

EXPECT COUNCIL TO APPROVE SUBWAY

Inspector's Recommendation To Be Considered at Meeting Tonight.

CONTROLLERS FAVORABLE Dutsoken in Commendation of Crossing Elimination at Egerton Street.

At its meeting tonight the city council will in all probability place itself on record as approving the recommendation of T. H. Harris, Inspector to the Commission Board of Railway Commissioners, to construct a subway under the Grand Trunk at Egerton street, for the elimination of the present dangerous crossing, and for the removal of switching tracks further to the east, leaving the crossing with the fewest possible tracks.

Through City Solicitor T. G. Meredith the commission has requested the council for an answer to its recommendation, made by Inspector Harris, and the approval of the council will be the result. This was decided on today by the board of control.

The finance committee, to which is delegated all railway questions, submitted a recommendation that the report of the inspector be carried out. As such a recommendation would mean that the city would be held liable for the construction costs, it was decided by the controllers to recommend instead that the approval only be given, as this would mean that no expenses would be added on the city if the commission saw fit to go ahead with the work and altered it.

Whole Question Considered. In addition to this approval, the council will deal with the Egerton street question at greater length when the crossing elimination question in its entirety is considered at the special meeting a week from tonight.

Controllers today were outspoken in their opinion that the subway at Egerton street ought to go through. "Of course, the construction costs will be cheaper if those tracks are moved," the report recommends. As the Grand Trunk owns the property on both sides of the crossings, or practically all of it, the land damages will be a minimum."

Sewer. "We ought to consider the building of a subway this spring when we are putting our storm sewer subway through at this street. The cost of the sewer is added to the cost of the work," declared Controller G. E. Rose.

Controllers Gammage and White, as well as Mayor McCreedy, who is an avowed advocate of subways, expressed similar opinions.

PRIVATE'S BOAT SUNK BY GERMAN ENEMY

Remarkable Experiences of William Thomas, Now 33rd Member.

Twenty-one years old last week, shipwrecked three times, his last boat deliberately sunk by the German raider cruiser Emden, such is the history of Pte. William Thomas, who recently enlisted in C Company of the 33rd Battalion.

Young Thomas is the son of Captain Thomas, of the White Star Line. He has been at sea ever since he was fourteen, and intends going back sailing again. He was last seen by his father, who was in the ship, when he was called from Cardiff, Wales, on the steamer Van Dyke, bound for Montevideo. His boat was on fire, and he took when the boat was out, and had many places to call at along the coast.

"It was on watch one night," said Thomas, "when I saw what later turned out to be the Emden. We did not try to escape not knowing then what boat she was, and she speedily overtook us. She fired a few shots at us and we were unable to return. With fifty others of the sailors I was taken on board the Emden and had to watch while the Germans blew our boat to pieces. We were not allowed to take anything with us, and I lost all my sailing papers and everything on board. All our men were taken to a prison on board the Emden and fed on nothing but bread and water for over a week. We were finally rowed ashore at a point near Montevideo and told to wait for ourselves. The Emden was able to work my way to New York on the boats, but it took me longer to work my way here."

In Three Shipwrecks. Thomas has been in three shipwrecks, in storms. All were small boats, which were lost along the coast. His father, he says, knows that he is somewhere in America, but does not know where or that he has enlisted. The young soldier is burning for a chance to get revenge on the Germans for the way they have treated him, and says this is why he enlisted as soon as he could. His home is near Fishguard in England, and he is at the present time his father's boat is engaged in transporting troops to France.

He has a brother, aged twelve, whose one ambition is to enter the navy.

Twitching of the Nerves Broken-Down System

Now Entirely Cured — Never Used Any Medicine — Such Benefit as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Headaches, sleeplessness and nervousness are often very disagreeable, but when your nervous system gets into such a condition that the nerves twitch, and you have peculiar nervous sensations come over you, there is cause for grave alarm.

Everyone dreads the thought of paralysis or loss of motion or ataxia. Nothing is worse than Mrs. McKellar's condition. She was a well-known actress, and at other times the mind is affected, which is far worse.

The writer of this letter did not know what to expect, but fortunately began the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food in time to head off danger, and

MORE CRIPPLES HAVE SOLDIERS

Witness Says This Would Have Followed Use of British Boots.

BOYS' FEET BROKEN IN Canadian Army Boots Served Purpose, Declares E. M. MacDonald.

[Canadian Press.] Ottawa, March 15.—At the opening of the morning session of the Parliamentary body today, William MacDonald, Minister of Militia, declared that the boots which were supplied to the Canadian army were of such a nature that they would have followed the use of British boots.

He testified that the boots were not properly dried or dried would be greatly injured. He gave further evidence as to the carelessness of his examination at the factory.

