LIEUT. STEPHENS REPORTED INJURED

Toronto Aviator Seriously Hurt While on Active Service in France.

NO CASUALTY LIST

Department Issues No Statement, Evidently Because Things Are Very Quiet.

fecting several Toronto soldiers. Flight-Lieut, M. Stephens, Royal Naval Flight-Lieut, M. Stephens, Royal Naval Air Service, & former accountant in Toronto, is officially reported to have been seriously injured on January 22. Lieut. Stephens with born in Medicite Park, Raimay, Hampehire, England, 23 years ago. He enlisted for service with the 186th Eattalien but later went into the air service, and went overseas a year ago. He was a member of the Rosedale Athletic Club and has a sister in Foronto and & brother an officer in the South Larcashire Regiment.

Now Believed Dead.

Didward W. Archer, previously red missing, is now believed by his sis-Mrs. Charles Lone, 98 Bond street, to been killed. Pte. Archer enlisted at wa. His father was a vetowan of the ean war and every member of the familia of the colors. The street of the same war and every member of the familia of the colors of the same war and every member of the familia of the colors of the same war and every member of the familia of the same war and every member of the familia of the same was physically fit, joined the colors of the same way and the same w ily who was physically fit, joined the colors. Particulars concerning the injuries to Pte. J. F. Atherly, 29 Lisgar street, have been received by his wife and are to the effect that about the first of October he was buried by the explosion of a shell. He received severe internal injuries. Two others lost their lives by the same shell. Pte. Atherley wore a watch given him by Court Dote, 1.0.F., which was struck by a bullet ard smashed. The watch undoubtedly saved him a severe wound in the wrist. He was eventually discharged from the hospital and attached to a reinforcing unit. He had been with the 2rd Battalion and his mother, John F. Atherley, 45 Denison avenue, was with the \$2rd Battalion, Both went overseas with the \$2rd Battalion.

SALARIED OFFICERS MEAN BETTER SERVICE

New System of Paying County Constables Proves Highly

No very momentous matters were before the members of the York County council yeasterday and it will not be until the equalization committee brings in its report that any real life will be injected into the season of council. The equalization of the assessment over the county on which the taxes for the year are based is always the big event of the year. This afternoon council will adjourn over Saturday, meeting again either on Monday or Tuesday.

The death of W. A. Lawries, the late caretaker of the county municipal buildings, leaves a vacancy to be filled and Deputy-Reeve Graham of York Township suggested that the vacant office be filled by, a returned soldier. No definite action was taken, but Mrs. Lawrie will continue to perform the duties until the next meeting of council in June, when an appointment will be made.

Reeve Charles Silverthorne of Etoblooko and Reeve J. M. Gardhouse of Weston, were appointed commissioners.

The report of Police Magistrate Brunton showed that 1685 cases were tried in the county police court in the six months ending November 10. The total amount of costs involved amounted to \$8488, with a total of 119 indictable offences. "The efficient are more efficient, under salary the whole administration of justice is on a digher plane and motorists caught in the act of exceeding the limit pay their fines with pleasure," said the magistrate in summarizing up his report.

American Civil War Veteran

I W Westervelt, who died at his daughter's residence, 128 Denison aveue, was a veteran of the American Civil War. He had served thru the American War and had drawn a penion for total disability, having wounded several times, which caused im to suffer severely for many years He has a son now in England with the 170th Battalion, and a grandson in France with the 166th Battalion, and eaves a widow, residing at Leslie. Ont., and three sons and four daugh-ters—W. J. B. Westervelt, overseas, and Harry, in the Toronto General Postoffice; Johnston Leslie of Port Ar-Mrs. Percy Pelche of Colling-Mrs. Alex. Devall, Mrs. Harry Ranger Mrs. Rowland Line, all of Toronto. The service was held at his on the strongs on's residence, 22 Endetan avenue, in the city. Friday evening at 9 p.m., and in ment was made at Everett, Ont.

