NINE GRADUATES OFFER SERVICES

Victoria Nurses Volunteer Immediately After Graduation.

OTHERS TO APPLY SOON

Fully Half of Class of 39 Will Probably Wear Red Cross.

Nine young ladies, members of this year's graduating class of the Victoria Hospital Training School for Nurses, have offered their services to the Army Medical Corps, and have made application for appointments as nursing sisters for overseas service.

Others Will Volunteer.

Many members of the class have not yet completed their term of training at the hospital, and it is expected that when they are free to do so many more will apply for positions in the overseas branch of the A. M. C. There were 27 young ladies in the class on graduation, and it is thought that fully half of that number will have offered themselves for overseas work in a short time.

Among the nine who offered their services is included Miss Dorothy Baldwin of Paris, who, although a member of this year's class, finished her required term of training in April, and having been accepted in the A. M. C. left for service overseas as a nursing sister in the later part of May.

Will Be Accepted.

The nurses who have applied are on the waiting list, and when vacancies occur their offers will be accepted, and they will be notified to report for training in the A. M. C. training depot here, before going overseas. It is not known how soon their applications might be accepted, but it is likely that word will be received within the next two months.

The following are the members of the class whose applications have been received at present: Misses Bessie Baty, Della Birrell, Edna Haskette, Beatrice Dufton, Mabel Nodwell, Ethel Renwick, Catherine Thomson and Edith Meek.

It is said that about one hundred graduates of Victoria have already gone overseas.

NINE MEN PASSED BY ARMORIES BOARD

Nine men were passed by the medical board at the London mobilization centre at the armories yesterday, and only one man was found unfit for service in any branch. Most of the men came from this vicinity, all being attested here, except two from Chatham.

Only three of those passed went to "first line" units, the remainder going to units where the requirements are not so high. Two men were alloted to No. 1 Forestry Company, two to the Army Medical Corps, and one each to the 7th Details, Canadian Engineers, 25th Overseas Company, and the Cyclo Corps.

Five were Canadians, three were natives of the United States, and one was a native of South America.

The following men passed: G. T. Waite, A. K. Dickinson, R. Laidlaw, J. E. Burnham, W. A. Davidson, E. Gregory, W. J. Rolfe, London, and R. Rumble and W. Tiffin, Chatham.

DRAY LOAD OF PRIZE LISTS FOR WESTERN

A. M. Hunt, secretary of the Western Fair Association, and his assistants are very busy mailing this year's prize lists, maps, etc. A dray load was taken to the postoffice Friday. The management are putting forth every effort this year to make this their fiftieth exhibition a grand success. The offices are now located on the third floor of the Dominion Savings building, where any information regarding the coming exhibition in September will be promptly given.

GAS WELL AT PORT HAS PETERED OUT

The natural gas well at Port Stanley has petered out, and will be abandoned. This report was received here today, an official of the Southern Ontario Gas Company being sponsor for the statement.

The company was of the opinion that a good well had been struck, the flow being at the rate of three million feet a day. A number of agents were ready to take leases, if the test proved satisfactory. However, the supply dwindled down, and experts decided that merely a pocket of gas had been struck.

The Southern Ontario Company is making numerous tests in various parts of Western Ontario in an effort to locate more gas.

THIN-BLOODED MEN AND WOMEN

Need the Rich, Red Blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Actually Make.

Thin-blooded people do not remain so from choice but from indifference, in some cases from despair. People who are pale, languid, with palpitation of the heart, some difficulty in breathing and a tendency to be easily tired are suffering from thin blood. They need only the resolution to take the right treatment and stick to it until cured. The remedy that can be relied upon is Dr. Williams Pink Pills for Pale People. With every dose they make new blood, and new blood means health and strength. The red cheeks, good appetite, increased weight and strength that follow the use of these pills prove their great value to thin-blooded people. Here is an example: Mrs. J. McDonald Jun., Hay, Ont., says: "I honestly believe Dr. Williams Pink Pills saved my life. Some years ago I had anemia, and as I did not realize the seriousness of the trouble I soon became a complete wreck. I got so weak I could hardly walk. I neither ate nor slept well, and could not go upstairs without stopping to rest. At times I had an almost unbearable pain in my back and would have to remain in bed. I suffered almost constantly from a dull headache, and when sweeping if I would stoop to pick up anything I would get so dizzy that I would have to catch hold of something to keep from falling. At times my heart would beat so fast that I would have a smothering sensation. My eyes were sunken and my hands and limbs would be swollen in the mornings. I tried several kinds of medicine without benefit and my friends thought I would not recover. Then I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and before long could see and feel that they were helping me. I gladly continued the use of the pills until I was completely cured and I cannot say enough in their praise, and I strongly recommend them to all run down girls and women."

