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Pensions for the Totally Disabled Public attention should be directed and concentrated in the most searching way upon the facts set forth in the report prepared by a strong committee for the "Council of the Toronto and York County Patriotic Fund Association," of which committee Mr. Frank Darling is chairman. Mr. Darling has had the report sent district while checking any Turkish to a large number of people likely to be interested in the question dealt with, which is the inadequate pension troops, if adequately reinforced,

know what these facts are they will victories while we cannot get food? demand that the government will do The emptiness of the German vicwhat is right and just and fair.

takes \$13 or \$14 a week to keep him, the minimum cost of keeping a man alive. The discrepancy between what a man needs when totally disabled to keep him alive and the present pension proposals of the government must be remedied. That is the chief problem which Mr. Darling has taken

The United States pension list allows \$100 a morah to the totally disabled man, so that there are precedents for raising the Canadian allowance. Even at the present rate a soldier who might be injured while on home service or on his way to the front would be deprived of any pension at all merely because he was not in the presence of the enemy. A construction of this nature does honor to a lawyer's clever brains, but it does no honor to the humanity of the Do-

When a man is in khaki and gets an injury which disables him, thru service under orders, he is as much entitled to pension consideration as if be no first degree and second degree decency and without discredit to the street railway, entail. nation for whom he has given his strength.

There are not going to be so very many totally disabled men that it properly, but even if there were, it would be no excuse to dodge the fair and honorable course of taking care cars. of those who took no care of themselves when the need of the nation called for sacrifice.

. We intend to take up other aspects of the questions raised by Mr. Darling, but this one stands out and demands simple justice.

### Good Old Y. M. C. A.

Like every other organization imbued with national and patriotic spirit, the Y. M. C. A. has taken a prominent part in assisting to get the recruits into shape for the army, and keeping the soldiers in trim when they have once had their polish put on.

The Y. M. C. A. has had immense influence among the young men because it does its chief work by indirection. It makes no distinction between the professor and the man who practises, but may not have professed.

It is on the side of the angels in a sane and practical way. It does not thrust upon those who come into its circle anything that is distasteful. It sets up counter influences against the attractions which might lure in less desirable directions. It does not warn

unduly, nor threaten, nor alarm. It makes everybody welcome with a real hearty welcome, and gives the casual visitor the assurance that he has a place in the big institution spe- MICHIE & CO., LIMITED cially reserved for him. This is the

The Toronto World principle of the organization, and with few exceptions it is lived up to. The soldiers have found it a haven on all occasions, and abroad it is in many cases the only refuge the men can dis-

> Locally the work done has been of the most valuable character. All soldiers are not Galahads, but they understand the Galahad virtues of strength and cleanliness, and the Y. M. C. A. contributes to the cultivation of such habits in the most useful way. The gymnasium and the swimming baths have been at the disposal of, by actual count, 5000 and 3000 men respectively a week. The physical directors have put many men into condition to pass the army surgeon who would otherwise have been rejected.

These things are a real benefit to the nation, and, therefore, to the empire and the cause of the allies. Whatever may be thought of the Y. M. C. A. in any other respects, or whatever ulterior motives may be attributed to it by the hypercritical, these are solid services that are being rendered to all who are on the side of the allies and the great ideals for which they stand. There is no difference of opinion about the necessity to fight for truth and liberty and civilization. On this behalf the Y. M. C. A. is certainly doing its bit.

#### Holding the Enemy

There is a gleam of dawn-light in the east. This poetic reflection may be applied to the circumstances reported as attending the campaign on the Tigris. The Turks have not had it all their own way, and with adequate troops there never was any reason why Great Britain should not carry out her intentions and protect the oil regions of the Garden of Eden designs upon the Persian Gulf. There is no reason either why the

provision made for wounded and dis- should not still proceed to Bagdad abled soldiers, more especially for and assert the supremacy of the those who are totally disabled. But it allied arms in a way that would imis not enough to enlist the sympathy press the whole of the Ottoman Emof members of parliament and of the pire. The Russians are doing very legislatures, nor of even the 275 may- well in the Caucasus and Mesopoors to whom Mr. Darling has sent the tamia, and if the Germans are held pamphlet which embodies the facts of there we may rest satisfied with the results of the winter campaign. They The people at large must be made have been held everywhere else, and aware of the scandalous inadequacy more than held, and this to the Gerof the arrangements for cases of total mans amounts to defeat. What use, disability, and we believe when they say their people at home, are all our

