ANGLO-FRENCH LOAN POLICEMAN SAVES NEARLY ASSURED GIRL FROM FLAMES

Commission Micres Great Tore Off Tunic and Wrapped Alea way With Arrange ments at New York:

TO PAY FIVE PER CENT.

Attempt Will Be Made to Secure Par for Whole Flotation.

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sincere in their expressions of willingness to do so

The billion dollar loan probably will be divided into two and possibly four McMaster girl with three or four other separate series of equal amounts. Five Per Cent. Interest.

Bond's upon which the loan will be! granted will bear not less than five per cent. interest and will be payable in dollars free from British income tax requirements.

Ah attempt will be made to sell the off his heavy tunic and rolled her up bonds at par in case the interest rate in it. should be five per cent.

Members of the commission fully believe that such bonds could be disposed of at par, but American bankers, the waist and legs but will recover.

have their doubts on this score. Germans Against Loans. Opposition to the flotation of the loan is country-wide among Americans of German sympathies or parentage, but has strengthened other bankers in their determination to aid in floating

the loan, in the opinion of the commission's friends, and has not seriously impeded the task. The bonds are to be payable in either five or ten years. Possibly one series will mature in five and the other in ten years. This has not been

American bankers have pledged themselves to take part of the loan, it was said today.

WOMEN'S HOME GUARD
GAINED WANY RECRUITS.

A recruiting income for the Cana-lian Women's Home Guard was held et Dundurn Heights last evening arge number of applicants enlisting for the different detachments. or the different detachments.

During the evening an excellent program of vocal and instrumental nusic was rendered by the following price: Miss Irene Humble, author of the patriotic song. "We're Frem Cantada"; J. M. Dawsen, cornet Soloist; "Mrs. Lavzon and others. Mrs. Layzon and others.
Drills will be held tomorrow evening all members of the Women's Home juard are expected to be present.

HAMILTON & NEWS &

HAMILTON REGIMENT REACHES FIRING LINE

Nineteenth in Command Col. John J. McLaren, is in Trenches.

FRENZIED FINANCING

Declares Bertram County Councillors Spend Money Recklessly.

By a Staff Reporter.

HAMILTON, Thursday, Sept. 16 .- Mrs. McLaren, wife of Lleut.-Col. John I. Mc-Laren of this city, who is commanding the 19th Overseas Ba.talion of the third Canadian contingent, received a cable yesterday af ernoon announcing that the battalion had reached France and would shortly see action in the trenches. The cable was sent from Boulogne.

Reeve Bertram yesterday lectured the coun.y councillors in nigh financing, and said that unless something was done the council would next month face an over-

'It seems to me that some of the councillors simply spend money without considering where it comes from. There is some rrenzied financing," said the Saltflee: recve. "That \$80,000 extra over-draft would take a mill and a half to pay

off."
The remarks were made during the discussion of Councillor Dickenson's resolution for an extra expenditure of \$10,000 on the roads.

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The motion was defeated.

Warden Douglas, Councillor Dickenson and the road superintendent were appointed a committee to ascertain just now much money will have to be expended to fix up the roads, and were empowered to have the work done.

Rééve Peart's motion to have the county contribute \$15 of the \$55, yearly school fees for county pupils at the collegiate, was passed. The county scholars formerly paid \$40 per year, but the fee has been raised by the Hamilton Board of Education because of the increased of Education because of the increased

ost.

Open Convalescent Home.

Dunedin, the handsome residence of Mrs. P. D. Crerar, South James street, was officially opened as a home for invalided soldiers yesterday afternoon at four o'clock. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Dr. Renison and Rev. Canon Owen, who asked the blessing, while short addresses were made by Mayor Walters. Adam Brown and Mrs. Crerar for her spiendid gift, and stated that it was the first convalescent home for wounded soldiers to be opened in Canada. The hospital is now completely fitted up for the caring of the soldiers, and it is expected that within a few days several patients will be sent here.

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be demanded in men, munitions and money.

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Elizabeth Chapter, I.O.D.E., for the purpose of raising money for the machine
gun fund. Before the recruiting meeting
at Gore Park last evening, Mayor Walters
made the drawing and announced the
lucky number. The holder of this number is requested to communicate with
Mrs. R. B. Davis, 114 Duke street.

For Red Cross.

A most successful garden party was
held last evening at the Towers, corner
of King and Queen streets, under the
auspices of the ladies of St. Marks, St.
George's and All Saints' Anglican Church,
for the purpose of raising funds to assist
in hospital and Red Cross work. The
affair was opened by Mayor Walters and
was largely attended.

Soldiers for Hamilton.