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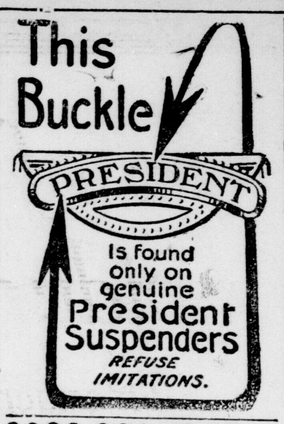


$300,000 TO BE SPENT BY C. P. R.

Big Improvements Are Planned for the London District.

MANY STRONGER BRIDGES

Station Will Be Enlarged and Greater Traffic Prepared For.

Improvements in London and London district that will cost over $300,000 will be undertaken immediately by the C. P. R. The work will be rushed, so that by fall the company will be in a position to put its newest and largest locomotives on the lines between Windsor and Toronto to handle what is expected to be the greatest business on record. More than $200,000 will be expended between London and Toronto in rebuilding the bridges, so that they will carry the heavier trains and all the principal sidings in the entire district are to be enlarged, so that they will accommodate longer trains. The entire system between London and Windsor will be reballasted this summer at a cost of $75,000.

The station here is to be remodelled and larger express and baggage rooms built and a new lunch-room installed. These improvements, together with new heating, etc., will cost over $10,000. A new express siding is to be built here also. Work on the London improvements will be started in a few days, and big gangs of men will shortly be put on the district cosntruction work.

The C. P. R. business has been growing so rapidly that for some time larger sidings have ben necessary. The monster new locomotives that will be put on will be among the very largest in Canada.

A GIRL'S CONTRIBUTION

A young lady, who declined to give her name brought the poem which appears below to the armories, and requested one of the sergeants who was there in the interests of the Cyclists Platoon to have it published in The Advertiser in the hope that it might induce some young man to get into the war game.

"IF."

Oh, IF I had a mother that said I should,
And I had a girl that said I could,
And my poor head was not made of wood,
I would go and enlist as a soldier.

IF I was sure of three meals a day,
And I could fight on a sandwich bay,
And would never be parted from my darling May,
I would go and enlist as a soldier.

IF a soldier's pants had cuffs at the end,
And the officers always had money to lend,
And there were ice cream parlors where a fellow could spend,
I would go and enlist as a soldier.

IF I could be sure of plenty to eat,
And could always fight on a nice clean street,
And if I did not suffer from real cold feet,
I would go and enlist as a soldier.

Don't be an "If'er." Enlist as a Cyclist.

NEWS OF THE GROVE.

A very excellent and high-class concert was put on at the Grove Methodist Church on Monday evening by the following London talent:

Miss Edna Read, and J. Ronan, reader, captivated the audience with their clever and witty selections, while the Misses Topping and Cochrane and Messrs. Charnorton and Percy King delighted the audience with their vocal numbers, and Miss Bradley, violinist, was by no means less appreciated, but won her audience at once. Mrs. Percy King, besides giving two organ solos, was the able accompanist of the evening. Mr. Wilson, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., made an ideal chairman, and Rev. G. C. Gifford and R. Hudson gave short addresses. The proceeds were in aid of the X-ray machine for the Byron Sanatorium.

Mount Olivet Masonic Lodge, Thorndale, will attend service at the Grove Methodist Church on Sunday afternoon, June 17, at 2:30, when the pastor, Rev. G. C. Gifford will preach to them. Special music.

