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TRIBUNALS SENT 46 ELIGIBLES TO MEDICAL BOARDS

Tuesday's Examination Record Shows How M. S. A. Is Being Put in Force.

11 VOLUNTEERS SECURED

Seven of These Were Secured in United States, Remainder Joining Up Locally.

Indications of the manner in which the military service act is becoming operative were to be seen Tuesday when by order of the tribunals here 48 men were examined by medical boards at the armories. Twenty-two were found fit for overseas service, and will have to obtain exemption on other grounds than physical fitness. The 47 men were categorized as follows:

Class A. combatant service overseas	15
Class B. non-combatant service overseas	7
Class C. service in Canada	5
Class D. doubtful	2
Class E. unfit	17
Total	46

Seven men signed up by the British and Canadian Recruiting Commission in the United States were examined as well as four recruits. The men from the United States were: James McKee, Scotland, Cleveland; James Sewick, Russia, Detroit; William Hallow, Italy, Detroit; F. J. Clofant, Italy, Detroit; George McLeod, Canada, Detroit; Harry Broughton, England, Detroit; Wilfrid L. Trudell, Canada, Detroit. All were sent to the 1st Depot Battalion, Western Ontario Regiment. The other recruits were: W. Johnson, England, London, Engineers' Details; A. C. Rogers, Canadian, W. O. R.; F. Gallant, Newfoundland, W. O. R.; D. C. McPherson, Forestry Battalion.

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COLLECTING JEWELRY TO PROVIDE DRINKS

W. C. T. U. Asks for Ornaments to Aid "Y" Canteen Fund.

A "Silver Thimble and Trinket Day" is being planned by the Women's Christian Temperance Union. The idea is to ask the public to hunt up old silver thimbles and old trinkets and donate these for the purpose of raising a fund to supply free drinks—tea, coffee, cocoa, soup and lemonade to the Canadian men in France who are actually fighting. Away up within the barrage and at points within a couple of miles of the first-line trenches the Y. M. C. A. has established what is known as "free drink dugouts."

At the Provincial W. C. T. U. convention, held in Cornwall some weeks ago, on recommendation of the patriotic and missionary committee, of which Mrs. May R. Thornley is president, it was decided to raise $25,000 towards a fund to cover the free drinkables served in the fighting area by the Y. M. C. A., and also the publishing of the "Pay Book Leaflet," printed in form to fit the soldier's paybook, containing a message written on the ground by officers of the Y. M. C. A. and others who know the life on action front and the sort of message it demands.

All the articles of jewelry will be melted down and the proceeds used to supply drinks. Articles that will bring more money than as crap will be sold. Any of the following articles will be accepted: Old gold or silver thimbles, bracelets, brooches, rings, chains or links of chains, silver match boxes, scarf pins, old gold or silver watches, odd cuff links, studs, gold or silver tops of canes or umbrellas, watch charms, broken spoons, forks, toilet articles in sterling silver, coins in sterling silver which have been monogrammed or punched.

London Boy and Companions Who Escaped

Canadian prisoners of war who escaped from German prison camps and who were photographed on their arrival in England. Included in the group is Pte. "Dick" Howitt, a London boy, who enlisted from Windsor with the 33rd Battalion, and who was attached to the Canadian Mounted Rifles overseas. The thrilling story of Pte. Howitt's escape and the subsequent publication of the details appeared exclusively in The Advertiser.

Those in the group: Standing, left to right—Pte. G. Birchall, Lancashire Fusiliers; Pte. E. Stowe, P. P. C. L. I., Viking, Alberta; Corp. J. McMillan, C. M. R., Toronto; Corp. F. Hart, Royal Fusiliers, Brixton. Seated—Privates J. Watts, C. M. R., Port Arthur, Ont.; Dick Howitt; A. Blacklock, Canadian Engineers, Carbon, Alberta; F. Boyd, C. M. R., Frederickton, N. B.

WEIGHT SUPERVISION WILL HELP POULTRY SALE, SAY OFFICIALS

Move Made by H. C. of L. Committee Far Reaching.

POTATOES UNDERWEIGHT

Ascending Price Apparently Means Descending Weight On Local Square.

