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Action Proposed to Be Taken at Meeting of Brantford Board of Trade.

proposed Caylight saving scheme of the government, was adopted.

The president, the vice-president and the secretary were appointed to nominate a committee to investigate the various forms of civic government in the province and to lend all possible assistance to the local city council in the administration of the affairs of Brantford.

ford.

The scrutineers reported as follows: Vice-president, J. M. Young; legislation, A. M. Harley, W. F. Cockshutt, J. B. Detwiler, A. C. Lyons and W. A. Hollinrake; industrial development, D. T. Williamson, G. Brereton, J. S. Dowling, George Harris and S. M. Burnley; manufacturers, L. M. Waterous, C. M. Thompson, E. C. Tench, D. L. Lamoreaux and A. Brandon.

WILL EMPLOY 100,000 MEN. Henry Ford Announces Plans of Trac-

tor Plant at Dearborn. Son's \$3,500,000 plant at Dearborn, which is to manufacture tractors, will employ 100,000 men, Mr. Ford announced today. The plant, now near- his friends had heard about the teach Ford's property, directly opposite the Ford blast furnaces, also under construction, and which are to employ

The tractor plant will include a foundry, stock room, heat treating room, two assembly shops, pattern shop, gas production plant, power staion and two machine shops.

25,000 men.

ARGENTINA OFFERED LOAN.

Buenos Aires, March 12.—Spain has offered to loan to Argentina 500,000,-000 pesetas, but the Argentine minister of finance said today that this offer probably would not be accepted because of the "difficulties attending fect was made at a meeting of the the negotiations." Great interest has Montreal Presbytery this afternoon, been aroused by the recent publication of a statement that this offer not reached a definite stage. The colintermediary.

BRANT RECOUNT STARTS THURSDAY

Key to Ballot Box Containing Soldiers' Vote Is Expected From Ottawa. /

Brantford, March 13.—Logan Waterous, past president of the boar dof trade, ast night handed over the reins of office to President Elect C. Ellis. The president of the entire electorate of Brant County, that the lectorate of Brant County Council of the Wentworth County Council of the We

old and his supporters were non-committal when interviewed last night. They say that there were but few Brantford or Brant County men at Fort Worth on Dec. 17 last. In fact, it is estimated at only half a dozen.

Windsor Teachers Entertain Sweethearts in Schoolrooms

Windsor, March 12.-Based on re ports that some of its teachers have been entertaining their sweethearts in the school rooms and at times have been conducting themselves in a manner unbecoming ladies, the Windson board of education has decided to hold Detroit, March 12.-Henry Ford & a special meeting to deal with certain matters that require immediate atten-

Trustee T. C. Ray states many of ing completion, is located on Henry ers, and other trustees admitted they. Ford's property, directly opposite the too, had heard whisperings of certain women teachers' fondness for men companions at times when they should have been devoting their energies to school room duties.

TAKE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE.

Montreal, March 12.-The Presby terian College of this city will probably be taken over by the military authorities and used as a convalescent home for returned soldiers as soon as necessary arrangements can be made. An announcement to this ef-

*WAR SUMMARY

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

British general headquarters at the spread of German and Turkish influfront describe the repulse of a large ence to the Indian frontier. raiding party by the Portuguese. The Germans in a dense mass reached the barbed wire. Allied machine guns threw a barrage. The clever repulse against France. The enemy, it is said, would offer a settlement on terms. He guese steadiness. The Germans con- in France and Belgium in return for the British in Belgium, selecting for their attention Zonnebeke and its adabled the enemy to make a few prisoners. Zonnebeke is in the region of the Ypres-Menin Road and the enemy the cutting of the enemy from com-In Lorraine, east of Luneville, the tion to Alexandretta. Americans raided the German trenches and found them empty.