Hopes Women Will Adopt This Habit As Well As Men

Glass of hot water each morning helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

vivacious a good clear skin; a natural, rosy complexion and freedom from illness are assured only by lean, healthy/blood. If only oman and likewise every man could ealize the wonders of the morning aside bath, what a gratifying change Instead of the thousands of sickly, Instead of the thousands of sickly, naemic-locking men, women and mend Hill, George Beatty, W.M., preanaemic-locking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks," "rundowns," "brain ags" and pessimists we should see a viril optimistic throng of rosycheeked people everywhere.

An annaide bath without by drinking, ach morning before breakfast, a ach morning before breakfast, a of Vaughan suggesting that the July 12 celebration be held at Woodoridge this

spoonful of limestone phosphate in it year. The district meeting will probevs and ten yards of bowels the pre- urday, Feb. 3. vious day's indigestible waste sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening he entire alimentary canal before outling more food into the stomach. Those subject to sick headaches, bilousness, nasty breath. colds: and particularly those wh ave a rallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are linged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone prosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle, but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who emember that inside cleanwaess

LODGE NEWS

MASONIC PAST MASTERS HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Decide to Submit a Proposal for the Curtailment of Expenditures.

There was a good turnout of mem-ters of the different masonic lodges ut the city at the annual meeting of the past masters' association in the Temple Building. Dr. D. J. Goggin, the president, was unable to be present on account of illness. The chair was occupied during the evening by Vice-President F. W. Harcourt, K.C.

The experiment of militiz at Ottawa has lodges the question of the curtailment of examples since Thursday. Informatical received thru other channels, however, tells of the fortunes of war as for order is a provide a special bond of union for past most rebond of union for past mesters. It was also requested that arrangements the made to have lectures which will educate the members on the different work of the association.

Following is the list of officers elect-

ed. M.W. Bro. J. Ross Robertson, hon, president; R.W. Bro. F. W. Harcourt, president; Geo. H. Smith, vice-president, Henry T. Smith, secretary-treasurer; R.W. Bros. Jas. Huywood, R. J. Gibson; V.W. Bros. J. W. Rogers, F. Saunders, W. Bros. J. B. Hutchins, E. F. Walker, H. G. French, W. F. Chapman, L. J. Clark and J. K. Leslie, R.W. Bros. J. B. Nixon and Geo. Lidely, M. S. Chapman, L. J. Clark and J. K. Leslie, R.W. Bros. J. B. Nixon and Geo. Lidely, M. S. Chapman, L. J. Clark and J. K. Leslie, R.W. Bros. J. B. Nixon and Geo. Lidely, M. S. Chapman, L. J. Clark and J. K. Leslie, R.W. Bros. J. B. Nixon and Geo. Lidely, M. S. Chapman, L. J. Clark and J. K. Leslie, R.W. Bros. J. B. Nixon and Geo. Lidely, M. S. Chapman, L. J. Clark and J. K. Leslie, R.W. Bros. J. B. Nixon and Geo. Lidely, M. S. Chapman, L. J. Clark and J. K. Leslie, R.W. Bros. J. B. Nixon and Geo. Lidely, M. S. Chapman, M.

Runnymede L. O. L. Instal Officers at Monthly Meeting

Runnymede L.O.L. No. 1897 held its regular monthly meeting in Cook's Hall, it being the occasion of the first official visit of the newly-elected officers of Toronto Junction District Lodge. Wor. Bro. Richard Sendall was chairman, and directed the proceedings.

Those district officers not previous ly installed were duly placed in office last night by T. C. Woolner, district master. The complete list of district officers is: Master, J. C. Woolner, No. 1997; deputy master, Ivan Andrews, No. 2142; chaplain, C. A. Carter, No. 602; recording secretary, J. M. Davis, No. 2142; financial secretary, F. H. Robson, No. 1997; treasurer, T. C. Thompson, No. 2515; director of ceremonies, Joseph Henry, No. 2142; lecturer, N. Neurguard, No. 2142: deputy lecturer, George Dun-A new set of officers' collars, don-

ated by last year's district officers, were distributed. Four new members were initiated into the order. The ten primary lodges were well represented, there being a good attendance.