The motion passed by the high cost of living committee Tuesday night, instructing Market Clerk Charles Maker to notify License Inspector McCallum of cases where the fowl for the Christmas market were being sold short weight, will be welcomed by city marketers.

According to officials of the local market the effect of the move will be to stimulate the demand for poultry on the square. Unless the weight of fowl is determined to the satisfaction of the buyer, many purchasers are reticent in buying, but this condition will no longer be prevalent, if a strict supervision of the weight of poultry is kept by market officials.

The practice of giving short weight has been confined more particularly to the sale of potatoes. As the price of tubers ascend the shrinkage in the size of a bag of potatoes becomes more and more pronounced, and last week as much as twenty pounds was found to be deficient in one bag of tubers sold to a customer.

Market Weigh Clerk Jas. Dean reports that certain farmers have been practicing this method of doing business for the past six months, and despite agitation that the weight of market produce be under the surveillance of one of the market employees, no move in this direction had been made until Thursday night.

For some weeks the majority of poultry purchasers have determined the weight of their purchases on the market scales, but produce sold in larger quantities is, as a rule, bought according to the weight each purveyor alleges his offerings to be.

During the past month the prices of potatoes has gradually ascended, the value of one bag of tubers at present being from $2 to $2.25. Although Mayor Stevenson is reported to have stated that potatoes could be procured for $1.25 per bag at Lucan, local fruit and vegetable men are of the opinion that potatoes at Lucan or any other town in the district cannot be bought for less than $1.70 per bag.

Chancey Smith, wholesale fruit dealer, informed The Advertiser that had potatoes been available at the price quoted by the mayor they would have been grabbed up long ago by vegetable merchants of this city.

GETS $2,264 FOR LOAD OF TOBACCO

LEAMINGTON, Nov. 20.—The largest load of tobacco ever delivered in Leamington was sold by G. Arthur Brown. The load weighed 6,289 pounds, and sold for $2,264.04.

The Plus Ultra Class of the Baptist Church, Mrs. James King, teacher, gave a very successful play, "The Makings of the Canadian Flag," in the church. The different parts were well taken, and the play was most enjoyable. The proceeds were about $70. Twenty-five dollars has been kindly voted to the McGregor Kilty Club for patriotic purposes.

The Red Cross and Y.M.C.A. canvass netted $5,090. This was the objective of the committee in charge, and they are pleased with the results.

WATFORD RECTOR HAS BEEN THERE 12 YEARS

WATFORD, Nov. 20.—The value of the bales sent to Hyman Hall this year by the Warwick Patriotic League was $1,310, instead of $300, as was stated in Saturday's paper.

Rev. S. P. Irwin has completed twelve years as rector of Trinity Church. Sunday evening. The church was crowded, and Mr. Irwin preached an exceptionally fine sermon.

Several motorloads drove to Alvinston Monday to the nomination meeting.

Dr. C. W. Sawers has returned from a post-graduate course in Chicago hospitals.

NAVAL SURGEON, DR. I. THOMPSON, SAVED 16 MEN

Heroism of Brother of London Doctor Brings Praise in British Press.

ENDANGERED OWN LIFE

Rescued Sailors From Watery Grave Despite Badly Shattered Limb.

In connection with the recent naval engagement in the North Sea, special reference has been made in the British press to the heroic conduct of Dr. Ian Thompson, surgeon of the Strongbow, a son of the late W. H. Thompson, Esq., of Harbor Place, Newfoundland, and the youngest brother of Dr. Ainley Thompson of Elmwood avenue.

Dr. Ian Thompson, who had a most brilliant career as a medical student in the University of Edinburgh, was instrumental in saving sixteen lives from a watery grave after one of his limbs had been badly shattered, and continued to minister to the wounded and suffering although in danger of instant death.

Many other instances of British courage and intrepidity have been reported in connection with this naval engagement, which occurred about three weeks ago. Some neutral ships were being convoyed by British destroyers when they were attacked off the coast of Scotland by a strong fleet of enemy warships which came upon them at a high rate of speed.