E. M. MacDonald asked him how he accounted for the reports of the regimental boards in regard to the boots. The witness stated that he had read lots of the reports and thought that the boots were of such a nature that they would have followed the use of British boots.

Served Their Purpose. In reply to E. M. MacDonald, the witness stated that the Canadian army boots were of such a nature that they would have followed the use of British boots.

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The witness stated in conclusion, that he had not personally stamped the boots, but that the factory itself generally assisting him. He told the committee that he had written the militia department, suggesting that the boots be lined with leather, as extra protection against wet weather, but this had not been acted on.

Robert Wilson testified that he had been supplied with 3,000 pairs of boots and about 1,000 pairs of shoes. He had been supplied with 3,000 pairs of boots and about 1,000 pairs of shoes.

Mr. Wilson said he was still inspecting at Ottawa boots made according to the original pattern, except that since January a double sole had been supplied, and rejecting about one per cent.

The committee then adjourned till tomorrow morning. It will sit during the afternoon as well as the morning on Wednesday and Thursday, as there are a number of witnesses to be heard.

Under the microscope, the witness stated that the boots were of such a nature that they would have followed the use of British boots.

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MEN'S QUARTERS AT QUEEN'S PARK WERE WELL FUMIGATED

Outbreak of Spinal Meningitis Caused Precautionary Measures.

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All the men's quarters at Queen's Park, including those of the 18th and 22nd Battalions, and the 7th C. M. R., were fumigated yesterday as a precautionary measure in view of the outbreak of cerebro-spinal meningitis in the ranks of the 33rd. So far only two men are known to have contracted the disease, but the authorities are not taking chances, and sixteen members of the 33rd, who were exposed to the infection, have been isolated. The main entrance of the park has been boarded in, and is being used as an isolation building.

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BRITAIN ANNOUNCES

No Ships to Germany. "First—No merchant vessel, which sailed from her port of departure after March 1, 1915, shall be allowed to proceed on her voyage to any German port, unless this vessel receives a pass enabling her to proceed to some neutral port or to be landed in the pass, the goods on board any such vessel must be placed in a British port and placed in custody of the marshal or the prize court. Goods so discharged, if not contraband of war, shall be restored by order of the court, and upon such terms as the court may in the circumstances deem to be just to the persons entitled thereto."

No Exports Allowed. Second—No merchant vessel, which sailed from any German port after March 1, 1915, shall be allowed to proceed on her voyage with any goods on board laden at such port, or discharged in a British or allied port. Goods so discharged in a British port shall be placed in the custody of the prize court. The proceeds of goods so sold shall be paid into the custody of the prize court, and the proceeds of goods so sold shall be paid into the custody of the prize court.

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LONDON LAOS

The men have good hot meals, which they cook themselves.

Kept Sniping at Them. "The men in a house and kept continually firing away at our trenches and as he was under cover we could not get him. They sent word to the artillery and they are coming into position there this afternoon, so I guess by now there is nothing left of the house or the German."

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GREECE PLEDGED HELP FOR ALLIES

But Premier Venezelos, Who Gave Promise, Resigned Three Days Later.

[Canadian Press.] Paris, March 15.—A pledge to the Allies that Greece would place at their disposal 9,000 men for the Dardanelles expedition was made to the chancelleries of the Triple Entente by Premier Venezelos on March 4, says the Petit Parisien. The London and Paris cabinets expressed the desire that Venezelos' pledge be put into effect.

Bulgaria's Intention. "From the 4th to the 6th," the Petit Parisien says, "Bulgaria was strongly preoccupied by the attitude of Greece. The formation of a Bulgarian national defence ministry was considered, prior to taking the field against Turkey and embracing the golden opportunity offered by the action of Enver Pasha in sending to the Gallipoli Peninsula the troops gathered in the Balkans."

Premier Resigned. "London and Paris learned on March 11 that M. Venezelos had resigned as premier. At the same time formal announcement was received from Foreign Minister Sazonoff of Russia's adhesion to the agreement projected between the Allies and Greece."

Turkey Alarmed. "Since that time Bulgaria has assumed an expectant attitude, but knows that the Triple Entente will raise no objection to her taking the offensive and advancing to a line between Midia on the Black Sea coast of Turkey and Enos on the Gulf of Saros. It is evident her intentions have not left Turkey unmoved, for the Porte has sent towards Thessalonica and Adrianople part of the force of 40,000 men which constitutes all the troops she has in Europe."

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MUNITIONS OF WAR PASS THROUGH CITY

Cartridges, Cannon and Other Ordnance On Way To Eastern Port.

Under the surveillance of secret service men in the employ of the Allies, four freight cars, containing munitions of war, purchased in the United States attached to a fast eastbound Grand Trunk freight train, passed through here Sunday afternoon en route to Montreal, from which port they will be shipped over seas.