Unless present plans fail, Hamilton

Unless present plans fail, Hamilton will this winter be a military centre of considerable importance. It is considerable importance. stated that the Hamilton Machine Gun Batia'ion is to be quartered here after the military camp at Fiagara breaks up next month, and plans are under way for its reception at the old armories. That a brigade of artillery, including Hamilton Sportmen's Battery, is likely to be quartered at the Jockey Club, has also been intimated, Dufferin street, was probably saved effect has not yet been made. Word from being fatally burned by officer has come that at least one troop, and possibly several, of mounted rifles will

be quartered here also. ing ablaze from playing with a fire quarters on the mountain brow, at the The mounted men are to have their in Dufferin Grove, the officer stripped head of the James street incline. Englishman Gets Heavy Sentence. In police court yesterday Harry Isaacs, a young Englishman, was sentenced to seven years in Kingston penitentiary by Magistrate Jelfs on a harge of attempted murder and rob-

On the night of Dec. 25, 1913, Isaacs broke into Stanley Mills hardware store and, after attempting to murder Frank Stevens, his brother-in-law made away with \$130.

out of the fire. When the child's Audit Patriotic Funds. dress caught on fire her playmates ran Audit Patriotic rungs.

The controllers and city officials are becoming interested in the move to have a general audit of the funds beaway in fear, but her screams were heard by the caretakers and by the ing collected locally for the various war purposes. It is thought that unher and in a second he had stripped less this is done the people of Hamilton will cut down their donations.

> WILL GIVE A PRIZE FOR THE BEST STORY

The Ontario Motor League has offered, thru the Ontario Safety League, cash prizes for the best composition upon "How Children May Help to Avoid Motor Accidents." The rules covering the contest, which is open to children in the public, separate and private schools of Toronto, Hamilton, Ottawa and London, are:

The composition must not consist more than 300 words, and must be vritten in English. 'It must be written upon ruled paper with a margin upon the left-hand side. Write in ink and only on

one sile of paper.
"The composition must be the sole work of the school child submitting it.

"Neatness, spelling and general composition will be taken into consideration in awarding the prizes."

"The contest will close Oct. 3, 1915." "The full name, age and street ad-

dress of each child competing should be written at the end of the paper. "There are two classes in the prizes offered: (a) scholars of 12 years and nler; (b) scholars of 13 and over-'The prizes in each class are as folows: First \$10, second \$5, third \$3, \$2, fifth \$2, sixth \$1, seventh Address all communications to R Mor'ey, Scretary-treasurer, Onta-o Sifety League, 34 Victoria street,

Shun Dusty Broken Leaf Teas

They are certainly unpleasant in use, though cheapest in production.-

Teas are all Pure Virgin Tea Leaves and Delicious

Black, Green or Mixed - - Sealed Packets only.

THREE MILLION MEN JOIN BRITISH ARMY

Premier Asquith Gives Year's Results of Voluntary System.

CONSCRIPTION AGAIN

iberal and Nationalist Members Show Division in Views.

gigantic stride towards the solution of one of the most pressing problems.

Mr. Asquith candidly admitted that mistakes had been made, and added:

He, however, protested against the attempts of a section of the press "to purpose of financing necessary operabelittle and disparage our efforts."
New Sacrifices Demanded. After reviewing the operations in Flanders, the Dardanelles and Poland, Mr. Asquith declared that the country had vastly exceeded any standard

dreamed of before the war. As the war went on, however, that standard would rise, and new sacrifices would his opinion that the new vote would be demanded in men, munitions and carry the country thru to the third

sent to jail long ago. Liberal For Conscription Leonard George Chiasso Money, Liberal, maintained that under the voluntary system the country would never have enough men and munitions to win the war. There was great danger, he said, of underrating the economic resources of the enemy Last month Germany had produced more pig iron than in any month since the war started. In this 14th month of the war, he contended, Germany was stronger than at the beginning Stephen Walsh, Laborite, said that Stephen Waish, Ladorne, said that, 80 per cent of the members of the house of commons would support the voluntary system before abandoning it for conscription. There must be overwhelming and unassailable evidence, he declared, to support the in-

novation Josiah C. Wedgewood. Liberal, urged he government to appoint a strong war office committee to prepare a scheme for conscription the necessity of which during the course of the war had been abundantly demonstrat-

Wants Early End to War. David Marshall Mason, Liberal, regarded the utter crushing of Germany David Marshall Mason, Liberal, regarded the utter crushing of Germany as a military impossibility. He expressed disappointment that the premier's speech did not give some hope of an honorable and early termination of the war. He thought that the house was entitled to a more definite declaration of the government policy than it had yet received.

On motion for adjournment, Mr. Mason raised the question concerning a report that Germany had made peace overtures.

Lord Robert Cecil, under-secretary for foreign affairs, replied that Germany had made concerning affairs, replied that Germany had made peace overtures.

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"This is a war of mechanism, organization, endurance," he continued.