LISTFIELD LODGE S.O.E.

Patriotic addresses featured regular meeting of Listfield Lcdge No. 146 Sons of England, held in O'Neill's Hall, Parliament and Queen streets St. George's Lodge No. 27 paid the order a fraternal visit. After the meeting the members of both lodges played carpet ball. The visiting played carpet ball. [The visiting lodge won the game by a store of 41]

MOUNT DENNIS LODGE MEETS.

an Civil War Veteran

Died in Toronto Yesterday

Was initiated and deputy county master, Wor. Bro. J. R. Finley, and Wor. Bro. J. C. Bull were present. Wor. Bro. Bell addressed the members on behalf of the insurance branch.

Templars

Was initiated and edeputy county master, Wor. Bro. J. R. Finley, and Wor. Bro. J. C. Bull were present. It is worth while noting that this gradual development from an investment of three hundred dollars raised by public subscription to property now worth millions has been due in most the fact that the funds

Hold Bums Celebration

The Hope of Earlscourt Lodge I.O.G. r. held a very successful Burns night in the St David's Church ball Earlsdered and Bro. Jas. Black gave Burns' address to a haggis, after which ter was served. The latter part of the program was lendered by several members of the Bantams Buttalion, 216th, including Sergt. Chamberlain, Sergt. Binkley, Sergt. Marr, Bands-man Cane and Mr. McEwan. Miss Phyllis Marr gave Highland dances. The Hope of Earlscourt Lodge is now the strongest Good Templars'

Court Sherwood, I. O. F. Holds Annual Installation

A large and enthusiastic meeting of Court Sherwood Forest, Independent Order of Foresters No. 3105 was held last evening in the Temple Building. The officers for the year 1917 were duly installed by Clarence Bell, P. H. C. R., I. R. Alkens, P.H.C.R., Samuel Mar- of tin, P.H.C.R. The retiring chief ranger, Mr. H. P. Howard, was presented with Donald, founder of the great dry ecognition of his untiring and enthusiastic services during the year. The musical portion of the program was rendered by E. Jules Brazil, Ted. Parker, W. B. Archer, W. A. Turley and H Meyers. The chief ranger, Norman N. Mutch, presided. Happy, bright, alert-vigorous and gressive year is expected for

VICTORIA ORANGE LODGE. Invites Vaughan Orangemen to Cele-brate the 12th at Woodbridge.

At a meeting of Victoria L. O. L celebration be held at Woodpridge this

BOYNE L. O. L.

At the meeting of Boyne L. O. L. No. 173, in Victoria Hall last evening, presentation of a past moster's jewel rheumatism, was made by W. Bro. W. Crawford, past county master, to Bro. J. Moran. The following are the officers for 1917; W. M., W. Milling: D. M., A. Johnson; chaplain, J. McMinn; treasurer. J. Moran; financial-secretary, A Farrance; recording secretary, Buchanan; committee, J. Agnew, H. Denison, J. McMinn, F. McColouch and ractice internal sanitation. We must L. Molholland; auditors, M. McCartney, J. Roache and A. Douglas: physician. important than outside, bel Dr. Soady. The lodge has now twentyause the skin does not absorb impur- four names on its honor roll. One has Barnes; vice grand, J. Pollock; grand contaminate the blood, while made the supreme sacrifice, Bro. A. master, A. Savage; secretary, F.

WONDERFUL GROWTH CANADA PERMANEN FROM SMALL START

History of a Successful Public Service That Now Involves Millions.

NEW MAUSOLEUM

Most Modern Type of Building to Be Erected in Mount Pleasant.