The British bombarding squadrons paid a surprise visit to and dropped a forces under German direction and ton of bombs on Coblenz, on the Rhine. are making as if to invade Chinese They made targets of munition factories and railway stations and sidings Chinese have notified the Bolshevik and doubtless spread the usual amount of panic. The Germans are now complaining about the killing of civi-lians, but they began the practice. are effectively assisting the German of her forces so that when she moves Government to prosecute the war, and it will be with strength and rapidity. interrupt and disturb their labors and has had to retire on Harbin owing to raze the German war establishments. According to aviation experts the heavy pressure of his adversaries. it is possible this year for the allies even to compel a German retirement from France by aerial bombardments. The allies are attacking from the air vital points in the enemy communications with the western front, and are attempting on land what the German submarines have been attempting at sea, the interruption of lines of supply.

further progress on Nabulus. continued their operations on Sunday night and Monday on both sides of the main highway, inflicted considerable casualties on the Turkish rear guards, are encountering much opposition beand captured several Turkish machine fore Odessa. The Russians, according guns. Bad weather prevented assist- to Petrograd, are offering determined ance from the flying men, and also resistance along the Slobodka-Tzna-increased the difficulties of the march. lish contact with the Turks at points retreat in the interior of Russia would north of Hit on the Euphrates. The be disastrous to him. From his be-

a centre of German propaganda, now supplies rumors of a new German of opened a point-blank fire from front fer of peace as impending, combined and on flanks, and their artillery with predictions of a German offensive of this raid reflects credit on Portu- would evacuate the occupied territories tinued their raiding operations against recognition of his achievements in the jacent sectors. Three out of four of Russia and to the formidable peril to these attempts failed; the other en- future peace the realization of these has been manifesting intense anxiety concerning the British intentions in necessity of eliminating the Bagdan has been manifesting intense anxiety munications with the far east by the this region. In their air operations railway route for the enemy, it seems, the British squadrons dropped 500 was not realized until last year. Kithombs on German depots in Belgium chener had perceived it before the exand their aerial fighters destroyed ten pedition to the Dardanelles, and urged and damaged seven German airplanes, the allies instead to send their expedi-

The interest in Russia has shifted nomentarily to the far east, where the Bolsheviki have massed large territory. In reply to this threat, the leaders that trespassing on Chinese soil means an act of war. It is pro-Chinese territory for a concentration is of military value to the allies to General Semenoff, the Cossack leader, The workmen of the Siberian Railway, seems, have become converts to Special to The Toronto World. Bolshevik propaganda. Side by with the German propaganda, it has become strongly anti-allied. It has become necessary for the allies to or-The British in Palestine have made Political efforts, forecasting designs

The Germans, who made easy progress of their invasion in the Ukraine, Mesopotamia General Marshall is inforcements to this front to win the pushing forward his outposts to estab- battle at all costs, for a defeat and reports of Bolshevik threatening of havior towards the Russians it is prob-Persia show the influence of German able that any peace would be like the here tonight on heavy ice reports of Bolshevik threatening of Persia show the influence of German able that any peace would be like the Peace of Amiens with Napoleon, meral of the stringing about anarchy in Persia to harass the British Mesopotamia right flank and compel the dispersal of forces from India in Persian garrisons. The British may have formally to ally themselves with the Ameer of Afghanistan to prevent the garrization to win buck the Russians.

havior towards the Russians it is probable that in probable like the Peace would be like the Peace would be like the Peace of Amiens with Napoleon, mere tonight on heavy ice before the season's largest crowd. The teams:

Clinton (1)—Goal, Bawden: defence, Hellyer, McTaggart; rover, M. Schoenhals; centre, Bramfield; wings, D. Schoenhals, Stoddart.

St. Marys (1)—Goal, Connell; defence, Hellyer, McTaggart; rover, M. Schoenhals, Schodart.

St. Marys (1)—Goal, Connell; defence, Allen, Tamblyn; rover, Marriott; centre, Tuer: wings, Paterson, Teahan.

Referee—R. Draper, Clinton.