Railway officials say there were thousands of rounds of cartridge ammunition. The main part of the shipment consisted of light cannon and other goods valued by the military authorities.

The train was run on special orders and the four cars containing the goods for the military authorities were carried next to the van.

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FOUR-CORNERED FIGHT FOR LONDON REEVESHIP

Candidates Named For Special Township Election as Result of Reeve's Death.

The special election for reeve of London Township, the position having been made vacant by the death of Reeve J. H. Hodgins, will be a four-cornered contest. At the special nominations held in St. John's Town Hall today six candidates in all were nominated, but two of these withdrew, leaving the field to the remaining four.

Those nominated were: W. A. Roberts, Fred. Fuller, B. C. Brooks, R. W. Jackson, John Geary, James Barker.

The first two withdrew from the race. Messrs. Jackson, Geary and Barker declared their willingness to avoid an election by having their names placed in a box, and the contest settled by the township clerk, Mr. Brooks, however, declined to enter into such an agreement, and the election, which will take place next Monday, was therefore declared to be on.

Messrs. Jackson and Brooks, who is a former first deputy reeve of the township, were the last January's opponents in the election of 1913.

CHARGED WITH THEFT OF \$3 FROM SOLDIER

William McFadden Remanded Until Friday For Sentence.

William McFadden, charged with the theft of \$3 from Joseph Gallagher, a private in the 23rd Battalion, was today remanded until Friday for sentence in police court.

"Did you ever help to pluck a goose?" Gallagher asked McFadden, and before he could answer, the latter, in the grand trunk lavatory, grabbed him and backed him up against a wall, while his companion, named Burridge, went through his pockets and took out all the money he had, \$3.

Later McFadden, Burridge and another man were noticed out by Gallagher to Patrolman Fowler as the ones who held him up. When Officer Fowler called halt, the men ran and disappeared in the darkness. McFadden was identified by Fowler and Gallagher as being one of the men who ran away.

McFadden, in the witness-box, denied ever holding Gallagher up, saying that Gallagher had told him a friend was drunk in a box car near Richmond street, and that he wished him (McFadden) to help get him out.

Jumped in Car. "I went with Gallagher to the car and jumped in," Gallagher followed. "While we were in the car he put his arms around my waist and attempted to kiss me. Disgusted, I then jumped out of the car," McFadden stated.

Asked by Crown Attorney James B. McKillop why he ran when the officer called, McFadden said that one other time he was standing on King street and it cost him \$10.

"It never cost you \$10 in this court unless you deserved it. You were not standing on the street," Chief Magistrate J. C. Judd said in a light-hearted way.

The police are conducting a search for Burridge and two other men whose names were not given out.

AGED WOMAN IS HIT BY FREIGHT ENGINE

Sustains Broken Collarbone and Many Bruises.

Struck by the projecting beam on the fender of Grand Trunk engine No. 1097, Mrs. Mary Turner, an elderly woman, residing at 202 Clarence street, was hurled to the platform, sustaining a broken collarbone and many cuts and bruises on her face and body, at the Clarence street crossing at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

At St. Joseph's Hospital, where she was taken, it was reported late last night that her condition was not thought to be serious.

Son Near Scene of Accident. George Turner, a son of the injured woman and two B. E. brothers, was in the station when the accident occurred. He heard the cries of spectators and rushing out saw the engine hit Mrs. Turner.

"That's my mother," he cried, and dashed for the tracks.

Mrs. Turner was picked up by her son and taken to the hospital. The woman was rushed to the hospital.

Eye-witnesses of the accident stated that Mrs. Turner apparently did not see or hear the approaching train, although Engineer Bray, who was in the engine, had whistled repeatedly as he entered the station for a clear track, while the bell was ringing loudly.

The gates were down at the time, but Mrs. Turner had wanted to cross the platform from the Richmond street entrance to the station and was attempting to cross the tracks diagonally when she stepped in front of the locomotive.

Engineer Bray applied the emergency brakes, but the momentum of the train could not be checked within the short space.

The train was a way-freight from the west, in charge of Conductor Connell.

DEAD SOLDIER GETS MILITARY HONORS

The funeral of Private Baxter, of the 7th C. M. R., was held this afternoon at the Grand Trunk station for burial at Amherstburg where a military funeral was held on the arrival of the train. An escort from the C. M. R., in command of Major Balfour, accompanied the remains and the pallbearers, all comrades of the dead soldier, were Lance Corporals E. B. Corson and S. J. McLean, and Privates F. J. McLean, W. G. Richards, G. H. Tingle and W. Middlethet. The casket was shrouded in a large Union Jack.