Ninety years ago, while what is now Toronto was still "Muddy Little York." Thomas Carfrae, the younger, and other inhabitants obtained a charter for the first non-sectarian cemetery Their entire resources consisted, of seventy-five pounds currency-three hundred dollars-raised by public subscription, no individual subscription exceeding one dollar. With this they purchased six acres north of Bloor street, west of Yonge, which they called the Potters' Field. From this small beginning has gradually developed a most important and valuable public service now embracing three cemeteries-Necropolis, Mount Pleasant and In that early day the community was

relatively small, and the Potters' Feld served its needs for almost thirty years. When ultimately it became necessary to close it, the trustees purchased in 1855 the Necropolis, and to this they transferred the remains from the Potters' Field. The purchase price of these fifteen acres was \$16.000, and the trustees available funds amounted to one thousand dollars only. Three ers of the board accordingly assumed personal liability for the balance of the purchase money, since under the law no interments could take place unless the property were free from encumbrance.

During the next fifteen years the needs of the city grew more rapidly. The ground at the Necropolis was found inadequate: and in 1873 Mount Pleasant, two hundred acres in extent. was acquired at a cost of \$20,000. This was followed in 1889 by the purchase of Prospect Cemetery—one hundred and five acres—to serve the western portion of the city.

The small beginning of 1826 is nov

represented by these three splendid properties with their valuable improvements, including extensive landscape and tree planting work, elaborate drainage and roadway systems, miles of permanent pavements, chapels, mortuaries, office buildings, bridges, dams, To the board's expenditure for improvements have been added hundreds of thousands of dollars by lot owners in the erection of suitable tombs and monuments. Large Trust Fund.

Originally lots were sold subject to an annual charge for upkeep, but this village system was long ago outgrown. Now a certain proportion of the price A meeting was held by the Mount care fund, which at the present time Dennis L.O.L. No. 2527. Wor, Bro. H. exceeds \$250,000. These moneys are kept entirely separate from the board's

the main to the fact that the funds received were expended on the property itself instead of being paid out as profits. The trustees have been true to the public character of the enterprise. There have been no shareholders, no capital stock, no dividends. The result has been that the prices charged have always been kept considerably below those charged in privately owned cemeteries serving similar populations. At the same time the original three hundred dollars has grown into property of enormous The first trustees were Peter Pat-

terson, John Ewart, Thos. Carfrae the younger, Thos. D. Morrison, M.D., afterwards mayor of Toronto, and Thos. Helliwell. They were succeeded from time to time by some of Toronto's most prominent citizens, who each in turn devoted time, thought and business sagacity to the develop-ment of the great public trust. They included Jas. Lesslie, for many years postmaster of Toronto; A. T. McCord, long time city chamberlain; Senator William McMaster, first president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce; George Hague, then general manager the Bank of Toronto: Walker of the Golden Lion; John Maca beautiful past chief ranger's jewel in goods house; Jas. Michie, of Fulton, recognition of his untiring and en. Michie & Co.; Robert Wilkes, wholee jeweler; Waring Kennedy and B. McMurrich, K.C., both in turn upying the mayor's chair: Hon. J. C. Aikens, one time lieutenant-goverfor of Manitoba, and many others.

(To such men, who in the face of numberless difficulties and discouragements have achieved an unparalleled public service triumph, the citi

zens of Toronto are forever indebted.

Above-ground Burial. The labors and far-sighted plans of those public-spirited ploneers make it possible for their successors of to-day to keep pace with modern improvements and to provide for Toronto citizens above-ground interment on terms impossible to any private enterprise. Public announcement has been

lated after careful study to erect a modern mausoleum in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Most of the better structures on the continent have been investigated and under the personal supervision of Mr. Frank Darling as architect the trustees feel that they are now in a position to earry out their plans. The location chosen adjoins the finest family tombs in the cemetery, including the splendid Flaton and Cox structures. This community mausoleum based on well considered designs, of substantial construction with adequate provision for future administration and upkeep should prove an eminently suitable form of interment affording every guarantee of performance and safety.

ALEXANDER LODGE.

Alexander Lodge, Manchester Unity O. O. F. No. 8143, has re-elected and installed the following officers for the ensuing year: Noble grand, F. the pores in the thirty feet of Lowels Coombs, and one wounded. Bro. T. A. Mawby; treasurer, J. F. Fauderner; recording secrett y, R. Wertlock.