After signaling the vessels to stop the German cruisers advanced on each side of the convoyed ships, and opened upon them a terrific fire at a range of less than 200 yards. The British destroyer Strongbow flew her flag and fired her guns until she was badly crippled. She continued to answer the enemy's fire until she was put completely out of action by the heavier armament of the German ships, and was finally sent to the bottom. Shortly afterwards another British destroyer came up and immediately opened fire, but she too was soon overpowered and was also sent down in the unequal struggle.

The only information which Dr. Ainley Thompson has received in regard to his brother has been through the Newfoundland and British press. Further details are expected in the course of a few days from an older brother, who lives still in the old family home in Newfoundland. Dr. Ian Thompson, it is understood, is in a hospital in Scotland.

29 NEW CASES OF MEASLES REPORTED IN CITY IN WEEK

Report of M. O. H. Shows Signs of Epidemic.

Measles still are leading the batting average in the communicable disease league in London, the official scorer of which is Dr. H. W. Hill, M. O. H. The weekly report of the health department for the week ending November 17 shows 29 new cases reported during the week. The same total holds good for the number of cases in isolation at the end of the week, which means that all other existing measles quarantines were lifted. Seven of the cases were secondary.

While four new cases of scarlet fever were reported, making a total of five in quarantine at the end of the week, there were but three of chickenpox and as many of sore throat. Diphtheria had only two new cases to its credit. One new case of tuberculosis completed the week's total.

PREMIER TO SPEAK.

KITCHENER, Nov. 20. — Premier Borden will be here on Saturday evening, and he and several other prominent Conservatives will speak in the Auditorium.

WOUNDED THIRD TIME.

HARRISTON, Nov. 20.—Wm. J. Hughes received a cable today that his brother Milton had been wounded for the third time.

QUERIES REGARDING MILITARY SERVICE

Send In Your Problems and They Will Be Answered From Official Information by The Advertiser.

Question—How long will it be before the ones that signed for service will be called to be examined? Should a man of 20 years who has signed for service, but whose nerves and health seem far from good, get examined immediately or wait until he is called?

READER.

Answer—The reports for service are taken up in the order of their reception, and it is impossible to state how long it will take to reach his case. If he believes himself unfit he should have applied for exemption and not reported for service. He cannot obtain an examination now, but will have to wait until he is called upon. If he is actually unfit, the medical officer will likely tell him so when he reports before a medical board.

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WORKINGMEN OF LONDON DOING "BIT" FOR LOAN

Partial Returns Show They Have Already Taken $200,000 in Victory Bonds.

MAKE REAL SACRIFICES

Example Held Up to Becashed Citizens as Object Lesson to Come Across.

Workingman of London are more than doing their "bit" in responding to the Victory Loan appeal. Partial returns from the 40 factories covered by the industrial groups committee of the central organization show that more than $200,000 has already been subscribed by the employees of these companies.

While the objective of the groups committee was placed at $400,000, hope is being expressed by those in charge that the generous response of the workingmen will permit this objective to be not only reached but materially exceeded, a half million dollars being expected from the factory hands.

The response has not been without many sacrifices on the part of the employees and their striking generosity and determination to get in on Canada's big war loan is one of the outstanding features of the local campaign. Many of those who have purchased bonds have done so at a great sacrifice, and their action in so doing is being held up as an object lesson to the men with more money, and the statement is being freely made that if those in the capitalist or near-capitalist class responded as well as the employee, London's objective would be more than doubled.

Campaigning among the factories will be carried on until December 1, as with all other canvassers, under the direction of the groups committee, under the chairmanship of Arthur White.

The installment plan, adopted by practically all factories under the direction of the groups committee, is appealing to the employees, who are taking advantage of the scheme to purchase Victory Bonds at so much per week. A great many companies are taking $1 or more per week from the pay envelopes of their employees and turning over the bond as soon as paid for. Arrangements have been also made whereby any of the purchasers, should they become ill or leave the employe of the firm in question, will be refunded all money paid in, the company itself taking over the bond.

VICTORY LOAN TOTAL REACHES $3,736,750, CITY STANDING HIGH

Close Race With Ottawa, With Much Larger Population.

COUNTY GOT $77,350

Middlesex Total Is Now Over $500,000 Mark for Bonds.