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CANADIANS HAVE SHOWN BRAVERY, SAYS KITCHENER

[Canadian Press.] London, March 15.—"In some cases there has been a marked diminution in the output, due in a measure to drink, but on more than one occasion the failure to work to a high standard had been due to the restrictions of the trade unions," Earl Kitchener declared in the House of Commons.

The Secretary for War said he was satisfied that to mention this restriction on the output of war material would detract from the progress of recruiting.

Referring to the Canadian division, Kitchener said: "The men have shown their mettle, and receive the warm commendation of Field Marshal Sir John French for the high spirit and bravery with which they have performed their part."

London Advertiser

LONDON, MONDAY, MARCH 15.

A WAR TAX ON LONDON, ONT.

THE city council of London should open its purse for any good deed that will add to the comfort, good health or efficiency of the soldiers in London. And it should be amply prepared for all contingencies that may arise.

Every citizen wishes to keep taxes within reasonable bounds for ordinary purposes at such a time, but there is not a man worthy of citizenship unwilling to give generously, even to the point of being spendthrift, in order to add to the general capability of corps in training here, to show by methods of practical patriotism that the service of the men is appreciated.

The Advertiser believes, for instance, that in the event of the Government failing to provide soup kitchens or other necessary equipment for the different battalions or regiments, the city of London, as a corporation, should provide every piece of apparatus needed.

The Advertiser would respectfully urge upon the board of control and city council that a fund of \$100,000, more or less, be voted and held in readiness as a "military chest" for all emergencies that may arise.

With the money provided it should be used judiciously, but unsparringly, for the good of the soldiers. Whatever they may need should be secured for them.

The debt citizens owe these men is beyond calculation in dollars and cents. If we gave a million dollars to them without question, we would not have cancelled our obligation. We can never cancel it, in fact. Neither the soldiers nor the citizens want money spent simply as coin of mere intrinsic value, but if there is any real service we can do, it should be done, for it is only service that counts in the fight of humanity against the super-Hun.

Aren't we apt to regard the mobilization of troops in this city too much as a commonplace as the novelty wears off, missing the great, central meaning? Do we realize every day all it means and that lip service does not count for much?

Did we do what we should have done for our own London boys who went away? Some of them will not be present at the presentation that will inevitably follow the homecoming; many of them will occupy a nameless grave somewhere. Insurance! Yes, that was fine and practical, but it's hard to wrap a heart message in a paper policy.

We believe an adequate fund out of the city coffers for whatever good purpose it may be required, will come right from the hearts of citizens to the hearts of the boys in khaki.

We believe citizens would rather spend money in such a way than for new roads or sidewalks or sewers, if to provide the fund entails retrenchment. There are few good roads or sidewalks or sewers in the war-wrecked zone in France or Flanders.

Let's levy this "war tax" upon ourselves and be thankful it isn't going to jingle in the war chest of Wilhelm II.

APPEALS FOR NECESSARIES.

THE Canadian Government providing the soldiers with proper equipment, or are certain things being left to public subscription? Some time ago, it will be recalled, a remarkable appeal was made by Sir George Perley, acting Canadian high commissioner, at London, England, for clothing for the Canadian soldiers at the front. Not only were comforts asked for, but certain articles which should constitute the regular Government equipment of a soldier. Sir George said the men were suffering for lack of socks, for instance.

The public has had the idea that the noble "knitting sisterhood," while providing welcome comforts, has not been expected to supply the soldiers with necessary clothing. That should be the duty of the Government, and as far as possible the extras should be along the lines of added comforts and Red Cross supplies.

Recently, two communities, Leamington and Chatham, and the officers of the 7th Regiment, have presented travelling soup kitchens to the 13th Battalion, after an appeal from Lieut.-Col. Wigle. The generosity of the donors is to be commended, but the question of the insufficiency of the battalion's equipment comes to the mind. Other battalions have found it necessary, as did the 13th, to appeal to public subscription for what has been described in a statement from the headquarters of one battalion as being "among the many necessary adjuncts to the regimental equipment not issued by the department." If the soup kitchens are "necessaries," the Advertiser believes with the Journal of Commerce (Montreal) that they should have been provided by the department. The country is willing to send every battalion out of the country equipped with everything necessary to insure efficiency, good health and comfort for the men. The country does not wish to see the men leave the country without proper equipment or with "necessaries" secured by appeal to popular subscription. Far better that the whole country should supply these soup kitchens to each battalion, without the somewhat informal and undignified necessity of "begging" for them. Indeed, some of the battalions may go without. The department at Ottawa is spending money freely, as it should at such a time, and it does not become the Government to permit further popular appeals for such "necessaries" to be made. It should also order a few hundred thousand pairs of socks.

THE OFFENSIVE BEGINS.