GETS BENEFIT ON LIQUOR CHARGE

Magistrate Graydon gave William Ferguson, a barber, the benefit of a doubt in police court today, and allowed him to go on a charge of having illegally sold liquor to Michael Flanigan. Owing to the testimony of Ferguson and Flanigan being in conflict, and as Ferguson admitted he had purchased a bottle of whisky at E. B. Smith's on March 9th, but had procured it for his mother for medicinal use, the magistrate regarded his explanation as satisfactory. His mother and sister corroborated his testimony, while Flanigan had no one to support his testimony.

Patrolman McCullough testified he had served a summons at the home of Ferguson on March 10th, but as he had left the city he did not answer it. He was arrested on his return for contempt of court and the additional charge under the Ontario temperance act was then laid. The latter charge was also dismissed, as his mother testified he had left the city before the summons was served.

A Hill street married woman pleaded guilty to conducting a house of ill-fame and was fined $25 and costs, or in default of payment will spend the next 21 days in jail. She was warned by the magistraee that to continue to disregard the law would mean that if convicted again she would be sentenced to a ajil term without the option of a fine.

Two other women and a traveler, all charged as frequenters, were fined $10 and costs each or ten days in jail.

LAMBETH.

Lambeth, June 8.—Mrs. Mortimore and daughter Minnie, of London, were visitors with Mrs. Peter Earl on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Finch and Miss Hope Finch attended the marriage of Mr. Finch's brother at Harrietsville on Wednesday.

Quite a number of Roy Davidson's friends attended his recital given at the Masonic Temple, London, on Thursday evening.

Mrs. R. A. Lyons, Talbot street, London, was the guest of Mrs. Carling on Tuesday.

Mrs. Gordon Anguish entertained to luncheon the visitors of the Beekeepers' Association who visited the Lambeth bee and poultry yards on Wednesday afternoon.

CONF... ENTH... FOR SELE... CONSCRIPTION

Resolution Was Passed by a Standing Vote Amid Cheers.

EDUCATIONAL REPORTS

Social and Moral Reform Work Discussed at Length.

The London Methodist Conference yesterday evidenced its approval of selective conscription as it is now before the country by a tremendous demonstration of enthusiasm. A motion by Rev. D. N. McCamus, late president of the conference, seconded by J. J. Mason, of Stratford, to the effect that "the conference committee on social service and evangelism be instructed to prepare a resolution in harmony with the question of selective conscription now before the country, said resolution to be forwarded at once to the Canadian Government," was carried by a standing, unanimous vote, emphasized by thunderous applause mingled with cheers. Applause and "hurrahs" in turn gave way to the National Anthem, sung solemnly, yet triumphantly, and followed immediately by "God Save Our Splendid Men."

Serious Situation.

The question of conscription was brought before the conference by Major Eaton, of the Army and Navy Board, son of the late Timothy Eaton, of Toronto. Major Eaton, who has been giving all his time to military service at his own expense, urged upon the conference the importance of taking such a step and getting the resolution to Sir Robert Borden before conscription is dealt with in the House of Commons next Monday. A warning was sounded in regard to the seriousness of the situation in Canada at the present time. It was further suggested by Major Eaton that the conference send a cable to Premier Lloyd George, expressive of the patriotic devotion to the supreme cause of winning the war and the approval of the conference of the stand taken by Premier Borden on conscription.

"The help of every man and woman in Canada is needed to win the war," declared Major Eaton.

The suggestion re cabling Lloyd George was included in the resolution of Mr. McCamus and also heartily indorsed.

68,000 in Khaki.

Bringing further weight to bear on the case as presented to the conference by Major Eaton, Rev. T. Albert Moore expressed his gratification that reports on recruiting records in the past year had been clarified and that any opprobrium that had been cast upon the Methodist Church in the matter of enlistments had been discovered to be entirely without foundation. Sixty-eight thousand of the members and adherents of the church had donned khaki.

"The Methodist ministry has not hesitated," said Dr. Moore. "I am proud to say that I do not know of a single Methodist parsonage up and down the length and breadth of the country where there is a son of military age and physical fitness who is not in khaki."

Work for Navy.

Reference was made at some length to the good work which has been accomplished by the Army and Navy Board of the Methodist Church, of which the speaker, Dr. Moore, is secretary.