"Victory seems likely to incline to the side that can arm itself best and stay longest. That is what we mean to do.

A Testing Situation.

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nor could he imagine any being made at the present time which would be

cceptable to the ailies.

Output of Munitions, Speaking or the work of the munitions department, Mr. Asqui h in his speech said that all that was now necessary to complete this great and necessary task was an adequate supply of labor, unskilled quite as much as skilled. The minister of municions had established 20 shell factories, and 18 more were in course of construction. In all, 715 controlled establishments were under the descriment. tablishments were under the department. In these factories, he said, the country had vastly exceeded any standard dreamed of before the war.

Outlay Steadily Expands.

The growing expenditures for the war were emphasized by the premier. war were emphasized by the premier. He said the average daily cost from April 1 to the end of June was £2,700.000 (\$13,500,000); from July 1 to 17, £3.000,000; from July 18 to Sept. 11, £3.500.000 (\$17,500,000). Thus the total, for this period in round figures is £500,000.000. There has been repaid £50,000,000 to the Bank of England. £30,000,000 has been lent to oreign governments and £23,000,000 ent to the dominious.

Comparing actual expenditures since the last vote of credit with estimates, Mr. Asquith said there had been some "I do not say even now that we are abnormal items to disclose, which doing all we might, or even all we ought to do."

Mr. Asquith said there had been some abnormal items to disclose, which would not be in the public interest but the house might take it that these the house might take it that these were expenditures incurred for the tions. Part of this amount was to repaid in the course of a few months and the remainder represented ad-

vances for future expenditures. \$175,000,000 Weekly. Mr. Asquith estimated that the weekly gross expenditure henceforth would not exceed £35,000,000. It was

Reviewing the military situation, Mr. Asquith stated that in France and Flanders the position of the British troops had been strengthened everywhere large reinforcements of men and , and that there had been a from the French. In the Dardanelles, he continued, the British had made substantial gains, tho they had not succeeded in dislodging the Turks from the crest of the hills. The British now held a front of more than

12 miles.

Russians' Masterly Retreat.

In the east, Mr. Asquith said, the Russian army remains unbroken. He said that the superiority of the Germans was only in artillery, and that their objective was still far out of reach.

"They succeeded in forcing back the tive was still far out of reach.

"They succeeded in forcing back the line of our gallant ally and taking several fortresses," he continued, "but all accounts show that the Russian retreat is being conducted in masterly feath or and that the Russian army is sail anbroken. The assumption of supreme command by the caar is the most significant proof that could be faited of cant proof that could be given of the unalterable determination, from highest to lowest, of the Russian people." War of Mechanism.

He referred to the high total of casual-ties, and said that the proportion of those

BROADVIEW BOYS BEGIN FALL FAIR

Noel Marshall Will Press Button Tonight, Setting Machinery Going.

PLAN MANY FEATURES

That Interests Growing Lads.

made the Broadview Boys' fall fair a success in other years, the directors his year have done everything possible to make this year's event even more successful than any other. A big for preserving. We can thus enjoy program has been arranged. It runs From today until Saturday night the year. "Nature never did betray there will be nothing worth talking bids Canadians to eat fruit abundantabout in the eastern section of the city outside of this fair. Every boy in the neighborhood is personally interested.
Col. Noel Marshall, vice-president of
the Canadian National Exhibition, will
officially declare the Broadview fair

open this evening. At 8.15 or therea-bouts he will press the button which will set the machinery in motion. But before this ceremony takes place the youthful directors will follow the cus-tom of the bigger fair and hold a directors' luncheon just to show they are in favor of them. This will take place

The three days are crammed full or features. An oratorical contest takes place tonight following the formal opening. Tomorrow there will be a swimming contest. Saturday afternoon and evening there will be big things, including a Boy Scout demonstration and contest, Athletic meet, pony parade, races and dog judging. The proceedings will wind up with musical competition, in which many boys from many sections will partici-This event alone is looked upon as being one of the best of its kind

HOTEL TECK

held anywhere in the country.

Excellent a la carte service for lady and gentleman diners. Special mid-day luncheon, 11.30 to 2.30 at 50 cents. Romanelli's Orchestra 6 to 8 p.m. daily.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

Midnight List

First Battalion.
Wounded—George A. Gibson, Ireland.
Fifth Battalion.
Died of wounds—John Morris Squire, Meliort, Sask.

Seventh Battalion.

Wounded and missing—James D. Redford, Alberni, B.C.

Eighth Battalion.

Suffering from gas poisoning—Walter Veneer, Forest, Ont.

Fifteenth Battalion

Fifteenth Battallon.
Wounded and missing—Lance-Corp.
leo. Warden, Scotland.

Geo. Warden, Scotland.

Sixteenth Battalion.

Wounded—James McLay, 48 First avenue, Hamilton, Ont.