THERE are many indications from the seat of war that the Allies are taking the offensive, and taking it with vigor. A notable instance was the dash of the British last week, when they swept clean the enemy's trenches for a mile deep, capturing Neuve Chapelle and two thousand Germans. But at all points of the conflict the Allies are putting on the pressure that promises to be permanent.

This putting of Germany on the defensive is of great significance. To be on the offensive has always been the Teutonic war policy. Speed and smashing power have been and are the fundamentals of their mighty war machine. Therefore being compelled to drop the aggressiveness with which

they opened the war strongly indicates a serious exhaustion in men, and probably ammunition. It is true that in the eastern zone, in East Prussia, Galicia and Poland, the Germans have struck some hard blows, but even there their famed aggressiveness has shown only in spurts. The Allies are taking the "punch" out of the Kaiser's armies.

It is clear now that the attack on the Dardanelles was a clever, far-seeing move. It completely isolated the weakest member of the Teutonic alliance, doomed it to certain defeat, and it made impossible any chance of a Balkan combination, harmful to the Allies. It brought into play a lot of dormant activity of the British and French navies, that just at the moment furnishes a fine lesson for all and sundry, and it made a better wheat market for the world, with the exception of Germany and Austria.

SMYRNA.

THE city now under siege at the centre of the Aegean coast of Asia Minor is far the most important of Western Asia. When that region is put under a modern, civilized administration, Smyrna should advance to a place among the greatest cities of the world. Even as things are, it has grown very rapidly the last decade or two, in manufactures, commerce, and population, numbering now over 350,000.

In ancient times Asia Minor was a name proverbial for riches. As a division of the Roman Empire, Asia Minor was coveted by unscrupulous members of the ruling class; a year's term as governor or tax collector in that province made a man opulent for life. No doubt, with railroads, modern ports, capital and civilized administration, Asia Minor will become a magnificent grain and fruit raising country. The Germans had their eyes on these possibilities, and were gradually tightening their hold as far as Bagdad, they needed a clear road through the Balkans, where the malcontent Servians encumbered the way, and they needed doubtless a gradually increasing control of Constantinople, which Russia also desired sooner or later to possess. It was hard enough to Russia to endure the growing German influence in the Turkish finances and army. There was open talk in Germany of adding Turkey to the Triple Alliance or of substituting her for the doubtful Italy. The attack on Serbia, which, if successful, would have made Bulgaria a vassal state and an easy stepping-stone for Germany to Constantinople and Smyrna, was the last straw which broke Russian patience.

Like other commercial centres of the Levant, Smyrna boasts of a strange cosmopolitan medley in its population. Turks, Greeks, Syrians, Armenians, Jews, etc., are there, with their various religions. Very good schools are conducted by Europeans and Americans. Everybody knows the figs and raisins of Smyrna. Valonia is an interesting export, a species of acorn-cup used extensively in tanning. With better agricultural conditions in the interior, Smyrna should vastly increase its exports of cotton and grain.

Originally a Greek settlement, the city was a bone of contention between the ancient Greeks and Persians, and later between Christians and Moslems. After being several times sacked by the Turks, it was finally captured by them

in 1424, and has been held since. Across the long Turkish night, now coming to a close, blazes "the meteor flag of England," the liberator and civilizer of the world. The Teuto-Turkish conspiracy will be throttled, and Asia Minor, with its commercial metropolis, will be restored to western culture.

A SAMPLE OF SPRING.

HAS SPRING actually arrived? This is the question that is causing arguments in street cars and shops. It is the street car and the shop that the pessimist declares that it is unnatural, and that in due time we will pay in full measure for the soft breezes we are now enjoying, but the optimist comes back with the master-stroke that robins have been seen. If the spring millinery openings and store windows, flaunting gay, flower-trimmed chapeaus, and Easter costumes, can be relied upon as a sure sign that spring has come, we may believe it. On the sidewalks boys are playing marbles with the old-time vivacity, while skipping-ropes play the same old game for little maids.

In the tiny patches where the sun has warmed the earth, green blades are heroically pushing their way up, and in the eaves there is the rhythmic drip, drip. Spring has wormed itself into the human breast, and on the faces of the passers-by one notes the look of joyous expectancy, and good cheer. There is some marvelous tonic in the spring breezes, and in the spring sunshine that awakens us to new interest in ourselves and others. It is as if we were being "made over." Hope and expectancy of the beautiful are all about us.

It may be that capricious Mother Nature has something up her sleeve, for instance, a belated blizzard, but even should we tomorrow be caught in the mad swirl of a winter storm, and sent scampering for furs and heavy clothing, we are thankful for this sample of what will soon be here for keeps.

CANADA AFTER THE WAR.

