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WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUG. 30.

Radials to Bring Mutual Benefit

Fears on the purt of some of the control of the

have the taunt thrown at us-"Physician, heal thyself."

One other point may be considered by those who fear the growth of Toronto, and its possible monopolization of commercial and industrial interests. Toronto has no cinch on the municipal supremacy of Ontario. Some of us can remember when St. Louis sneered at Chicago. It would take several St. Louises to make Chicago today. St. Paul used to look down on Minneapolis. Rochester used to be the big place in northern New York, but Buffalo outstripped it. Twentyfive years ago Buffalo was the big western country their new home. city and Toronto the "village." Toronto leads Buffalo now. We often hear jokes about Hamilton, but Hamilton Manchester Shows Interest in Canada's ton is the greatest competitor Toronto has to fear. Orillia, in fact, may have more to fear from Hamilton than from Toronto. While Toronto persists in her present lock-up policy, compelling residents to pay high rents to live in down town districts for want of access to outlying districts, she labors under a heavy handigap.

Food Production in Europe

A memorandum has been issued by the British Board of Agriculture, in which the development of agriculture in Germany during the last thirty years is set forth. The idea is to stimulate production, or perhaps even more, the wider use of British soil for tillage. The figures supplied are exceedingly interesting in connection with the undoubted power Germany has shown in the last year or two of self-support. Great Britain, blockaded, could probably not have held out six months. Hence the necessity of the British navy.

The memorandum has been prepared by the assistant secretary of the board. Mr. T. H. Middleton, C.B., and he asserts that a hundred acre farm in serts that a hundred acre farm in England feeds 45 to 50 persons, while BEAURICH CIGARS a hundred acre farm in Germany feeds 70 to 75. This means that an acre and a third will do in Germany t takes two acres to do in England. On 100 acres Britain grows! 15 tons of grain, 11 tons potatoes, four tons of meat, 171/2 tons of milk and a MICHIE & CO., LIMITED small quentity of sugar. In Germany

the same land would produce 33 tons of grain, 55 tons potatoes, 41/2 tons mest, 28 tons milk and 2% tons sugar. The percentage of food supply in Germany has not appreciably altered, altho the population has risen from 48,000,000 in 1888, to 67,000,000 in 1913. Mr. Middleton appears to regard the fact as significant, that in Germany

93 per cent. of the land was owned by the small farmers, while in England and Wales only 11 per cent. of those who work the land own it. The actual methods of cultivation in England are not inferior to the German methods, and the difference in the 100 acre estimate is due to the fact that in England two-thirds of the cultivated land is in grass, while in Germany only one-third is in grass, In England and Wales the area of plowed land has decreased by about 26 per cent, in the last 40 years. Any radical change in production must come, therefore, from a return to a wider plow policy.

This at once raises fiscal questions about which there is no general agreement. Mr. Middleton thinks, however, that if the farmer is called upon to increase his production and to face the conditions which arose in 1816-17, in 1843-44, and in 1879-83, the nation must be prepared to say to the farmer that it would see him thru such lean periods, if he did what was required of him at other times. This ocialistic view does not appear to have shocked any one so far. It was such a policy in Germany that has industrial, are going to follow the war, enabled Germany to feed her people will be well advised if he places a fairly during the war.

large supply of "ifs" and "buts" in places where they will allow of a tremendous latitude of interpretation. Otherwise it may keep him busy for the rest of his natural days making explanations and defending the prognostications that he There does not seem to be special lesson in the figures for Ontario farmers. The difference in the onditions renders comparison diffiset forth.

Now that many of the leading com cult. It may be admitted that our

Politically, such acts on the part

of the Conservative party can only result in driving those Jews who are believers in Conservative principles into the ranks of the Liberal party, for no persons with red blood in their veins can stand having their faith and the western crop. The task of transkin sneered at, jeered and abused. porting to the west this great army L. Gurofsky.

MAKE HOME IN WEST.

Five thousand citizens from differ-ent parts of Ontario left the Union Station yesterday on the C.P.R. train thirty-six hours, without change or for the west. Many of the men who left on the "harvesters" train took their families along with them, and it is understood that they will make the from Winnipeg.

TRADE AFTER THE WAR.

August 31—From Toronto-Sudbury line and east, but not including Smith's Falls or Renfrew, also from main line east of Sudbury to but not LONDON, Aug. 29.—Welcoming the Canadian trade commissioners to the city, R. B. Stoker, president of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce, said the views which Sir George Foster recently expressed there had carried conviction to many who had not previously seen things in the same light. He could say as chairman of a shipping company, that when peace was declared they would be able to carry every yard of cloth from Manchester to Montreal direct.

Many Manchester business firms are Many Manchester business firms are making enquiries of the Canadian com-

SERIOUS DRESDEN RIOTS. Ecore of Soldiers Reported Killed by

LONDON, Aug. 29.—Reports have reached The Hague, says the correspondent of the Central News, that 85 civilians, 22 soldiers and 4 policemen were killed in riots in Dresden lest week. The disorders are said to have been brought on by a demonstration against the imposition of an increased sentence on Dr. Karl Liebknecht as a result of his appeal from the finding of the military court. The crowds were eventually dispelled by troops, the despatch says, after 200 persons had been arrested.