HAMILTON NEWS

HOUSE OF REFUGE **INVESTIGATION ON**

Following Presentation of Re-

was no cook employed, but that this Alpha street, early yesterday morning

ship clerks, for the purpose of having a petition forwarded to the government pretesting against the saving of light to the detriment of the farmer or market gardener. May Rebuild Hall.

An indication that opposition to the rebuilding of the market hall has crumpled before the largely signed petitions of the ratepayers, was in evidence this evening, when the city council without a dissenting vote, instructed the board of control to secure plans and specifications and all the necessary information. The facts and figures will be presented at the next session of the council, when it will be definitely decided whether or not the hall shall be restored.

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Good Surplus for Hydro.

A surplus of \$38,000 for the year's operations is a satisfactory feature of the financial statement of the Hydro department, which is now in the hands of the auditors and will be presented to the commission at their next meeting.

GUELPH RADIAL DIVIDEND

Satisfactory Reports of Railway Presented at the Annual Meeting.

Special to The Toronto World. Guelph, March 12.—At the annual Special to The Toronto World.

Guelph, March 12.—At the annual meeting of the Guelph Radial Railway this afternoon a dividend of \$6,119 was declared out of the earnings, and sevaral very satisfactory reports presented. The officers for 1918 were elected and Mr. J. W. Lyon was again honored with the presidency. The other officers are T. Hall, vice-president; Ald. Rundle, treasurer, and extended the expenditure \$41,280. The gross revenue shows an increase of \$3,130.92. The net earnings show an increase of \$3,130.92. The net earnings show an increase of \$2,768.64. The number of passengers carried during the year amounts to 1,125,552, an integral of the shooting at a mater time at a high rate of speed.

The shooting theory cannot be substantiated until the head is recovered, or the head is recovered, for the body bore no marks beyond, a few busines, beyond, a few bruises. On the left hand, however, there were two deep cuts which might have been caused by the victim clutching at a kmife.

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the year amounts to 1.125.552, an in crease of 28,019 over 1916. The average fare was 3.948 cents.

WERE REFUSED A HEARING.

Montreal March 12.-Two Liberal members of parliament, L. J. Gauthier and Oscar Gladu, who are campaigning in behalf of Controller Jos. Ainey against Mayor Mederic Martin for the mayoralty of Montreal taking up the cudgels because of Mayor Martin's abuse of Premier Gouin, were refused a hearing tonight in St. Jean Baptiste Switzerland, which has become quite market hall. Altho forty policemen were present they did little or nothing to quell the disorder, which lasted about two hours.

RECEIVER FOR SOUTH VAN-

Steel Foundries at Welland, Ont. A plant for producing silica sand for glass steel molding and furnace sands, organized by Prof. Bell of McGill University, was started today in the same vicinity.

ATTWOOD BEATS FARRELL.

London, March 12 .- Sergt. Joe Attwood, of the Canadians, won on points in a boxing match with Air Mechanic propaganda thruout Cuba.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Bind, Biceding or Protruding Piles, Instantly relieves
Itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep
after the first application. Price 50c.

STRATFORD DEFEATS CHESLEY,

Chesley, March 12.—Stratford defeated Chesley in the first game of the Northern Hockey League finals here tonight by 5 to 3, taking home with them a two goal lead for Friday's return game, ganize an effective news service in the far east to combat the German work. The enemy is redoubling his political efforts, forecasting designs China and Japan.

The teams: Chesley (3)-Goal Black: defence, Da-

vidson, Stanley; centre, Elves; wings, Haeflin, Maier. Stratford (5)—Goal, Malone; defence, offman, Seabach; centre, Morens; wings, Lavelle, Thorne.

Referee-T. R. Munro of London.

GIRL TEAMS TIE AT HOCKEY. Clinton, March 12.—The girls teams of hockey, one from St. Marys and the other a team of local maidens, battled for three periods and an extra

HEADLESS BODY FOUND AT HAMILTON

Remains of Bulgarian Discovered in an Abandoned Gravel Pit.