CANADA stands to receive enormous benefit through the war, and to give even greater benefit in return. The two great nations most prominent in Canada are the British and the French. They are fighting side by side, and will not soon forget their common struggle. Canada's greatest citizen is Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who during his life has done more than anyone else to make Canada a nation, and to see that the descendants of every nation, when Canada becomes their country, are Canadians all. What that will mean when the war is over can only be faintly seen now. Germany wants more room, and nearly every European country needs more room. Canada needs more men. It has the room.

The maintenance of the balance of power in Europe has caused several wars, Japan and Russia fought largely because Japan was overpowered. When the war is over there will be national readjustment, but all the nations will look to this continent to obtain the highest freedom and success.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Deep breathing is to be enforced among the employees of the factories of New York city. More bread, not more breath, is what is required in a lot of factories.

Guy Du Maurier, who wrote the play, "An Englishman's Home," based on a German invasion of England, has been killed at the front. An odd blending of the real and the unreal.

In the last seven months over 70,000 Italians left North America for the homeland, and every one of them will be inclined to line up against the forces that are striving to crush democracy.

This war has developed some nervous folk, but they must all find their hate to the captain of the Prinz Eitel, who first sinks an American ship, and then runs into an American port to tell them about it and get repairs.

Germany asks the United States to stop sending supplies to the Allies, and in the same breath asks the United States to prevent the interference of supplies sent to them. Germany was willing to let Belgium and Poland starve, but thinks it would be a cruel and terrible thing to have to take a dose of its own medicine.

"A LITTLE WET HOME IN A TRENCH."

I've a little wet home in a trench, Where the rainstorms continually drench; There's a dead cow close by, With her hoofs towards the sky. And she gives off a beautiful stench. Underneath, in the place of a floor, There's a mass of wet mud and some straw. And the Jack Johnsons tear Thro' the rain-soaked air O'er my little wet home in the trench.

There are snipers who keep on the go, So you must keep your napper down low. And their star shells at night, Which cause the language to flow. Then bully and baculus we chew. For it's days since we tasted a stew. But with shells dropping there, There's no place to compare With my little wet home in the trench.

UNEVENTFUL VOYAGE. LIVERPOOL, Via London, March 14.—9:30 p.m.—The American Line steamer New York arrived here this afternoon after an uneventful voyage.

DAILY WAR PUZZLE



Japanese infantryman. Find two more Japs. ANSWER TO SATURDAY'S PUZZLE.—Upside down, nose at shoulder. Right side down, in fence.

Music and Musicians

"And I kept time to the wondrous chime, Making out words and prose and rhyme, Till it seemed that Music furled Its wings like a task fulfilled and dropped From under the words it first had propped, And left them midway in the world."

—Browning.

The Value of the Pupil's Recital.

There is nothing so stimulating to the average pupil as the opportunities of appearing in public afforded by the periodical arrangement of students' recitals. In spite of what the pupils may say, there is not the slightest doubt that he enjoys a well-arranged musical, which gives him the chance of showing others what he has accomplished.

Of course he does, why shouldn't he? There is a great joy in achievement, and in the consciousness of power. That joy would be blighted if it were not for frequent opportunities of letting others see and hear the things of which he is so proud.

There are many reasons why the teacher should use the recital as an educational feature, reasons bearing directly on the work of the pupil, and on the interest of the pupil's parents.

First, the recital is intended to give the student control of himself. I do not mean by this the complete elimination of nervousness; that is in most cases impossible. As a matter of fact, nervousness increases in proportion to acquisition of knowledge. Nor is the student to be nervous because of the recital. It would tend to an indifferent performance.

The ideal condition for a pianist on the concert platform is a high state of nervous tension, combined with absolute muscular and mental control. Getting rid of nervousness should not be the uppermost thought in the mind of the student. Many of our greatest artists never overcome it in the slightest degree. It is a fact well known of Sarate, one of the greatest violinists of the world has yet produced, that his knees shook so at every performance that he could scarcely walk on the platform. Yet his mind and finger muscles were under such perfect control that his nervousness was not one whit detrimental to his playing.

In the second place, the recital creates a good-natured spirit of rivalry, which is exceedingly stimulating to a pupil's progress. Every student naturally wants to make as good an impression as his fellows. Points of playing which they are markedly superior are watched by him with the closest attention. He makes up his mind to master his shortcomings, and to make good his deficiencies by the time he is asked to perform again. Those students much further advanced than himself, whom he knows he cannot hope to rival at present, he sets before him as a mark to be striven for. His ambitions are given a nudge in the right direction by the agency of the public recital.

[To Be Continued Tuesday.]

That Question of the Tremolo in the Singing Voice.

A student of singing has sent me a question relating to the much-discussed question of the tremolo in the singing voice. She asks several questions, all of which I shall try to answer in the course of this short article.