"The premier of Great Britain and I are in regular correspondence," he said, adding, "When I wrote the premier of Great Britain expressing the protest of the Methodists of Canada against the wet canteen, public houses and certain conditions in Canadian camps in the old land, he wrote a personal reply, stating he had laid the matter before the council of war of the empire for consideration."

"The Army and Navy Board, he added, has looked after 78 orphan children of soldiers and found homes for them in the past year, and helped 627 soldiers' homes. "Brethren," concluded Dr. Moore, "Methodism stands around the old flag. We believe in selective conscription that should not only take men but money, and that manhood and money should be taken to win the war."

A "last word," and a forcible one on the subject of conscription, was spoken by Rev. Dr. J. W. Graham, educational secretary of the Methodist Church in Canada.

"Going down to the win the war convention in Quebec," he said, "I saw in an Ottawa paper an editorial which expressed doubt if the ministers would indorse conscription so readily if they were also to be conscripted. I have no right to attempt to represent the ministry of any other church. Knowing, however, what I do of the traditions and history of the ministry of the Methodist Church, especially in the years since the outbreak of war, I can tell Sir Robert Borden that the Methodist ministers will not stand in the way of conscription, if it means the conscription of every minister in the Methodist Church in the country."

Report On Evangelism.

The report on evangelism laid before the Layman's Association the previous day was repeated in part by F. B. Holtby, St. Thomas, for the benefit of the conference as a whole, and a resolution presented from the laymen asking that the conference appoint a minister without monetary guarantee to devote his time to evangelistic work within the bounds of conference in the coming year.

The statement was made that the largest increase in membership in the history of the conference in a year had come from the Windsor and St. Thomas districts as a direct result of aggressive evangelistic work done there.

Arrange for Revival.

Rev. G. N. Hazen, secretary of a joint committee of the ministers and laymen, appointed to deal with the question of evangelism, presented a resolution asking that the request of the laymen be granted; that the Rev. W. E. Millson of St. Thomas district be appointed and that a central committee be appointed to arrange for revival meetings, etc. This was left over to be decided upon at a later session.

Mrs. Gordon Wright next addressed the conference, representing the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church in Canada which, she stated, has added 12,000 members to its ranks in the past four years.

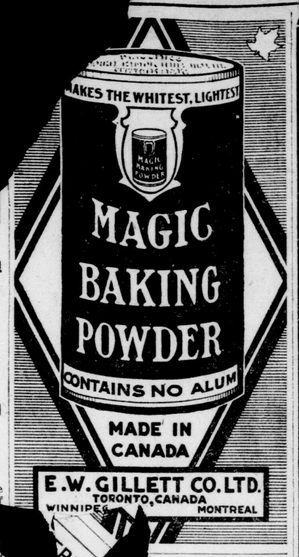
Missionary Work.

One of the difficulties that has arisen for the Women's Missionary Society in its work has been out of the active support of Methodism of the war. In the multitude of new duties and unexpected responsibilities involved, women have found it difficult to keep up their former support of Women's Missionary Society work. Impressing the need of keeping up the missionary work, particularly in such a crisis as the country is passing through, Mrs. Wright expressed her conviction that if the spirituality of the Methodist women is developed, all else will be well. Rev. R. Barnby presented the report of the contingent fund committee, which showed receipts amounting to $910.86, and recommended expenditure amounting to $493.02.

The session adjourned shortly after 4 o'clock to afford time for important business to be taken up by the ministerial session.

TRADE IS ACTIVE.

London reports to Bradstreet's say that the business outlook is little changed from last week. Some better weather has injected more activity into retail trade in seasonable commodities, and the agricultural situation is showing continued improvement. Seeding of spring grains has been practically finished under favorable conditions. The acreage planted to beans in Western Ontario has shown a marked increase over last year. Drygoods, boots and shoes and hardware orders for the fall are showing up quite well.



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[BY THEM.]

The newly-elected president, Rev. S. W. Muxworthy, was born in the county of Huron, near Mitchell, and has spent almost all his ministry in Western Ontario.