NO CLUE TO MURDER

Friend of Dead Man is Held as a Material Witness.

Hamilton, Wednesday, March 13 .- With the finding of the headless and almost nude body of Thomas Georgieff, a 29year-old Bulgarian employed at the National Car Company, and residing at 1 by Andrew Gross, a Grand Trunk employe, at the bottom of an abandoned gravel pit south of the high-level bridge, another murder was added to the already long list of crimes on the books of the Hamilton police.

Not the slightest clue was found that would lead to an arrest, the from footprints in the vicinity of the crime it is thought that it was a one-man job. Robbery was believed to have been the notive as the dead man always carried a large amount of money besides having \$1000 in the post office savings bank.

A peculiar feature of the crime was that the head had been hacked from the body with a blunt knife and then wrapped in the victim's coat and carried and the prevent described in the coat and carried and the prevent described in the coat and carried and the prevent described in the coat and carried away to prevent identification. Despite a fine combing of the vicinity the head was not found, but the clothing, with the exception of the overcoat, was discovered about 400 yards from the scene of the crime.

Identification was established by means

Identification was established by means of a workman's cheque found under the body.

An overcoat button and a blood-stained cap, believed to be the preperty of the victim, were also picked up.

Georgieff, who had been ailing for some time; feth his boarding house about 8 c'clock Monday night, and two hours later was seen in a restaurant at the corner of Burlington street and Sherman avenue. From that time until the body was found his whereabouts is a mystery to the police.

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Heard Revolver Shot.

That two men and a woman had passed her house about 11 o'clock that night, and shortly afterwards she thought she heard a revolver shot, was the statement by an aged woman residing in the vicinity. The enquiry later revealed the fact that a motor car had traveled up York street about that time at a high rate of speed.

Held as Material Witness.

Markoff, who is employed at Nelligan's coal yard, spent the day with the police in their endeavors to find a clue, owing to the fact that he was a personal friend of the murdered man. At the viewing of the body by the jury it was noted that he showed emotion, and during the day made a number of conflicting statements regarding where he had spent Monday evening. He stated that he had gone to the Grand Opera House, despite the fact that it was closed that night, and was driven past the theatre in the police ambulance a number of times in order to permit him to correct himself.

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COUVER.

Vancouver, March 12.—The Province today says:

"The possible failure of South Vancouver to meet the debenture issue of \$160,000, which falls due next Friday, and its inability to liquidate another issue of \$640,000, which expires in two months, may lead to the appointment of a receiver for the municipality, in which event it is possible that the City of Vancouver will be named to take charge of the municipality."

SHIPS FIRST FIRE BRICK.

Montrea, March 12.—The Canadian China Clay Company, Limited, St. Remi d'Amherst, just shipped the first carlload of fire brick to the Canadian Steel Foundries at Welland, Ont. A

I.W.W. WORKS IN CUBA.

Havana, March 12 - Revelations llowing the arrest last Sunday of Aquilino Lopez and Hilario Alonso ndicate that members of the Industrial Workers of the World, altho under arrest in Chicago, are still carry