Two faults of singing which are even outstandingly conspicuous, that even the non-understanding listener can recognize them, the faulty enunciation, and a bad tremolo. This latter the average man in the street has heard decried so much, that if he happen to be in a critical frame of mind, he reverently hits upon it as the one thing to

criticize. He fails, however, to distinguish between the tremolo as an embellishment, and the tremolo as a fault. The tremolo as an embellishment is a beautiful "waviness" in the voice, which it would be as undesirable to eradicate as, my correspondent puts it, "the curl in curly hair." Did you ever hear any good singer without this "wave" in the voice? Or did you ever hear a violinist or cellist play without using it? Students of singing have heard so much said against the tremolo that they often try to cultivate a voice without a vestige of it, with the result that the singing is flat and cold, and emotional appeal is produced.

The kind of tremolo, however, which is a good deal like the operation of a dentist's drill, or the beating of a call, is something which cannot be too vigorously denounced. Also the kind which wobbles over two or three tones at once, making true intonation impossible. If, however, perplexed amateur, you have a certain waviness in your voice which renders your tones sympathetic and appealing, don't be misled by the indiscriminating cry of the unthinking, would-be critics, but cherish it as a thing of beauty; nurse and cultivate it, but, whatever you do, don't eradicate it.

Yorkshire Enthusiasm.

It's hard to beat a Yorkshireman for musical enthusiasm. One night the local choral union was rehearsing the Messiah, along with the town orchestra. Two grimy old sons of Yorkshire stood side by side in their shirt-sleeves, playing the double bass. At a pause in the proceedings, Jack asked his desk-mate what came next. "The King of Glory Chorus," said Bill. "The King of Glory Chorus?" Hand me that resin, Billy. I'll show 'em what's the King of Glory. And he rolled up his sleeves a little higher and prepared to enjoy himself.

Musicians and Charity.

I don't suppose there's any class of professional people who do so much for charity as musicians. They are called on continually, and at times like the present, their services are freely given in the great cause of charity. It would not be too much to say that the great majority of our benevolent organizations would be in sorry straits if it were not for the charitably inclined musicians. They are glad to help to the best of their ability, however, and although, as a class, musicians are rarely given to tribute large sums in actual cash, yet the amounts raised by means of their artistic efforts in this city alone must be tremendous.

As long as the cause is a genuinely charitable one, the musician always stands ready to give his services gratis.

GERMANY HAS MILLIONS YET.

[British Army Review.] There seems little reason to doubt the calculation that Germany can supplement her trained forces by another four millions of reinforcements. We are making good, under our voluntary system, the errors and negligence of the past, and on our firmness and right decisions in meeting the present and coming forces of our adversaries depends the future of the nation and of the empire. While the responsibility of the Government and our statesmen is great, they should have no doubt that they can rely on the support of a

OUR POETS OF WESTERN ONTARIO

The Prison'd Fay

A fay in a giant emerald was prison'd a thousand years, No ear e'er caught her pleading, no mortal saw her tears, And still she grieved and waited, still she'd hope and pray; Nor think ye wise old sages that time holds naught for a fay! On the mountainside about her the songbirds came and went, Round the towering crags above her the storm-god's wrath was spent; The force of a raging torrent tore all her bonds away, Till leaping the rushing cataract at the mountain foot she lay. 'Twas only a new-born river swaged from a hisping rill, 'Twas only a lad who found her tending his flocks on the hill; The day-old river left her sparkling their on the sand, The barefoot boy a-wading came, and soon she was in his hand.

Amongst his flocks of the hillside he sat him down to think, While into the green-gem'd prison his heart sank deep to drink; Soon out on a wild rose petal sprang the imprisoned fay, The glow of his palm had riven her prison bars that day. The dryad-hands that thronged her deep in that forest wold, The vengeful deeds that wrought her are tales that go untold, But somewhere on yon mountain the emerald river dwells, And there for joy at her freedom they are ringing the Elfin bells.

Ingersoll, Ont.

DR. JAMES HENDERSON.

united people. It is only necessary that the need should be made clear.

LUCK.

[Detroit Free Press.] A little bit of effort, a little bit of thought, A little bit of daring and of pluck, A little bit of courage in the fight that's being fought, All this is often looked upon as luck.

A little bit of vision, and of faith a little, too, A bit of stern resistance when you're struck, A little bit of purpose in the work you have to do, All this is in the masonry of luck.

A little bit of wisdom, and the magic of a smile, Some real determination when you're stuck, The grit to keep on going till you make another mile, Are catalogued and labelled under luck.

The wish to travel pathways that were never trod before, To hold the line against the foes that buck, To keep the spirit beating when the flesh is weak and sore, All this is in the parentage of luck.