tories must soon impress all the If Canada cannot do enough to keep members of the German alliance, and a man alive after depriving him of the we know that the innate distrust ability to look after himself then we which Germany elicits by her methods are all on the wrong side of things. even with her own allies, is an ele-Government figures show that it ment of weakness which must tend. as so many other factors are tending, and the pension should not be below to the disintegration of the German organization.

Premier Asquith, who is nothing if not cautious, has ventured to congratulate the Russian nation with the hope that the war will be brought to a satisfactory conclusion in 1916. The British machine has never been tried ut yet in any large sense, but when it begins to move; and when the revived and reinvigorated Russian army begins to move; and when France puts forth the effort of which she has proved herself capable, we may feel sure that the Germans will have something to face rather different from anything that hitherto they have

### The Eastern Entrance

It is pleasant to hear that the eastminion, and it is rather a libel on the ern entrance to the Canadian Nationhuman kindness of the average leg- al Exhibition is being put into hands at last. For many years the subject has been agitated and one excuse after another has been used to put it off till a more convenient season.

Recently the handicap on the annual the kaiser in person had chopped off fair has been a very heavy one, as both his arms and legs. There should the crowds cannot be handled by the western entrance with sufficient conof total disablement. When a man is venience to attract more people than totally disabled in the service of the are willing to face the jostling and country the only question should be delay which the arrangements, howhow much it will take to keep him in ever admirable on the part of the

We believe that the money put into this entrance will prove to be one of the best investments the city has largely owing to the increased transmade for some time, as increased atwill be a burden to provide for them tendance at the exhibition means increased revenue to the city both thru the gate receipts and thru the street one change of cars, you can travel from

### The Church Militant

Rev. W. A. Cameron may not be the first man from the pulpit to come down and join the rank and file of the army but he is the first notable accession so far as Ontario is concerned, and he deserves to be welcomed for his spirit and for his example. It appears that chaplains are super-abundant, and that in order to give the church militant an opportunity to prove its faith a preachers' battalion has been authorized.

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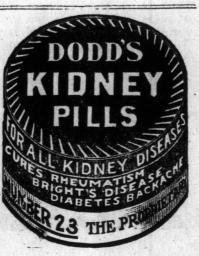
platform in theological matters, fully agreed, and agreed to the death, upon the fundamentals of common honesty, and freedom of national life and truth in action. Mr. Cameron lives with the logic of consistency, nor will he quibble about a mace, and he deserves to have a glorious company along with

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#### HERE'S A GOOD CREST MOTORISTS DISCUSSED A Line o' Cheer Each LICENSE RECIPROCITY

Day o' the Year

By John Kendrick Bangs.

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One of Chief Topics of Interest at Meeting of Ontario Motor League.

#### OFFICERS ELECTED

Transportation One of Biggest Problems," Declared Hon. F. G. Macdiarmid.

Reciprocity in motor car licenses between Ontario and New York State and the improvement of the roads of the province were the two topics of absorbbing interest that the Ontagio Motor League dealt with at its annual session at the King Edward Hotel yesterday when Hon. Francis M. Hugo, secretary of state for New York, and Hon. F. G. Findlay Macdiarmid, minister of public works for Ontario, gave addresses

Officers were elected for the coming year as follows: L. B. Howland, president: W. T. Marlatt, Oakville, first vice-president; J. Gibbons, Toronto, second vice-president; George B. Read, London, third vice-president. The Toronto and York County Patriotic Association were assured that their request for 200 cars for use in their campaign next week would be granted, and Capt. Dingman of the 169th Battalion was promised 15 cars for the next two Sundays to aid in the recruiting campaign which that unit will conduct in the churches and the churches and theatres.