Lord Strathcona's Horse,

Killed—Ambrose M. Evans, England.

Second Field Artillery Brigade.

Sèverely wounded—Gunner Stanley

Stickland, Scotland.

COL. MEIGHEN BUSY WITH NEW BATTALION

MONTREAL, Sept. 15 .- Col. Frank S. Meighen has already begun organizing the new battalion here which was authorized by the militia depart-ment at Ottawa today, under the name 87th Eattalion, Guar s of Canada, overseas.

sionate love of, peace wherewith we sionate love of peace wherewith we sought to avert the catastrophe of a world-wide conflict.

"It was the imperious call of duty which forced us to vindicate our national honor and enlist our whole strength in the sacred cause of freedom. I have no doubt either of the wisdom of our choice or of its ultimate triumph on the stricken field."

Deplores Domestic Strife.

One thing Mr. Asquith opposed was "the sinister spirit of domestic strife."

"We must all be ready to give and take. And take and give," he said, "And it must not be said that in the greatest moment of our history our army was shorn of its strength by any failure on the part of either rulers or ruled to conthe part of either rulers or ruled to centrate upon the unexampled task the consentiant counsels. divided energies, and unbreakable, indomitable will of the

CRAWFORD PEACHES

Nature tries to teach us what to good for us. She sends plums and peaches at the same time. The one is sweet, the other acid. When we at all the peaches we can, and the sweetand the peaches we can, and the sweetness begins to cloy, how we relish
some ripe, juicy plums. These in turn
create an appetite for more peaches.
The lesson is obvious. We should eat
all the fruit we want, alternating the
sweet and acid. The more we eat, the
better our health. The only limit is
our capacity. Nature also produces
in acid, climate the switt health. Every Hour Full of Something in each climate the fruit that is best for the inhabitants of that particular zone. Native Canadian fruits are bet. ter for us than the exotic kinds. It is also a fact that the farther North a fruit will mature, the better the flavor and quality. That is why Canadian plums, peaches, apples and pears surpass the imported varieties. Every housewife should heed the Dominion With that characteristic which has Government Fruit Advertising run-ning in this paper, and buy at once We have long winters, so nature fur nishes fruit that is peculiarly adapted health-giving fruits throughout year. "Nature never did betray the year.

York County and Suburbs

HAS PREPARED PLAN REGARDING EXPRESS

Improved Highways Shown in Extension of Service Scheme for Outlying Districts.

Secretary C. H. Ralph of the Earlscourt Business Men's Association has received the following communication from City Clerk W. A. Littlejohn: "The board of control has received

a further communication from the city solicitor in regard to the extension of express service in outlying districts. "The whole question is the limit of the area within which the companies will deliver or collect parcels for trans nission free of charge. "The cost of making these deliveries is absorbed in the charge for transmission. The whole question as to the extent of these limits has been con-

idered by the board (i. e., the board of railway commissioners for Canada) and the city's recent application for the extension of the limits is still before the board. The general traffic of-ficer has gone over the ground with the city engineer's department and a plan has been prepared showing the improved highways."

EXPECT WESTON FAIR TO BEAT ALL RECORDS

Weston Fair, while opes tomorrow, oids fair to constitute a new high recomposed of leading agriculturists and business men in town and country, have worked hard to make this year's Weston Fair a notable success. All they need now is dry weather.

On Saturday the big fair takes place and with a record entry in every department, better prizes and extra C.P. R. ani G.T.R. train service leavi g. the Union Station at 12.55 p.m. on Saturday the outlook is very bright.

MONEY TO LOAN

We have any amount of money for small First and Second Mortage Loans, from six months to five years. If you hold Mortgages we will loan you money on them. We also have funds available for the purchasing of First and Second Mortgages and First Mortgage Loans up to Ten Thousand Dollars on central property, at reasonable rates.

The R. J. Christie Co. Mortgage Financiers, 243 Confederation Life

Queen Street Entrance.

DOMINION &



GOVERNMENT

FRUIT BRANCH—Department of Agriculture.

THERE ARE FEW FRUITS AS HEALTHFUL THERE IS NONE SO DELICIOUS AS

CANADIAN PEACHES

Peaches keep well when canned or preserved. A liberal supply should be "put down" this season as the fruit is of exceptional quality. "More fruit and less meat" should be the rule this winter. It would mean better health and greater economy.

Preserve plenty of Plums also. Plums are acid, Peaches are sweet, both are needed—both are good.

Canadian Plums and Peaches are the juiciest, richest flavored in the world. Take advantage of Canadia's best. Eat plenty of Canadian fruit—lock the medicine chest—and lose the key.

THE SEASON IS SHORT—DON'T DELAY—ORDER NOW.

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Italy's Fine
Dwelling on Italy'
Barl Kitchener said:
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