MORTGAGE CORPORATION

ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of Shareholders of the Canada Permanent Mertgage Cerporation was held at the Head Office of the Corporation, Toronto Street. Toronto, on Friday, January 28th, at twelve o'clock noon.

The President, Mr. W. G. Gooderham, occupied the chair, and the Secretary, Mr. George H. Smith, having been appointed Secretary of the meeting, read the Report of the Directors for the year 1916, and the Statement of Assets and Liabilities, which are as follows:

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The Directors of the Corporation have much pleasure in presenting to the Shareholders the Annual Statement of the Corporation's business for the year 1916, to which is appended the certificate of the Auditors. The net profits for the year, after deducting interest on borrowed capital, expenses of management, all charges and losses, War Taxes and sundry contributions to Patriotic Funds, amounted to \$863,126.44. The balance at the credit of Profit and Loss at the beginning of the year was

Making the total sum available for distribution This amount has been appropriated as follows;

Four quarterly dividends of Two and One-half per cent. each on the Capital Stock \$ 690,090.00

All which is respectfully submitted. W. G. GOODERHAM, Toronto, January 10th, 1917.

GENERAL STATEMENT

LIABILITIES LIABILITIES TO THE PUBLIC.

Accounts \$20,919,130,54

LIABILITIES TO SHAREHOLDERS.

 Capital Stock
 \$ 6,000,000.00

 Reserve Fund
 5,000,000.00

 Dividend Payable 2nd January, 1917
 150,000.00

 Balance carried forward at Credit of Profit and Loss.
 195,652.27

ASSETS

R. S. HUDSON, JOHN MASSEY, Joint General Managers.

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We beg to report that we have examined the foregoing Accounts, together with the books and vouchers of the Corporation, and that we have obtained all the information and explanations we have required. In our opinion the Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Corporation's affairs, according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us, and as shown by the books of the Corporation.

A. E. OSLER, HENRY BARBER, Auditors. Toronto, January 8th, 1917.

The adoption of the Report of the Directors was moved by the President, Mr. all cases, are forwarded by post from England by the telegraph company, The Report and Statement which the Secretary has just read have been and should not, therefore, be directed for some time in your hands, and no doubt have been carefully perused by you. I think they do not call for more than passing comment by me.

tion has again been able not only to earn and pay quarterly dividends aggregating Ten per cent. but to have placed to the credit of the Reserve another substantial sum of \$250,000, as has been done for some years past. That Fund now amounts to Five Million Dollars. This has been accomplished, notwithstanding the fact that our money borrowed abroad is costing more today than at any time during the past forty years, while there has not been a corresponding increase in the rates of interest obtainable on mortgage loans. Securities issued by the British and the allied Governments have yielded investors such unusually high rates of interest that we could not profitably compete with them. The difference between the high rates we would have had offer in order to ensure the renewal of most of our-debentures which became due during the year, and the moderate rates obtainable here, has not been sufficient to afford much margin of profit. Your Directors have, therefore, deemed it advisable to repay a considerable amount of the Sterling Debentures which matured. This is a war condition which we must expect to continue for the present year at least.

Our Reserve Fund having been increased during the past four years by

the sum of One Million Dollars, it may be that some of the Shareholders would not altogether agree with the advice given by the Finance Minister, Sir Thomas White, that, while the war is occupying our country's resources to the utmost financial institutions should save their extra earnings by increasing reserves rather than the returns to the Shareholders, but your Directors entirely agree with his views. We feel that during these times of grave financial disturbance and with the uncertainties as to how long the present unsettled conditions may continue, or to what extent they may be aggravated, the Shareholders should commend the policy of the Directors in preferring to conserve the resources of the Corporation, and, in the meantime, to keep intact the funds which it may be possible to set aside as an additional fortification against whatever the future may have in store. In pursuance of this policy we may face that future with absolute confidence, and we have no doubt that in time the results will prove to be greatly to the advantage of the Corporation and

consequently to the profit of the Shareholders. Your Directors are gratified with the manner in which borrowers generally have met their obligations, both interest and principal. In some sections the grain crops were adversely affected by the drouth and rust, and in consequence some of our mortgagors have been compelled to ask for indulgence, which has been cheerfully granted. The consideration shown our customers under the circumstances named is always appreciated, and proves mutually