If London intends to hold the enviable position in the Victory Loan race established last week, larger subscriptions will have to be the rule today. Tuesday's amount reached $85,300, making a total of $3,736,750.

The city has done famously to date, but it is expected that Ottawa will take the lead, if today's returns are not much larger. That city's total is $3,843,000. It was stated at headquarters last night that the workers had been busy Tuesday going over old territory, canvassing those who were out when they first called, or who had promised to take a bond later on. A number of the team-workers were also helping the groups committee yesterday, which partially accounts for the small returns.

The county organization is still plugging along and should have a good day today. Tuesday's mail brought in $77,350, making the total for the county $575,200. Glencoe has passed its objective of $36,000 by $4,000, and is not through yet. It is one of the most patriotic communities in the Dominion of Canada. Today's mail it is expected will see Strathroy reach its given portion.

An executive meeting of the groups committee was held last night. A partial report has been received from some 40 companies showing that $190,750 had been collected for the loan from employees. Three firms have reported 100 per cent efficiency, while one firm reported an average of over $100 per man.

The members of the committee reported that 35 industries had been spoken to since the campaign opened. Any employers who wish to have a speaker explain the loan to employees should phone headquarters.

Pte. Theodore Robinson, who started Tuesday morning to walk from local headquarters to Toronto, with messages to the Ontario headquarters of Victory Loan, reached Woodstock yesterday afternoon in time to take part in the big street parade.

SAYS FARMERS THINK MORE OF LIVESTOCK THAN OWN FAMILIES

Evangelist Scores Attitude of Those Who Neglect Wives.

"Some farmers think more of their cows and pigs than they do of their own families. They will spend money improving their barns that they would not think of spending on their homes."

"A man will spend one hundred dollars in advertising his business and never give it a thought, but if his wife asks him to put some new wallpaper on a room at home, well, good night."

"There was a time when you thought a heap of your wife. Before you were married you would wait for her until the choir got through practicing at the church, then you would lead her out so tenderly to your rubber-wheeled buggy, and the longest way round would be the shortest way home. Now you don't bother giving her flowers or candies. Perhaps she has a sweet tooth in her head yet! Try it, and see."

The above are some statements of Gordon V. Thompson's address on "Mother and Home" at the Colborne Street Methodist Church revival meeting Tuesday night. A representative crowd was present, including a delegation from the First Methodist Church and the Methodist Laymen's Evangelistic Band.

The augmented choir sang, "My Mother," very effectively, and solos were rendered by Miss Pearl Godwin and Mr. DuPlant. The Sunshine Chorus from the Sunday school was on hand to supplement the regular choir.

Those who had a mother living wore red ribbons or flowers, the others wearing white. Mr. Thompson addressed each, and advised them that the best way of honoring mother's memory was to live an honest Christian life. Rev. Dr. Louis Barber asked the audience for suitable verses of Scripture, which were promptly given and Rev. R. G. Peever led in prayer.

"I wonder how much of the Bible we could piece together from memory if every copy in the world were suddenly destroyed? It is a great thing to store the mind with the words of God's book," commented Rev. Dr Barber.

Think of the little ones---not Belgium babes, but those in your family circle, nearest and dearest to you.

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Can you be satisfied with less? Are you willing that the curse of war shall cloud their maturity as it now does ours?

Are you content to feel that a murderous Prussianism may ever hope to tread a bloody path to power over their mangled bodies?

Your answer is "NO", of course; and in that answer you pledge yourself to do your share. Every dollar you invest in Victory Bonds is a safeguard for the future of your children. It is your contribution to posterity.

And the time to act is NOW!

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MANY FROM CAMDEN GRANTED EXEMPTION

WABASH, Nov. 20.—The young men from Camden Township who have appeared before the local tribunal and received their verdict are as follows:

Class A men refused exemption are Willie Ross, Vernon Ross, Floyd Hubbell and Alvin McKim. Those granted exemption are Gerald Neely, Charlie Mason, Glenn Snary, Albert Shute, Verdie Gammage, Carson Shaw, Ernest Riseborough, John Stewart (B), Earl Crowell (C), Jessie Crowell (E), Earl Murphy, Clifford Cryderman, Harvey Percy and Charles Watson. Those granted conditional exemptions are Will Phillips and John Ackert, the former until July, and the latter until January, 1918.

