ANOTHER VOLUNTEER.—One volunteer and two defaulters were listed at the local mobilization centre yesterday. The volunteer's name was H. H. Clapp.

CLEARINGS INCREASE. — The bank clearings for last week were \$2,-547,194, and for the corresponding week last year, \$2,344,526, an increase of \$203,668 over last year.

KITCHEN CAUGHT FIRE.—The firemen had an early morning run to the home of Robert Lisbon, 326 Burwell street, Wednesday. The kitchen caught fire behind the stove and the blaze was put out with chemicals. The damage was about \$20.

PLANNING BIG CONCERT.—The G. W. V. A. is planning to hold a concert on Sunday evening, November 23, at the Patricia Theatre. The proceeds are to be used in helping to buy band instruments for the veterans. Some roted artists already have been obtained, and it is expected that the concert will be one of the bast ever held in this city. GAVE LOAN BIG BOOST .- "The giving of the front page of The A tiser to the Victory Loan Tuesday tiser to the Victory Loan Tuesday night was one of the best boosts we have had," said a canvasser today. "It brought the loan right back to the peo-ple after the celebration and stirred

paper service the city has ever had."

FALL WHEAT
LOOKS PROMISING

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Delmer, Nov. 13.—The weather for the past two months has been favorable to the growth of the fall wheat, and has resulted in a beautiful prospect for wheat for the next harvest. In fact, never has fall wheat at this season of the year looked more promising or with petter top and such a healthy color. Hiram D. Smith has bought the 85 date for maniversary services held at Brownsville on Sunday, and were well repaid in the excellent sermons préached the anniversary services held at Brownsville on Sunday, and were well repaid in the excellent sermons préached the anniversary services held at Brownsville on Sunday, and were well repaid in the excellent sermons préached the anniversary services held at Brownsville on Sunday, and were well repaid in the excellent sermons préached by Rev. W. G. H. McAllister of Eddetown. The morning discourse was from the text "All is Yours," and was handled in a most able manner. In the evening the subject was "Where is the Seer's House?" The muste furnished by the choir vas of a high order, and much appreciated and enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kipp on Stinday visited Mrs. Kipp's old home in Malahide, where her father and mother are both seriously ill.

Dr. W. Pratt of the seventh concession of Dercham has sold his fine 100hide, where her father and mother are both seriously ill.

Dr. W. Pratt of the seventh concession of Dereham has sold his fine 100-acre farm to Neil Jensen of Dereham Centre.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kipp went to Newark on Saturday to visit Mrs. Kipp's father, who is ill.

INTER-ALLIED FOOD COUNCIL WILL BE STRONGER THAN TRUST

Meat Packers Ring of America Is Criticized in British House.

London, Nov. 14.-In a discussion in the House of Commons yesterday con-cerning the food question and control of the mest supply the American Meat Trust was criticized severely by some Major Waldorf Astor, parliamentary secretary to the food ministry, said that the trust controlled more than 50 per cent of the available and importable meat supplies, which constituted a serious menace. However, he added, the inter-all ed food council set up by the food controller and which would buy in the world's markets, was going to be stronger than the trust. It would be able to dictate to the trust if necessary and would be able to five reason.

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ble prices for consumers.

said that Mr. Clarkson's instructions had been to furnish all available information to the publishers. In his opinion, some of the information pinion, some of the information bught by the newspapers was not elevant. "Whether additional inforrelevant. "Whether additional information can be secured, I cannot say. Some may be," concluded Mr. Stewart, "but some may not be obtainable from the books of the companies."

"The commissioner evidently did not wait to secure all the information Mr. Clarkson could get," remarked Justice White, "and we have power to entertain an appeal on that ground."

Mr. Montgomery, on behalf of the mills, declared that the information in the guestionaire which the newsthe questionaire which the news-papers say they have not been able to secure, was all brought out in evidence from time to time before Mr.

evidence from time to time before Mr. Pringle.

"The price of newsprint, as of other commodities, is fixed by the larger market," he said, "and the larger market is the United States, as only 11 per cent of our newsprint is sold in Canada. The United States price, fixed by the federal trade commission, is \$75.05 per ton, or \$6.05 in excess of the price paid the same manufacturers by Canadian newspapers.