MANY CANADIANS SAIL

Lonion, March 12.-The following returned men have sailed for Canada: W. B. Hendry, Lieut.-Cols. P. Dom-ville, A. E. Massie, W. G. McKendrick W. C. Armstrong, J. E. Wright, I. R. Snider, D. McLean, H. Perley, M. P. Millan, Majors G. C. Hale, W. M. Adam (2nd 5th), F. P. Barton, H. Earle, J. F. Buckley, J. H. Forgues, J. G. Hunt, O. Lactot, W. H. Ballantyne, B. Campbell, A. Durkee, A V. Monteith, T. L. Butters, W. T Edgecombe, R. M. Mannahan, C. H Mackenzie, W. P. Russell, H. C. Starr, N. K. Wilson, W. D. Tait, E. G. Benwell, H. K. Clifton, C. Arthur (3rd 44th), J. A. Patton, J. C. Wilson, N. I. Black, J. W. Grant, D. M. Luton, Captains H. G. Brunten, T. W. Colley, D. G. McKay, E. J. Griffiths, F. Cinquars. J. Collins, J. Orsy. G. Edwards, J. Roy, G. F. Fuller (4th 45th), H. M. Smillie, G. Clegg, A. B. Lindsay, G. Normandin, E. T. French, E. C. Dingman, L. F. Bishop, G. E. Chaffey, L. Kennedy, C. Tennant, A. Macduff, F. W. Willis, J. L. Brooks, C. E. Anderson, A McKay, J. Strathy, W. A. McKee (5th, 40th), R Earl, B. W. Knox, F. E. Ayotte, D. P. Stewart, C. F. Gillies, T. J. Gray, J. L. Garr, C. R. Walsh, A. S. Nops, C. D. Maguire, T. A. Watterson, K. Ross, J. Quinlan, R. W. Reid.

Secre's Clothes

War-Saving Reductions Irish Blue Serge Suitings

The scarcest goods in the world's woolen markets to-day are good serges—and they are not being held by the weavers for better prices—for they are not to be had at any price—Our pre-war purchases of fine Irish Serges finds us to-day with a grand stock of them—Every yard guaranteed and being offered during this month of specials at pre-war prices—



Irish Twill Serge Suits, regular \$40. \$34 Reduction price Irish Cheviot Serge Suits, regular \$40. \$34

English Vicuna Serge Suits, regular \$36 \$44. Reduction price..... Fancy Blue Suits, regular \$48. Reduc-\$40

HABERDASHERY SPECIAL — WOOL TAFFETA SHIRTS. nice assortment of stripes—regular \$5.00, and no more of these shirts obtainable—Te clear at \$4.25.

R. Score & Son, Limited, Tailors and Hab.rdashers, 77 King St. West

YORK COUNTY SUBURBS

LATE MRS. N. HAGERMAN

ne of Oldest and Most Highly Esteemed Residents of Markham Township.

The death of Mrs. Nicholas Hager nan, one of the oldest and most mgnesteemed residents of Markham waship, took place at the ramily residence at Hagerman's Corners at

tain of the Dundas street fire hall; Nicholas, in the west, and Bismarck, As a result of many contradictory statements regarding the movements of the murdered man, who was his friend, and the fact that he had tried to obtain money from him, the police last night held George Markoff, a Bulgarian, residing at the corner of Brant and Wentworth streets, as a material witness in connection with the gruesome murder.

Nicholas, In the west, and Bismarck, of Cleveland, Obio. She leaves also a large number of grandchildren.

The late Mrs. Hagerman was devotedly attached to the Methodist Church and practically all thru her life had taken a foremost part in the carrying on of the work of the murder. local church and in every good move-

Under the auspices of the women's meeting of Earlscourt Central Methodist Church, Ascot avenue, a Jones' Cor-ners choir concert was held in the large auditorium last evening, which was packed with a capacity audience. The entertal ment was staged by the ladies' aid of Bellefair Methodist Church ladies' aid of Bellefair Methodist Church and the following artists contributed to a program which was excellent thruout: Mrs. Hall, Miss Smith, Mrs. Bates, Mrs. Fawcett, Mrs. Hawkins, Miss L. Cope, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Bird, Miss M. Cope, Mrs. Joy, Mrs. Bird, Miss M. Cope, Mrs. Bunt, Mrs. Biddle, Mrs. Smellie, Mrs. Bunt, Mrs. Jennings, Mrs. Lush, Mrs. McCrudden, Mrs. Barron, Mrs. Thorpe, Mrs. Simms, Mrs. McLean, Mrs. Stiff, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Collins, Miss Lucas, Miss Hulse, Miss Boucock, Miss Ciela McLean, M. Biddle and J. Tohrpe. Among those present were Rev. Peter

Bryce, pastor, and Rev. E. Crossley

EARLSCOURT ROADS BAD. Mild Weather Makes Condition of Streets Almost Impassable.