Progress of Motor Industry. Hon. Francis M. Hugo in his address outlined the progress of the motor car industry in the last decade, stating that there were now two and a quarter million car owners in the United States. He declared himself hefore Hughes in the police court yesterday in favor of leoal clubs and province-wide associations. With regard to on a charge of fraudulently a suit of clothes from P. Fitzpatrick reciprocity in licenses he stated that and O'Connell on Jan. 4. He within 24 hours of the time Ontario passed such a measure he could guargiven 90 days in each case, the senantee that it would also be in force in New York State. Hon. F. G. Macdiarmid, minister of

public works, outlined the new tario Highways Act that came into force on Jul. 1. "Transportation is one of the beggest problems Canada has to face," he asserted, Exchange Motor Licenses. A motion was passed by the league authorizing the appointment of an im-

censes. Herbert Baker of Albany, sec-retary of the New York Motorists' Registration Bureau, was among the other speakers at the evening meet President W. W. Digby read his report for the year, in which an increase of 2000 members was an encouraging feature. There were now 5041 mem bers in good standing, with either ac-tive or affiliated membership. During the last year there were 25 new club

ternational license delegation to wait

on the government urging the intro-

duction of an exchange in motor li

making a a total of 54 affiliated clubs. W. A. McLean, the newly-appointdeputy minister ways, gave an address to the league, in which he dealt with several clauses of the new act which affected the motorists. In Ontario there were 55,000 miles of roads. According to the present program the government will im-prove 20 per cent. of the rozas, which it is figured will handle 80 per cent. of

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# **EVERYTHING IS READY** FOR BIG CAMPAIGN

Two Million Dollars Will Be

is what is to be attended on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week by the executive, officers, captains and teams of the Toronto and York Patriotic Fund.

For several cays now decorators have been hard at work in the old

have been hard at work in the old factorily answered by the treasurer. McConkey building, 29 West King street, which is to be the headquarters of the campaign, hanging the wails with streamers of red, white and blue, over which will be placed shields and emblems of the allies. The entire

over which will be placed shields and emblems of the ablies. The entire three flats are to be occupied by the executive officers and workers, and ample accommonation will be afforded in this spacious building to carry out the great project in hand.

The ground floor will be used for the receiving of contributions that are made in person. At the head of the large stairway leading from this floor is a check-room, where those attending the daily luncheons can check their overcoats, etc. The old ballroom will be used on this occaballroom will be used on this occa-sion for an information bureau, where any information regarding the progress of the campaign can be had. eaptains will report as to their progress with collections and offer any suggestions as to what might better ALLEGED TO HAVE STOLEN

DIAMONDS FROM STORE the collectin A Good Committee.

E. R. Wood is the honorary treasurer of the fund. Major W. S. Dinnick is the organizer, and is assisted ke Cohen, Jake Gould and Jos. in the work by J. E. Atkinson and W. C. Noxon. Sir William Mulock, who is the president of the Toronto Ike Cohen, Jake Gould and Joseph

Troup appeared in the criminal asat the daily luncheons. The first gun of the campaign will sizes yesterday before Mr. Justice fired this afternoon at 3 o'clock, when Middleton and a jury charged with the theft of six diamonds, valued at the ministers of Toronto will meet the \$2000, from Bernard Allan, a dia- executive. The ministers will be asked to urge the members of their conmond dealer, with offices in the Congregations to do their utmost to make the campaign a sucess. Canada is asked to raise \$8.000.000 for the Patriotic Fund, and it is expected that Mr. Allan in describing how he believed the theft took place stated that

Ontario will raise one-half of this the men visited his office and while examining stones asked him to weigh one of them. While this was being done his attention was diverted, and amount. The Duke of Connaught visited the headquarters yesterday and expressed himself as being very well pleased ing for the crown, said that after leaving the office the men drove by motor to Hamilton, where part of Toronto citizens, under like circumstances, would be a great sucwere, however, detained at Fort Erie by United States customs officials. The trial will be resumed today. cess.

### TORONTO MEN INVALIDED.

QUEBEC, Jan. 18.—The invalided oldiers that the C. P. R. Missanabie landed at St. John, arrived here this afternoon and were directed to the Quebec discharge depot. All are ex-Toronto men included are: E. Sinan,

F. Adcock, R. H. Adams, W. D. S. Best, G. T. Crokey, C. H. Brown, H. Raw-lings, H. Boulton, W. J. Matthews, C. Holter, T. Wheeler, T. Fox, A. L. Taychorean figures from the company. The music of "Coppelia" is bright and dainty, and was delightfully interpreted.