RAILROADERS ACQUITTED. Perth, Nov. 13 .- Newton Lebo, en-

gineer, and Roy Campney, freight conductor, who, on May 19 last, through forgetfulness, ran their train on the line of an express, causing a collision and the death of K. Butland, fireman, and A. Martin, brakeman of the express, were acquitted of a charge of man

COME TO CANADA TO MARKY.

London, Nov. 13.—In the House of Commons, Mr. Denman asked whether passports could not be granted to women desiring to go to Canada to be married. The Right Hon. T. J. MacNamara replied that the whole question of restrictions upon traveling at sea would shortly be under the immediate consideration of the government department concerned.

"FLU'S" TOLL ON ARMY. London. Nov. 13.—Replying to Viscount Wolmer in the House of Commons, Sürgeon-General W. G. Mac-Pherson stated that in October nearly 25,000 British soldiers in France were in hospital owing to influenza. Of this number 421 died; 2,700 were in hospital owing to pneumonia, of whom over a thousand died.

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FIGHTING MCGUIRE FAMILY HAS WONDERFUL RECORD AT FRONT

Six Sons and Two Stepsons of Mrs. Mary Anne McGuire Have Served Empire in Great War-One Has Given His Life.



Now that the war has been lost and won, there will be stories to tell of how, individuals, families and communities have played their part in making the world safe for democracy. Mrs. Mary Anne McGuire of Motherwell, Scotland,

Pte. J. A. McGuire, who at present resides at 86 Forward avenue, this city.

stole his K-K-Katy from the office, but no one believes him. However, the French are safe even if Jack's lid isn't, was Norman Tovell would

Two things worth while. A good wife and a nice big Victory Bond. If you have a good wife, buy her a Victory Bond. If you haven't, buy a Bond. It will help you get the

(Sing This to Tune of K-K-Katie)
(By Robin Mitchell,)
Currie is a general strong and bold,
Currie has a heart as pure as gold,

Like an act of fate, Old Bill knocked down Belgium's

gate, Now he s had to pay for all his

crime, Currie, with his men was just a

With them he could drive back all

the Hun,
In a few nights at eight,
They'll be at Berlin's gate,
While his men will shout this song

You're the only G-G-General we adore, Sure as the sun shines in the

No one could be just so cruel and

No one could, and with a saleastic

Currie knew he'd not take any

when he said he'd make the kaiser

C-C-C-Currie, General Currie, etc.

Soldiers who have been to France

and seen, Know how Huns used the Bel-

rhat's what people cry when the Victory bonds they buy;
Now they've shot the last, the

Kaiser's door.

LOAN MACHINE GUN

MOTHER GOOSE ON VICTORY There was a man in our town
And he was wond'rous wise.
He said: "To buy some Vict'ry Bonds

Some money I must 'rise'."

And so he hocked his hat and shoes, His pants and everything; Now, with the interest on his Bonds, He's happy as a king.

There was another guy in town
And he was mean as sin.
He said: "For those old Vict'ry
Bonds
I will not spend my tin."

And so he hung on to his kale;
The poor simp starved to death.
"I wish I'd bought some Vict'ry
Bonds,"
That was his dying breath. Humpty-Dumpty sat on the wall, He didn't buy any Bonds at all, So when he fell off, it was a great

The town had to pay for his funeral. Citizens have reason to be proud of London, for the city heads the list in regard to percentage of objective already obtained in the Victory Loan. Here's how London stands with sis-

London, 54.74 per cent. Ottawa, 53.60 per cent.

The border cities of Windsor, Sarnia and Welland have already reached their objectives, due in no small measure to the American money that has been invested in bonds. Trust the Yanks to cuddle up to a good investment like Victory Bonds.

After yesterday's sales, the largest since the loan opened, the salesmen can whistle but one song, "Smiles."

Every man who figured up Wednesday's bond total, with the excepnesday's bond total, with the exception of J. E. Doble, hailed from the McCormick Manufacturing Company. They were George W. Pepper, John Sumner, J. L. Skinner, J. Newton, D. Hand, R. E. Fotheringham, M. Gould, W. H. Biggs, J. Waud, R. W. Hodgins, J. Newman, J. A. Stone, R. C. Skinner.

As the campaign draws to a close a number of large subscriptions are being received. The Canadlan Order of the Woodmen of the World have taken out \$60,000 in bonds, the London Loan and Savings Company, \$25,000; the McClary Manufacturing Company, \$150,000; the Ontario Commercial Travelers' Association, \$60,000,000,000 in the expected that the em-000. It is expected that the employees of the McClary Company will subscribe over \$75,000.