MICHIE'S

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I'M HERE FOR THE

IS IT SOCIALISM?

(Gueiph Mercury, Aug. 28).

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us what conditions, political, social and

ing the prognostications that

THOUSANDS OF MEN REQUIRED

FOR HARVESTING

IN WESTERN CANADA.

Thousands of men are required to

elp in the great work of harvesting

of workers will fall to the lot of the

Excursions from points in Ontario

to Manitoba, Saskatchewan and 'Al-

berta will be run, and special trains

operated, making the trip in about

"Going Trip West," \$12.00 to Win

Consult C.P.R. agents regarding

September 2-From Toronto, elso

Further particulars from Canadian

Pacific ticket agents, or W. B. How-

ward, district passenger agent, To-

Dribbling footballs before them as

they charge the German trenches, is a game indulged in by troops on the western front. This is illustrated in

this week's art section of The Toronto

AID RESOURCES COMMITTEE.

A committee representative of all patriotic associations in the city

has been formed in Hamilton to work

in conjunction with the organization of resources committee, whose head-

quarters is in the parliament buildings,

KIDNEY

23 THE P

nipeg. "Returning Trip East," \$18.00

transportation west of Winnipeg.

Going Dates.

including North Bay.

Sunday World.

west and south thereof.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

transfer.





CASUALTY LIST IS

BECOMING LIGHTER

Only Nine Names of Toronto

Men Appeared

Yesterday.

June. He had no previous military ex-

Major-General Logie on a recent visit to Camp Kapuskasing is shown

with a group of officers in this week's

Western Congregations Will Mais

Protest Against Church

Union.

Rev. J. W. McNamara, secretary of

the Presbyterian convocatio nto be held in Toronto on October 17 to oppose

church union, states that he has a num-

ber of letters from western churches

stating that congregations will be represented at the convocation. One letter from Rev. E. Lloyd Morrow, Warkworth, states that "forced church

evening mass meetings to protest against union with the Methodists and

Congregationalists will be held in con-

nection with the convocation to be ad-

dressed on various phases of the work of the Presbyterian Church.

CURRIER SUES C. N. R.

Claiming \$50,000 damages for injur-

es which he alleges he sustained while

passenger on the Canadian Northern Railroad lines, Guilford T. Currier of Newton, Mass., has filed an action at

Osgoode Hall. The writ was issued

\$12.00 TO WINNIPEG, HARVEST

HELP EXCURSION.

In order to facilitate the transporta-

tion of the army of harvesters the

Grand Trunk Railway will run the fol-

lowing excursions: August 31st, from

all stations, Lyn. Ont., and west to and

including Toronto, Weston, Meaford,

Palgrave, and north to and including Huntsville. Sept. 2nd, from all stations—Toronto, Caledon East, Owen Sornd, Wiartor and west and south thereof in Canada. Fare 312.00 to

Winnipeg, via the new Transcontinen-tal route. Full particulars from any Grand Trunk agent, or write C. E. Horning, D.P.A., Toronto,

union would mean disruption."

WILL BE REPRESENTED

The Toronto Sunday

AT THE CONVOCATION

experience.





URGES IMPROVEMENT

Ald. Risk Would Spend Big Sum to Make It Attractive Resort.

yesterday at the meeting of the parks and exhibition committee in the city hall, and in urging the improvement of the pleasure resort Alderman C. A. Risk remarked that it should not be regarded merely as such, but as Toronto's most attractive feature. He thought that it could be made vastly superior to Belle Isle at Detroit, as in had better natural advantages and suggested that an estimate be prepared of all revenue which could possibly be derived in a certain period of years. The alderman said: "Suppose our The alderman said: "Suppose our revenue amounted to \$60,000 or \$70,000

that would pay the interest and sink-ing fund on \$600,000, and we should spend all that amount in two years." The question had arisen thru the parks commissioner appearing before the committee regarding the renewal of a number of leases at the Island for a further period of 21 years, and Ald.

Risk took the opportunity to do a little boosting. It was not king, however, before Ald. Cowan informed him that the subject under discussion was loosed and it was ultimately decided the hands of companies manhants of to renew them for a period of ten years

WILLS PROBATED

John Gouinlock, insurance broker, by the tariff companies is rated by the association and below that rate no member of the Canadian Fire \$15,469, to his three children, James, Walter and Edith Gouinlock. Under the terms of the will, James receives his father's interest in the insurance business, and the residue is divided between the children, four-tenths being bequeathed to Edith Gouinlock and the remainder to be divided equally between the two brothers.

EXORBITANT CHARGES. Alleged Against Express Firms by Yonge Street Merchant.