Rather a larger number of pastors than usual are retiring this year from the active work of the ministry, among them being Rev. J. E. Ford of Goderich, who has occupied a foremost place in the councils of the church, also Rev. A. G. Harris, who has put in 53 years of active and faithful service.

Several ministers of other denominations are asking to be received as members of the conference. Some of these present very excellent testimonials, and are likely to be accepted. These will help to make up for the lack of help occasioned by so many younger men enlisting for overseas service.

We are pleased to note our genial friend, J. C. Dance, ex-M. P., among the lay-members of the conference.

ENGINEERS HAVE SIGNED 161 MEN IN A SHORT TIME

Fine Chance for Promotion in Signal Section.

The Service Company of the Canadian Engineers are making rapid strides in recruiting, and will in a short time be able to send away another detachment of men for further training. In the past six weeks a total of 161 men have been obtained by the Engineers, and of these 89 left in the last draft, 28 remaining on the strength here; 15 have joined and will report in a few days, and 29 have already reported and are now on the strength, making the total of 161 men.

Major Mitchell, the officer who accompanied the last draft to Ottawa, has returned and reports that the Engineers' Signal Training Depot at Ottawa is 250 men short, and on that account an extraordinary effort is to be made to get the men for this branch of the service. Any man of good education stands a good chance for promotion in the signal branch as no more officers are being appointed, but they are being drawn from the ranks so that each man who joins has an excellent chance of receiving promotion and obtaining a commission.

Among the latest recruits are two civil engineers, Archibald Kerr of Dutton, who is a graduate of McGill University, and William J. Binks, 584 Central avenue, this city.

Other men who have signed up in the past few days are: J. M. Brennan, bank clerk, Newbury; E. F. Connelly, bank clerk, Newbury; A. Blackley, carpenter, Scotland; J. Duncan, cook, Scotland; B. Cumming, machinist, Scotland; Cy Armstrong, carpenter, Scotland; R. L. Beadle, metal worker, Windsor; P. G. Harris, clerk, Kingsville; L. Blackhall, machinist, Scotland; T. H. Barnard, machinist, Birmingham, England; Harry Cronk, millwright, Ingersoll; R. R. Brown, mill hand, Amherstburg; R. M. Harris, bank clerk, Kingsville; John J. Hogarty, clerk, Vancouver, B. C.; J. A Johnston, mechanic Ireland; A. D. Pearsall, clerk, Kingsville; E. C. Peterson, clerk, Kingsville; G. W. Ross, driver, Amherstburg; George Walker, electrician, Scotland; Harry Whyte, mechanic, Glasgow; J. A. Robertson, carpenter, Scotland; A. Fisher, carpenter, Scotland; W. J. Colwell, fireman, England; W. D. Huxley, machinist, England; George Garner, painter, England; J. B. Chatterton, mechanic, Sarnia; Henry Tomson, driver, Denmark; W. H. Pierce, bridge worker, Toronto; J. S. Gilbert, carpenter, Hamilton; J. W. Voss, fireman, England.

J. M. S. CLUB GIVES PRISONERS' CONCERT

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Glanworth, June 8.—The J. M. S. Club of Westminster gave a most enjoyable concert for the benefit of the Prisoners' Relief Fund, when the members put on "Leave It to Polly," a sketch which portrayed the life of the senior girls in a girls' boarding school, in a bright and charming manner. The characters were exceedingly well represented and the parts so well acted that one felt as if they were having a glimpse of real boarding school life. A number of patriotic and folk songs were rendered by Misses Florence Spencer, Edith Maitland and Jessie Harris and all the songs were cleverly impersonated by other members of the club, the choruses, "Rule Britannia" and "Oh Canada," which were so strikingly impersonated by Misses Florence Spencer and Edith Brodie, finding a warm response in the hearts of the audience.

The thanks of the club are being heartily expressed for the kind assistance of Miss K. Moore, who played accompaniments, Miss Violet Baty and Messrs Murray and Baty, who gave instrumental selections, which were so much appreciated by the audience.

A check for $48 has been mailed to Miss Gunn of the Prisoners' Relief Fund, being the proceeds realized from the concert.

PTE. REEVE WOUNDED.