The total number of applications for bonds this year is lower than in 1917. This is due in a great degree to the amount of sickness that has prevailed in the city.

STANDING IN VICTORY LOAN

LEAGUE.

Chairman George M. Reid wore an ear to-ear smile today.

"What are we going to get today? Well, I'll be disappointed if our total doesn't range somewhere around the seven hundred thousand mark," said Mr. Reid. Saleamen report that everyone from the workingmen to the capitalist is doubling up on his bond subscriptions. We want to hoist that honor flag Friday night from the public utilities building if possible."

E. V. Hessian, who with J. J. Dyer has been one of the stars of the industrial salesmen, is confined to his home with the "flu." His partner, J. J. Dyer, is shouldering the double burden, and is making a wonderful showing.

All hall the Industrials. Last year the Industrial objective was set at \$6,500,000. This year \$200,000 was taken away from them in "special clients," leaving them with \$450,000 worth of prospects to start out with. The objective for 1918 is \$750,000, which will endoubtedly be obtained today. Three loud and real cheers for the workingmen of London, who have subscribed already \$350,000 more than they did last year. Also three whoops for the executive committee that looked after the detail necessary in such a big undertaking.

How did they raise the extra money? Here's the answer. A whole pile of firms with every employee subscribing. Those who joined the honer flag list yesterday were Holeproof Hoslery Company, London Bolt and Hinge Company, R. C. Struthers, Dennis Wire and Iron Company, Greene-Swift Company, London Life Assurance Company, Huron and Erie Mortgage Corporation, National Brass Company, London Rolling Mills.

NO LIKELIHOOD OF **ALLIES GRANTING A**

Supreme War Council Fixed Things as Well as They Can Be Fixed.

Washington, Nov. 13.—The proposal of Dr. Solf, the German foreign secretary, for a preliminary peace conference had not reached Washington in official form tonight, but it is understood that there is little prohability of its acceptance. Such a conference is regarded here as unnecessary, and as likely to uselessly complicate the work of the general conference when it is held.

The supreme war council in Versailles did more than consider the subject of the armistice, and it is now learned that for a long time preceding the final collapse of the central powers much study and attention was given to the subject of final peace in all of its ramifications. Therefore, when the peace conference meets it will find before it a fairly well directed.

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WORK OF ENFORCING M.S.A. ENDS TODAY

According to camp orders today, the work of enforcing the M.S.A. ceased today. This is taken to mean that it is no longer necessary to carry military papers. All men of the C.E.F. who have been attached to the C.M. P.C. for the purpose of enforcing the act will be returned to their units. Deputy Registrar H. F. Beresford stated to The Advertiser today that he had received no orders affecting his part of the work.

CROWN PRINCE IS NOW REPORTED WITH TROOPS

Basel, Wednesday, Nov. 13 .- Reports that the former German crown prince is with his father in Holland are de-nied by a dispatch trom Berlin bearing Tuesday's date. The dispatch states that he is with his troops at the front.

SHOT BY UNKNOWN HUNTER.
Ottawa, Nov. 14.—E. G. White, local representative of the Dupont Powder Company, is in hospital here, suffering from a shattered left arm. He was shot while hunting in the Mattawa district by an unknown hunter. Mr. White was one of Canada's best-known trap shooters.

J. A. FORTNER WOUNDED .- Mrs. Smith, 124 Elmwood avenue, has received official notice that her brother, John A. Fortner, has been admitted to No. 6 Casualty Clearing Station, with gunshot wounds in the shoulder.



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Fall and winter models, plain tailored and fur-trimmed. Regularly priced \$27.50 to \$75.00, reduced as follows:

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No thrifty woman will let this grand opportunity slip by. The season's best styles, fabrics and colors are to be found in this immense assortment of over 150 suits. There are broadcloth, velours, serges, poplins and gabardines in all manner of smart button, braid and fur trimmings, in black, navy, brown, green, taupe and other good shades, and every size included.

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Just the coats in just the models that many have been hoping to find at these prices. Thoroughly good garments, full of style, warmth and service, in velours, broadcloth, pompoms, Salt's plushes and tweeds. Some trimmed with fur; others with seal plush, fur plush and velvet belted, and semi-belted. All sizes.