# MAINTAIN FUNDS BY MONTHLY TAG DAY

Suggestion Made at Executive Meeting of Citizens' Recruiting League Yesterday.

#### WANTS GRANT RAISED

Took Eight Hours to Count Money Collected at Sunday Recruiting Meetings.

A monthly tag day with a straight

five-cent contribution was suggested as a means of maintaining the funds at a meeting of the executive of the Citizens' Recruiting, League, held at the city hall yesterday afternoon.

Col. Brown of the 12th York Rangers headed a deputation from that militia unit asking that a grant of the league be raised from \$500 to \$1. 000, or the same as had been given to the other units. The colonel pointed the other units. The colonel pointed out that it was practically a city corps, and while they had not the same strength the cost of carrying on their recruiting work was much greater than that of some of the other units, as they had to organize and hold meetings thruout tht whole of York County.

When the question of finances was

When the question of finances was raised it was learned that at Dec Two Million Dollars Will Be
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STRONG COMMITTEE WORK

Taised it was learned that at December 31 the league had a balance of about \$21,000, and that this had been reduced to \$13,000 since the first of the year, not including an appropriation of \$2000 for advertising purposes, which makes the available balance about \$11,000. In view of these some about \$11,000. In view of these some

about \$11,000. In view of these somewhat startling figures it was decided to systematize the giving of grants in order that all requests might be satisfactorily dealt with.

Capt. Roach of the third division of the artillery asked for \$1000 to help defray the expenses of recruiting, and this with the others will be considered at a meeting of the executive to be held on Friday, when a complete finding the startling figures it was decided to systematize the giving of grants in order that all requests might be satisfactorily dealt with.

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# LEONCAVALLO'S OPERA WAS MUSICAL TREAT

Climaxes at Intervals Ranked as Triumphs for Principals of Boston Company.

Accompanied by the continuous applause of the audience, six times did tourtain rice at the close of the last of "T Pagliacet," given by the Bost Grand Opera Company at the Rox Alexandra Theatre lust night. T beautiful opera of Leoncavallo from stato finish was a decided success with the climaxes at intervals which may ranked as tributes to the production of temposer.

Glovarni Zenatello as Caino, the inwho is the president of the Toronto jured hurband, whose passionate and York Patriotic Fund, will preside leads to the tragic ending, was jured hurband, whose passionate revenue leads to the tragic ending, was superh, he dramatic interpretation of his part being sich as to convey to the audience the connected story of the plot, while his vibrant voice, capable of the greatest derth of emotion, was always under the intellectual control of the singer. At the close of the first act when in throes of grief and despair he answers the call to take his part in the play presented in the second act of the opera, his voice and dramatic action drew from the audience spontaneous applause.

Felice Lyne as Nedda, wife of Caino, shared the honors largely with Zanatello. Her role gave her much bet-

shared the honors largely with Zanatello. Her role gave her much better opportunities than that afforded her on her first visit to Toronto, and in every instance did she do them justice. That she is capable of depths of feeling was evidence in her seene with Toron and in she is capable of depths of feeli

evidence in her scene with Tonio and in her tragic finale.

As Tonio, Thomas Chalmers played a part leaving nothing to be desired.

Glorgi Puliti, as Silvio, the lover of Medda, may easily be classed with the principals, and Romeo Boscacci, as Beppe, was excellent support. The chorus was one of the best heard for some time, and the work of the orchestra, under its leader, Roberto Morauzoni, added to the laurels already won.

"Coppella," a ballet in two acts, by Delibes, with Anna Pavlowa in the role of Swaniida, and M. Vajinsky and Jan Zalewski, as assisting principals, was the second offering. The work gave opporof Swaniida, and M. Vajinsky and Sale Zalewski, as assisting principals, was the second offering. The work gave opportunity for the exquisite dancing of Pavilowa, and a number of fascinating terpsilowa, and a factor from the company. The

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