Owing to the mild weather of yester day, the roads in many places in the vicinity of the city limits around Earlsurt were in an almost impassable con dition from the melting snow. The drains in several places were choked, and the water from the boulevards flooded the sidewalks many inches in depth, causing nuch inconvenience to pedestrians, Com plaints are heard on all sides regarding the accumulation of snow, which has been allowed to lie, particularly in front of vacant lots, thruout the winter.

FORTY PER CENT. OVERSEAS.

A meeting of Court Pride of the North, O.F., was held last evening in Maltby's lall, corner of Boon and St. Clair ave-ues. H. Hardacre, chief noble, occupied the chair. Interesting addresses were delivered by visiting brothers, and two new members were initiated. The secretary reported a total membership of 70 connected with the branch, of which 40 per cent, were at present overseas, one of whom was awarded the Military Medal.

COMFORTS FOR SOLDIERS.

Fifty-two parcels of comforts were prepared and despatched to the Earls-court boys in the trenches, at the regular meeting of the Independent Women Workers of Earlscourt, held in Maltby's Chambers, corner of St. Clair and Boon avenues, yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Gavin Segar occupied the chair, and a number of interesting letters from soldiers over-seas were read by Secretary Mrs. J. Lee. Progress in the work of the organization and steadily increasing membership were also reported.

NINE NEW CANDIDATES.

Revira Rebekah Lodge, No. 124, held its regular meeting in Colvin Hall last night, when mine new candidates were initiated. The degrees were conferred by the staff under the supervision of Bro. J. S. Clayton, staff captain.

LATE WILLIAM RUDDY

Prominent Business Man of Toronto, and Formerly of Orangeville and Uxbridge, Died Following Stroke.

The death of William Ruddy, 31 East Bloor street, took place on Monday evening following a paralytic stroke, which he had received some four years ago he had received some four years ago, but from which he was thought to have almost fully recovered until seized with another less than a week ago.

The late Mr. Ruddy, who was about

The late Mrs. Hagerman was in her 86th year and had lived in Markham Township practically all her life. She was predeceased by her husband about 15 years, the venerable couple having celebrated the anniversary of their golden wedding a short time before Mr. Hagerman's death.

associated.

He is survived by his widow, two sons, Alvin E. and Morley C., and three daughters, Mrs. MacMillan of Orange-ville, and Mona and Dorothy at home. The surviving brothers and sisters are Judge Ruddy of Whitby, Joseph and Thomas of Toronto, Charles of Reginal James of Seattle, Wash, Mrs. Macaulley and Mrs. Frank Dure of Toronto; Mrs. Murta of Uxbridge, Mrs. Madill, at present in Vancouver; Mrs. Doble of Sunderland, and Mrs. J. Card of Toronto.

BURNED WITH HOUSE. Edward Hurst Lost His Life in Fire at

Edward Hurst, a carpenter living alone in a house belonging to John McKenzie, of Willowdale, lost his life when the building was burned to the ground at an early hour on Tuesday morning, the building being wrapped in flames when first discovered by a neighbor. It was only when the ruins were searched that the fact became known that the unfortunate man had perished in the flames. The crigin of the fire is a mystery. The house was a storey and a half structure. Hurst had only lived there about three months. He has two daughters living in Toronto, Mrs. Edwards, 250 Brunswick avenue, and Mrs. Green, 758 Markham street.

POULTRYMEN WILL ORGANIZE.