While in many instances the selling values of properties, especially in cities and towns, have been materially affected by the financial uncertainties of the past two or three years, the Corporation's interests have been protected against the possibility of serious loss by the conservative policy of the Management. It has always been our practice to avoid all securities of a speculative nature, to require very safe margins, and to provide in our mortgages for satisfactory reduction of the principal originally loaned. The repayments, which in most cases had been made previous to the present unsettled situation, had, so increased the margin of security as to fully compensate for the temporary shrinkage in values. In making later loans, which have not as yet been so greatly reduced, the Directors adopted an even more than usually conservative policy, as they recognized as far back as 1912 and 1913 that the tendency was for values to become somewhat inflated, and governed themselves accordingly.

In good times as well as bad there will always be borrowers who, through poor management or owing to misfortunes, will be unable to redeem their properties. In such cases, when the Corporation has to look to the security, it occasionally finds the property so depreciated that the full claim cannot be realized. Owing, however, to our efficient system of inspection, both of the properties covered by our mortgages and of the Corporation's various offices, this does not frequently occur. All our accounts as well as securities are so closely inspected that these comparatively small losses are usually anticipated. am able to say to you that, in the result now submitted, ample provision has been made for any deductions which may be found necessary, even under existing disturbed conditions.

It affords me much pleasure to testify to the loyalty and zeal of the office staffs at Head Office and at the different Branches; also of the Company's Inspectors. In common with other financial concerns, many of our staff have been called away by the demands of our manhood to the great war, and, enable them to respond, every facility has been afforded those who are called upon for this sacrifice.

I think I need not end anything to these remarks, more than to say that in the opinion of your Directors, the result of the year's operations is eminently satisfactory, and we trust it may prove equally satisfactory to the Shareholders.

I have pleasure in moving, seconded by Mr. Matthews, the First Vice-President, that the report of the Directors be received and adopted, and, together with the General Statement be printed and a copy sent to each Share-In seconding this motion, the First Vice-President, Mr. W. D. Matthews

I have much pleasure in seconding the adoption of the Report, and I am quite sure it will be received by the Shareholders with as much gratification as it has given the Directors to be able to present such a good statement to you at this time. The statement shows that the profits for the year are satis-

factory, and that the Company is in a strong financial position.

At every important meeting the war and its effects are the main topics for discussion, and many opinions are advanced about the conditions that will be brought about when peace is established. .
Up to the present, Canoria has come through the periods of trial because of changed conditions that have been in evidence, with credit to the Dominion because of her response to the Imperial call for soldiers, and in the rapid and in which our manufacturers entered into the work of fitting their factories to fill the orders for munitions, a class of work that was entirely

The orders for munitions of all kinds have been on such a gigantic scale that the quantity delivered has been regulated only by the supply of labor.

What prosperity we have had in former years has been mainly brought

about by the development of our natural resources, and of these, agriculture is the most important.

The policy of your Company has been always to favor loans on farm properties, and a large percentage of the mortgages held is on that class of security. The high prices that have ruled for all kinds of farm produce have a continually good financial position. Fortunately put our farmers in an exceptionally good financial position. Fortunately, we have not had any important speculation in farm lands, so that the values of have not had any important speculation in farm lands, so that the values of agricultural lends have remained on about the same, basis as before the war. Our Governments and those Companies who are largely interested in immigration are giving special attention to this work, so that when the war is ended the business of attracting settlers will receive prompt attention, and I think the prospects are favorable to Canada, proving attractive to that class who wish to engage in farming. Therefore, the outlook for your Company continuing a satisfactory and successful business seems well assured. You will notice by the statement that the montgages held by your Company have decreased by the amount of about \$550,000. The President has referred the fact that we found it more profitable to repay a considerable portion Debentures which matured, than to renew them at the increased rates the Debentures which matured, that to renew them at the increased rates which would have been required. Money in Great Britain is today as dear as it is in Canada, Large amounts are wanted for Imperial purposes, and these Imperial loans, as you can see by the newspaper reports, are being taken up in Great Britain in a magnificent way. The reduction in our Debentures is, then