"It costs more to get goods delivered to our place of business after arrival in Toronto than from outside points to the city," said an official of Lemon Bros. 2507 Yonge street, North Toronto, in discussing the methods adopted by the express companies in the out-of-the-limits area last evening with Chairman J. R. MacNichel, who, accompanied by several members of the executive committee of the citizens' express and freight campaign, visited the North Toronto district for the purpose of collecting evidence of unfair treatment to be laid before the Dominion railway board at their next sitting. boy who enlisted with a Toronto bat-talion. He went to England in March and has been in the trenches since Pte. Thomas Abbel, only son of Mrs. Ellen Barton, 18 Sumach street, has been wounded and has been admitted to the general hospital at Calais. He enlisted last March with the 74th Battalion, and on his arrival in England was transferred to a unit at the front.

TEN TEACHERS RESIGN.

Ten resignations of teachers from the public school staff, to take effect Sept. 1, will be acted upon by the management committee. This is a usual amount incident at the management committee meeting preceding the opening of the new school year. Several appointments of assistant princi-pals will also be made.

OF TORONTO ISLAND SAYS UNDERWRITERS **CONTROL INSURANCE**

Fire Marshal Heaton Presents Toronto Island was under discussio Report to Commis-

AT THE FIRST SESSION

Declares Association's Attitude to Insuring Public Autocratic.

The fire insurance commission, which Mr. Justice Masten is the chairman, held its first session in the parliament buildings yesterday. Some thirty-five representative insurance ditions should cover fire insurance men were present. Hon. I. B. Lucus represented the government.

Provincial Fire Marshal E. P. hands of companies, members of Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association, known as tariff companies, who transact over 80 per cent. of the entire business of the province. That the main proposal of the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association

was, and is, the maintenance of fire insurance rates. That every risk insured in Ontario Underwriters' Association is permitted to insure.

That in order to ensure strict adherence to rates, rules and regu-lations a detection scheme known as a "stamping system" was organ ized and put in operation in certain important districts. That with the unexpressed but ob

vious object of restricting competition the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association prohibits business intercourse with non-tariff com-That with a similar object in view the association has extended

rules to suppress or limit forms, clauses and conditions advantageous to the insuring public readily granted in other countries and acceptable to companies here if allowed to exercise their own judgment.

That with a similar object in view the association has entered into an agreement with the only insurance map and plan publishers in Canada, to restrict the use of maps and plans to members of the association, thus producing in actual practice a complete monopoly in favor of the tariff companies.

Association Autocratic. That the attitude of the associa ion to the insuring public has been arbitrary and autocratic.

That the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association had admittedly failed to make any serious effort to obtain reliable statistics upon which the adequacy of rates might with

By Lou Skuce The Lights of 65 Years Ago are still doing duty in the shape of

Dreimen for displaying the Wood weak Stree Blac SILK Ever and varie fetas de fand AUT STE.

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styles
at \$1
each.

Sixty-five years ago the first Canadian - made Matches were made at Hull by EDDY and since that time, for materials and striking qualities, EDDY'S have been the acknowledged best.

WHEN BUYING MATCHES

W. A. Howard, fire chief at Peter-

W. A. Howard, fire chief at Peterboro, advocated legislation:

(a) To prohibit the accumulation of combustible rubbish in and about congested districts of cities and towns,

(b) To create and maintain certain restrictions in connection with the erection of all classes of buildings, having regard to the prevention of fire december of the control of the december of the control of t partments in cities and towns is hands of an independent local mission consisting of not more

hree members.
(d) Debentures. The amendment the present act, governing mun institutions, R.S.O. chapter 129, tion 407, to read "\$25,000," instead of "\$5000" and also making the act applicable to cities as well as towns and villages

villages.

W. J. Vale, superintendent of insurance, advocated that government the unified over accident and control be unified over accident a fire insurance, and that statutory or automobiles as on buildings. He sug-gested also that insurance agents shall be licensed.

CITY HALL NOTES

Works Commissioner Harris was asked yesterday morning by Controller Foster why the asphalt had not been completed on Lansdowne avenue fr hill. He was told that the delay been caused by the construction of the eastern entrance to the Exhibition, the available maintenance men has been detailed to this work. will be commenced immediately.

Instead of conducting negotiation with the Exhibition board regards the use of the Exhibition Grounds the military authorities, the board of control decided yesterday to deal directly with the authorities at Ottawa. It was the mayor's opinion that so trouble might occur in the accounts if this was not done.

ATTRACTIVE WEEK-END TRIP.

The charming Muskoka Lakes are brought within easy reach of those de-siring an ideal week-end trip. The Grand Trunk Railway offer an attrac-live tour from Tagesta tive tour from Toronto all around Mus-loka Cakes and return for \$5. Tick ets good to leave Toronto Saturdays return up to Monday night. Train leave 2.05 a.m. daily, 12.01 noon daily except Sunday. Sleeping car on a.m. train, ready for reception of sengers night previous. Further in-tormation, list of hotels, illustrated descriptive matter, etc., from Grand Trunk city office, northwest corns King and Yonge streets, Toronto.

ACCUSED IS ABSENT.

Charged with the theft of \$35 fro client, L. V. McBrady, barrister, did not appear in the police court for and secured a week's adjournment



Special Extra Mild Stout.

A brew for every taste. At all Hotels and Dealers.

Special Extra Ale - Old Stock Ale - Pilsener Lager

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