The organization of a poultry association is arousing much interest in the Earlscourt district and an inaugural meeting of the promoters will be held on Friday evening under the auspices meeting of the promoters will be held on Friday evening under the auspices of the citizens' committee of Earlscourt, when the aims and objects of the association will be outlined and an address on the raising and treatment of poultry will be delivered by Sergt. Fred Cowan, one of the most prominent poultry men in the district. An address will also be delivered on refertilization by Professor Geo. W. Kulp.

THIRTEEN ARE INITIATED.

At the regular meeting of Arcadia Rebekah Lodge, No. 19, held on Monday night in Academy Hall, Bloor street, thirteen new candidates were intiated. Acting Noble Grand Sister Ada Bell. who is a district deputy of the grand assembly, occupied the chair, Sister Hogg, noble grand of the lodge, being unable to attend owing to sickness. The degree staff was under the supervision of W. S. Lee, P.C.B., staff captain. There was a good attendance.

TELLER GOING OVERSEAS.

Andrew S. Jamieson, for some time teller at the Earlscourt branch Dominion Bank, corner of St. Clair avenue and Dufferin street, will go overseas shortly and his place will be filled by J. S. Whaley from the Wychwood branch. Mr. Jamieson was well known and popular with the residents of the district.

PTE. MORTIMER KILLED.

A despatch from Ottawa to Mrs. Elizabeth Mortimer of Newmarket yesterday informed her of the death of her son, Pte. Stanley Mortimer, in action in France. Pte. Mortimer was 24 years of age and enlisted with the 127th York Rangers two years ago, going overseas with the battalion, but was later transferred to another battalion. His father, who died about three years ago, was formerly engaged in farming in East Gwillimbury, removing to Newmarket after leaving the farm. One sister is Mrs. Fred Proctor of Georgina.

GOOD PRICES FOR STOCK.

Tom Pilkey's farm stock sale ne Vexford yesterday brought over \$50 and while not the largest was one Wexford yesterday brought over \$5000 and while not the largest was one of the best that John H. Prentice has so far conducted this season. One cow, a Shorthorn, brought \$550, another \$350, a bull \$410 and so on. The horses sold up to \$200 and were conducted the to \$200 and were only ordinary ones at that. Good cows were in especial de-mand and farm implements brought high prices.

VETERANS' EUCHRE AND DANCE.

The Great War Veterans' Association ield a euchre and dance at St. Julier Ha'l last night, when there were about 100 couples present, and four prizes were

LECTURES TO PUPILS ON FOOD PRODUCTION

T. D. Dockray, president of the Ontario Horticultural Society, addressed the pupils of Weston Public and Separate Schools in the town hall yesterday on "Greater Food Production." The object of Mr. Dockray's address was to interest the pupils and give them advice pertaining to agriculture, whereby they would be encouraged to carry out their share in adding to increase the production of

be encouraged to carry out their share in adding to increase the production of vegetables.

Last year Mr. Dockray's address to the pupils was much appreciated, and excellent results were attained by the instruction received, and those interested feel confident that they will again benefit by hearing the address.

Since the recent rains it has been County buildings on Adelaide street. The government inspector looked over the defective places and said that patching would not do. At present the janitor is forced to turn off the

RAINS DAMAGE WIRING

main every night until the new wiring

returned home this week. LECTURE ON FLOWERS. At the invitation of the Western Horticultural Society Miss Blackstock gave an Mustrated lecture on flower cul

stock is an expert gardener, and has been very successful with her floral exhibits at the various shows. A musical program was added and a pleasant evening was spent by the large number that

APPROVE FEDERAL PROHIBITION Edmonton, March 12.-The Alberta Legislature this afternoon passed a resolution approving of the federal government's action in prohibiting interprovincial traffic in liquors after April 1. The motion was made by Mrs. L. C. McKinnon, of Claresholm and seconded by Captain Robert Pear-

son, soldiers' representative.

A pair of glasses are of no benefit to you unless the lenses are exactly what the condition of your eyes demands. This requires a careful, skillful examination and this is the service which we have given for many years. Marriage Licenses

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