Ortistic Ladies Wear Co.

RELEASED FROM GERMAN RULE PEOPLE COULD NOT DO ENOUGH FOR THEIR CANADIAN RESCUERS

Lieut. Martin Bluethner Tells of Last Days of Fighting and Sends Home Interesting Collection of Tro phies.

smile!
That's what Currie thought,
When his men to France he
brought;
Now he's marching on, to old Berdance,
Shouting left and right, to men so strong and bright,
This is what old Bill hears at his

Picture of the Fighting.

The letters are of public interest in that they give a clear idea of the nature of the fighting on the western front as it gradually drew to a close, the incidents described being perhaps typical of what might be called the last fighting days of the great war.

In the German buttons I got from a fellow we took prisoner.

"The news continues to be great. Things are certainly going well, and we should get that unconditional surrender soon. Here's hoping!"

days of the great war.

"We are having a wonderful experience here just at present. As you will have seen by the papers, we are advancing very rapidly and the Germans Now they've shot the last, the fight to win,
Old Bill thought the whole world he'd defeat,
Make us all bow humbly at his feet,
But Victory Bonds we bought, and the money bought the shot, Now at home, and those in France, shout:

V-V-Victory! V-V-Victory! V-V-Victory! V-V-Victory Bonds will buy,
And another, still another, Will knock old Bill a sailing mighty high.

"Y'S" TO HAVE IMPORTANT

PART IN RECONSTRUCTION

have seen by the papers, we are advancing very rapidly and the Germans are retiring so rapidly that we are entering towns and villages and finding them almost in their usual state, with the civilians all there and scarcely any signs of war whatever, except the great number of German signboards and fingerposts stuck up everywhere. This is an immense change and innovation for us, of course, as we have become so accustomed to finding everything all smashed up with shell fire and the whole country plowed up and levelled almost flat. This advancing through an untouched country seems fine to us.

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Thomas Martin of the London Conservatory of Music was the recipient last week of two most interesting letters and a box of souvenirs sent to him from France by his nephew, Lieut.

Martin Bluetheer of the 5th Canadian and he gave me the lighter, which he said he had carried just for the purpose of giving to the him from France by his nephew, Lieut.

Rest Britisher he met, if he was lucky around the said he had carried just for the purpose of giving to the him from France by his nephew, Lieut. enough to get through. So you will be pelased to have it penaps, as it is rather an interesting souvenir.

and Mrs. W. A. Bluethner, this city. The souvenirs, which were mostly collected in the last battle of Cambrai, consist of a German gunner's helmet, in which the Prince of Wales, on a recent visit to Lieut. Bluethner's battalion, is said to have taken much interest, a flag, several French and German buttons, rosary, cigar holder and a cigarette lighter, made by a British prisoner in Germany, a Dublin Fusilier, who was found hiding in a house in Cambrai, having escaped from the German lines, and not knowing that the Allies had captured the town. In his joy he presented the souvenir to Lieut. Bluethner.

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FOUR YEARS OVERSEAS



Now Then, Who Said

Special shipment just arrived. We are offering this 60,000 lot of

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DARWIN TULIPS—Long-stemmed25c per dozen, 5 dozen for \$1.00
REMBRANDT—Vàriegated Darwins25c per dozen, 5 dozen for \$1.00
NAMED VARIETIES, 10 cents per dozen less than regular prices. CROCUS, for lawns 10c per dozen, 12 dozen for \$1.00

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on short notice. We are always on the wire and at your service. DOMINION SEEDS, LIMITED

Mayor C. R. Somerville is sending a letter to A. C. Attwood of Ilderton, thanking him for his donation of apples to the soldiers during the recent apple campaign. The mayor thinks that Mr. Attwood has shown a fine spirit, and that he should be shown that it is appreciated

Impossible to have another little drink that wouldn't do you any harm, but it is possible to buy another little bond. It won't do you any harm, but will bring you in a nice income. Buy two and enjoy yourself. Buy three and have a regular celebration.

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GRAPHIC PICTURE OF BATTLEFRONT. ENGLAND AND THE LONGING FOR HOME FELT BY BOYS OVERSEAS

A descriptive letter of England and her beauty and the war and its horrors has been sent to a friend in the city by Pte. Guy R. Cotton:

Dear Friend,—Here in this quiet rural that make the blood run cold, creating

Organizer Jack Clarke, after read-