I can quote concur in your statement, Mr. President, as to the activity and efficiency of the staff generally. I think we can be very well pleased and very proud that the policy of the Company has been of such a character that at the end of two and a half years of the war we can present such a statement as the to you. It is not easy to safely and profitably take care of such a large amount of mortgages as we have under our management. It requires close application to the work, it requires inherest in it, and it requires a great deal of study and foresight, and the Joint General Managers, the Secretary, and other members of the staff deserve our sincere thanks that they are able to present to you through the Directors such a statement as is submitted today.

I have much pleasure in seconding the motion for the adoption of the

The motion for the adoption of the Report, having been put to the meeting, was unanimously carried.

The Shareholders, by a unanimous vote, ratified certain subscriptions which the Directors had made to the Canadian Patriotic Fund, the British and Canadian Red Cross Societies, and for other patriotic purposes.

The election of Directors for the ensuing year was then peld, in the unanimous re-election of Messers. W. G. Gooderham, W. D. Matthews. G. W. Monk, Meut.-Col. Albert E. Gooderham, J. H. G. Hugarty, John Campbell, S.S.C. (Edinburgh), R. S. Hudson, John Massey, F. Gordon Osler, and E.

Messrs. Henry Barber and A. E. Osler were reappointed Auditors At a subsequent meeting of the Board, Mr. W. G. Gooderham was re-elected President. Mr. W. D. Matthews First Vice-President, and Mr. G. W. Mohk Second Vice-President.

CABLES CAUSE DELAY TROOPS PRESENT IMPROPERLY ADDRESSED

Messages for Men in France Must Be Sent Directly to That Country.

The department of militis and de-fence reports that considerable delay and confusion frequently results thru improperly addressing in care of the war office, London, cable messages intended for officers and men serving with the Canadian Expeditionary Force in France. No arrangements exist for the forwarding of such messages. exist for the forwarding of such mes-sages from London by telegraph, and it is therefore necessary in all such Almost Six Thousand Men cases to send them on by post. All cable messages intended for nembers of the Canadian Expeditionary Force in France may (like tele-grams for others) be sent from Canada addressed directly to France, the addresses of such messages, in addition to stating regimental number,

HOTEL MANAGER HELD ON CHARGE OF THEFT

Case is Likely to Have Many Interesting Features When It Comes for Trial.

O. Boehmer, a well-dressed middle-aged man, appeared in the police court yesterday on a charge of steading \$106 from Catherine R. Kelly. The woman stated that last October fficer and outlined a plan to promote the "Army and Navy Association" of Canada." whose mission would be to furnish employment for returned soldiers. Having a son in the army, Mrs. Kelly listened to the with interest. It is alleged that while the association was in process of construction, Boehmer received an advance of money from Mrs. Kelly. Later she came to Toronto to purchase the Arlington Hotel, The place vas bought in her name, the "company" having not materialized. After taking over the hotel Mrs. Kelly in-structed Boehmer, who was to be he nanager, not to open until her return to town in ten days' time. When she returned, however, she found the place open and business in full swing.

Mrs. Kelly alleged that Boehmer never
handed over the cash taken. This, she stated, she could prove by the Boehmer was committed for trial, and ordered to furnish bonds in two securities of \$200 each.

START CAMPAIGN TO HELP JEWS IN RUSSIA

Peter Bercovitch, K.C., of Montreal Will Address Meeting in Massey Hall Sunday.