Pte. Walter Reeve, who went overseas with the 133th Battalion, has been very severely wounded, according to word just received. He formerly resided in the St. George's Apartments.

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SERGT. JAS. MURRAY ORDERED BACK TO LIFE IN THE ARMY

Sergt. Jimmy Murray, D. C. M., who has been home on sick leave for some months, after serving 22 months continuously in the trenches, was up before a medical board yesterday and was ordered back to England.

He has been in the service for almost three years now. He is desirous of returning to civil life, but so far his request has been ignored.

JUNE WEDDINGS

SMALL—WILSON.

The home of Mrs. Caroline Wilson, Ridout street south, was the scene of a quiet wedding Saturday, June 2, when her youngest daughter, Miss Marie Wilson, became the bride of Raymond G. Small of Calgary. The bride entered the drawing-room on the arm of her brother, Mr. R. Wilson of King street, to the strains of the Lohengrin Bridal Chorus, sung by Mrs. R. L. Brighton. Miss Carrie Brighton was accompanist. The bride was unattended. The bride wore her traveling suit of blue chiffon taffeta silk, with a large white hat, and wore a corsage bouquet of pink and white sweet peas and white roses.

The drawing-room was very prettily decorated with narcissus, myrtle and palms. The dining-room was decorated with pink and white sweet peas. Mr. Stuart of Knox Presbyterian Church performed the ceremony.

After luncheon the bride and groom left for Toronto and points east. Mr. and Mrs. Small will reside in Calgary.

FINCH—GOBLE.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Goble, of Avon, when their eldest daughter, Miss Vera M. Goble, was married to Mr. Douglas W. Finch, a popular young farmer of Harrietsville. Rev. Mr. Taylor, pastor of the Methodist Church, Avon, performed the ceremony. The bride entered the drawing-room leaning on the arm of her father to the strains of the Lohengrin Wedding March, played by Miss Louise Yorke of Gladstone, and took her place under a pretty floral arch. She wore a ninon dress over cream satin, with veil and orange blossoms, and carried a shower bouquet of cream roses and lily of the valley. Miss Hope Finch, of Lambeth, niece of the groom, attended the bride, and looked charming in a gown of pale yellow silk crepe and carried a large bouquet of pink and white carnations. Little Miss Manger of Ingersoll, made a charming flower girl, dressed in white chiffon, and carried a basket of pink roses and sweet peas. The groom was supported by Frank Goble, brother of the bride. During the signing of the register, Mrs. R. A. Logan of Dorchester, sang, "O, Promise Me." After the ceremony luncheon was served to about 70 guests in the dining-room, which was decorated in pink and white. The groom's gift to the bridesmaid was a gold bar pin; to the flower girl a gold ring; to the pianist a crescent, and to the groomsman a tie pin. Mr. and Mrs. Finch left for Hamilton.

RETURNED MEN LEAVE POSITIONS WITH CITY

J. McAulliffe, a returned soldier, who has been a clerk in the assessment department for some time, has resigned.

This is the second returned man who has left, Sergt. Falkner being the other. The Soldiers' Aid Commission will be asked to furnish a man to take the position.

It is claimed that the men cannot live on the wages. The council some time ago refused an increase to the clerks, the salary being $15 a week, the same that it has been for some years.

Others say that the men have improved their positions, and that is the reason they left.

INJURED AT RAISING.

Exeter, June 8.—Yesterday while raising a barn on the farm of William Pincombe, near Exeter, an accident occurred which caused Paul Coates, township treasurer of Usborne, and Richard Hunter to fall a distance of 23 feet. No bones were broken, but as yet the full extent of the injury to either has not been ascertained.

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ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.

Denfield, June 8.—Anniversary services of the Denfield Baptist Church will be held on Sunday, June 10. Rev. H. H. Bingham of the Talbot Street Baptist Church, London, will preach at 3 and 7:30 p.m. The choir will furnish special music for the occasion.

DESPAIR OF LAST PLANTING.

HYDE PARK, June 8.—The heavy rains lately are causing the farmers to despair of getting their late potatoes and corn planted. Quite a number have had the land worked ready for planting several times, when down would come the rain, preventing all planting.