A local soldier now at the front made a clipping from Lord Northcliffe's paper, "The London Daily Mail," which reads as follows:

"In its way, the little village of Thamesville is doing as well as any of the cities in the way of raising patriotic funds. Its 800 inhabitants contributed $450 two years ago, $700 last year and this year they have raised it to $1,000. This is due to the self-sacrificing and untiring endeavors of the leading people of the locality."

TAG DAY SATURDAY

The members of Senator Coffey Chapter I.O.D.E. will have charge of the tag day on Saturday in aid of soldiers' comforts.

ALLEGE INSULTS.

BLENHEIM, Nov. 20.—Allegations that J. W. Plewes of Chatham, who is contesting the riding of Kent against Archie McColg, M. P., openly insulted several women, who dared to question his attitude on certain issues, at one of his campaign meetings, were made today by Mrs. Meade, district president of the women's institutes of Kent.

Mrs. Meade, who has taken an active part in many local patriotic works, stated that when she said at the meeting that she favored the conscription of wealth as well as man power, she was told to "sit down and keep quiet" by several of the Plewes speakers. Later Mrs. Meade stated that Mr. Plewes declared she was a notorious anti-Britisher, while one of Plewes' lady aides characterized her as a pro-German.

It is also said that during the course of his remarks the candidate announced he was a Liberal.

PTE. MASTERS HAS BEEN HIT TWICE

EMBRO, Nov. 20.—Wm. Masters of North Embro has word that his son, Pte. George Masters, has a gunshot wound in the shoulder. He went overseas with the 168th Battalion, and this is the second time he has been wounded.

HERRING PLENTIFUL.

SARNIA, Nov. 20.—Fishermen report that the catches of herring are getting good, now that the season has only three or four more weeks to run. Owing to the stormy weather prevailing on the lake at this time of year there is no certainty of making a haul at all, in fact several times this year the fish have been allowed their freedom owing to heavy seas making it impossible to pull them in.

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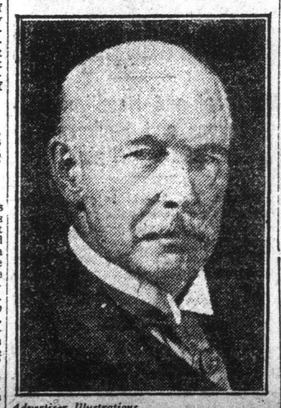

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If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless antacid is Pape's Diapepsin, which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it stops food souring and sets things straight, so gently and easily, that it is really astonishing. Your stomach will digest your meals if you keep acids neutralized.

MARINE NEWS

SARNIA.

SARNIA, Nov. 20—Vessel passages: Up—Walters, 3:40; Goodyear, 5:40; Dalton, 6:40; Paine, 7:30; Reiss, 7:40; Castalia, 9:30; Steel King, 11; Osler, 2:50; Sirius, 4:30; Penibscot, 5; B. L. Smith, 6:40; Morgan Jun., 7:10.

Down—Franz, 3 p.m.; Shaw and consort, 3:30; Wyandotte, 3:50; Richland Star, 4; Yates, 6; Wilkinson, 6:50; Murphy, 7; Mills, 7:30; Langell, 9; Mosgan and consort, 11; Bradley and consort, 1:40 a.m.; Oakite, 4:20; Martian, 4:40; Verona, 5; Coralia, 6; Barsemer, 8:30; Ford-Labell, 8; Earling, 8:30; Cetus, 9; Slick, 9; Huron, 9:10; Billings, 9:20; Gates, 9:30.

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MAJOR-GENERAL E. E. ASHMORE, C.M.G., M.V.O., who is in command of the London aircraft defences, from a new portrait.

HUNTERS ARE BUSY.

SARNIA, Nov. 20.—Several fine specimen of deer have arrived in town, having been secured by local hunters up in the Parry Sound district. The sportsmen say that hunting this year is better than in previous years. Practically everyone who went north this year from Sarnia came back with a deer, and friends of the hunters are anticipating some fine venison dinners.

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