Sunday next at Massey Hall Peter Bercovitch, K.C., M.L.A., of Montreal, will address a mass meeting of Jews The Toronto conference, under whose auspices this meeting will be held, is entering upon a campaign to raise from among the Jews of Toronto \$30,000 for the relief of the Russian Jews suffering from the war. It is for this that Mr. Bercovitch is coming to Toronto.

For a similar purpose the Jews of

leader of the Montreal bar. cently left Montreal. Mr. Bercovitch vas elected to succeed him as president of the Canadian Jewish Alliance

Janitor at T. S. R. Head Office Found Dead in the Basement

FINE APPEARANCE

Their March Thru City Streets Helped Swell Patriotic Enthusiasm.

BIG TURNOUT

Are Reviewed by the Lieutenant-Governor.

addresses of such messages, in addition to stating regimental number, name, unit, etc., to bear the words "Canadians, France."

The foregoing does not apply to messages which may be sent at the special non-minimum week-end letter rate to soldiers, sailors and nurses serving with the Canadian Expeditionary Force in France. Such messages, which should be fully addressed in all cases, are forwarded by post from England by the telegraph company, Teronto's active service troops furout to see it. The largest crowd gathered at King and Yonge streets and around the saluting base at the Patri otic Fund headquarters just east Yonge. Sir John Hendrie took

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It was probably the first time that the Toronto garrison has been re-viewed in the centre of the city's business section. The troops reached the saluting point at ten minutes past 11 and it was half an hour later before the parade had all swung past. The parade route was Wellington Spadina, College, Yonge, Shuter, Vic-toria, King and Dufferin streets toria, King and Dufferin streets. Major-General Logie and staff officers rode at the head of the procession. The route taken totaled seven miles.

At the saluting base, in addition to Boehmer came to her in Kingston and his honor the lieutenant-governor, represented himself as a recruiting were Major-General W. A. Logie, Col. H. C. Bickford, G.S.O.; Col. Alaxander Fraser, A.D.C.; Sir William Mulock, Manr W. S Dinnick and Cyrus Birge, president of the Hamilton Patriotic Fund Committee

MAYOR DISAGREES WITH R. J. FLEMING

Says He Should Run Cars, Not Hand Out Legal Opinions.

Mayor Church intends to call. neeting of the executive of the Ontario Municipal Electrical Association for next Tuesday morning for the purpose of discussing the possible sion of Toronto's streets by the Toronto-Niagara Power Co. He does not agree with R. J. Fleming that the company has rights to erect poles on the streets. The manager of the railway company would be better emtrying to stop overcrowding on his cars than in handing out legal opin-

If the company makes any attempt to exercise the rights it thinks it possolicitor immediately. He thinks Mr. Fleming is far out in his facts. The company have no rights where

Forestry Association Secretary Speaks at Technical School

How the forests of the allies have been mobilized as powerful agencies in winning the war formed part of an "forest travelogue" given at the Central Technical School yesterday by Robson Black, secretary of the Canadian Forestry Association, For a similar purpose the Jews of New York at a mass meeting last month contributed more than two and a haif million dollars.

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Detective Croome to Testify At Winnipeg Murder Trial

Employed as a carpenter and janitor at the head offices of the Toronto Ratical way Company, corner thurch and King streets. Max Smoler. 45 years of age, of 73 Sullivan Street, was found dead in the basement of the building yesterday afternoon by Claud Waldron, a clerk. Dr. Gordon Rice was called, and pronounced the man dead. The body was removed to the morgue, and Dr. Clews commenced an investigation. As Smoler had complained of feeling unwell for syne time past, it is not likely that an inguest will be held.

Detective Croome of the local detective department leaves for Winnipeg to-night for the purpose of giving evidence in the first for the purpose of giving evidence in the first for the purpose of giving evidence in the first for the purpose of giving evidence in the purpose of giving evidence in the first for the purpose of giving evidence in giving the first for the purpose of giving evidence in the first for the purpose of giving evidence in giving the first for the purpose of giving evidence in the first for the purpose of giving evidence in giving evidence in the first for the purpose of giving evidence in t Detective Croome of the local detective department leaves for Winnipes to