To do the right when wrong would seem to fill your purse with gold, To cling to truth, nor fear the devil's mock, To play your part unselfishly, be ever brave and bold, Herein you find the mystery of luck.

A SONG.

[Detroit Free Press.] Come, let us sing our merry songs, And do our dancing now; Let us forget tomorrow's wrongs And next week's furrowed brow. 'Tis ours today to romp and play In time to music keeping. Let's wait till sorrow comes our way Before we start to weeping.

Last week the rain was pelted down, More rain may follow after, And some of us may wear a frown, But now's the time for laughter. Let's take our station in the sun Where'er the sun is shining, And wait till all our joys are done Before we start to whining.

For we shall weep and we shall sigh And we shall come to trouble, And we shall live, the bye and bye, Bear loads of care and double, But now our eyes with joy are light, And filled is comfort's measure. So let us play with all our might And make the most of pleasure.

With courage later shall we stand And bear our fates unaided, And work our way through Trouble's land Footsore and sick and faded, But joy is at our door today And none is there to doubt it; 'Tis ours to sing and romp and play, So let us be about it.

TORONTO BRICK PLANT BURNED. TORONTO, March 14.—Forty men were thrown out of employment when a fire, which broke out in the Wagstaff brick plant, on Greenwood avenue, Sun-



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S.M.W.

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[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn. No letters can be answered privately.]

John Burns, M. P.
Dear Miss Grey.—Would you kindly through your paper give the desired information if J. Burns sent in the British House of Commons as a socialist or a Labor M. P.?
Yours very truly,

Ans.—John Burns was a Labor member. If you are interested in the famous man, this little bit of information found in "Who's Who" may please you. (Quoted.) Bitterness, night schools, and still learning. Came into the world with a struggle, struggling now, and prospects of continuing it, quite evidently Burns' own words.

Wants Battle Song.
Ivanite asks for a song of which this is the chorus:
"Ye sons of Britain, may ye well remember,
The glorious twelfth of September,
Ye made the Russians to surrender,
Upon the heights of Alma."

Warning For Jackie.
Dear Miss Grey.—Just finished reading your page. I certainly enjoy reading the host of questions and your very sensible answers.

I see where "Jackie" has a "motion to pose" for the movies, am sorry to tell you that it is more than posing they want. If Jackie would read the "Questions and Answers" in the Photoplay Magazine or the Motion Picture Magazine, she would see they do not take amateurs, as they have a very large waiting list of professional actors and actresses. It says hundreds of actors of talent find themselves unable to obtain positions at the various studios. So it would be useless for any one with no experience or even with some, to waste their time in visiting the studios, as they have to be in person. Sorry to dampen her ambitions, and hope you will let her know, Miss Grey.

ONE WHO WISHES TO HELP.
Ans.—Indeed I am very glad to publish your reply to "Jackie," as I feel that your practical statement of conditions may do much, not only for Jackie, but for other "movie-mad" girls. As you say, there is little chance for amateurs when so many professionals are on the waiting list. I have tried to impress this upon several of the girls who have written me about entering "the movies." Thanks for your kind help.

A Scout Patrol.
Dear Miss Grey.—As this is my first time to call for your help, I would like

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Is a lotion composed of carbonate of magnesia, 1 drachm; zinc oxide, 1 drachm; rose water, 4 ounces. The should be well shaken before using. It can be applied for three nights to spots and then the contents can be removed by folding a soft handkerchief so that it will form a pad under each thumb and then by gently pressing on the skin through this press out the contents of the blackhead. Then wash the place in a strong solution of borax and water to shrink the pores of the skin and keep them from enlarging after this operation. If the skin feels at all irritated, a little cold cream can be applied last of all.

2. Shampoo for oily hair: This: Tincture of green soap one teaspoonful; cologne, one teaspoonful; the whole of an egg stirred into a cupful of water. Wash the hair thoroughly and shampoo with it as you would with ordinary soap. Then rinse the hair thoroughly.

Yes, It Does.
Dear Miss Grey.—No old song asked for by "Bohemian" in Tuesday's issue. I write to say it is called "Ehren On the Rhine," but I do not remember the words. This may help.

MRS. H. G.
Ans.—Yes, thank you. We received several copies from readers, and the song appears today or tomorrow.

Watch Your Verbs.
Dear Miss Grey.—I. What are going to be the leading styles in dresses for young girls, 10 years and over?

2. Is French roll going to be fashionable this year in bangs?

3. Is long black pump going to be in style this summer? Also white canvas shoes?

4. Again the same old thing: What do you think of young girls as models?

Hoping I have not bothered you too much, I remain,

SOLDIER GIRL.

Ans.—The new style beige dresses are adapted for young girls as well as women, or if the waist is made regular length, the skirt is often made with a yoke; tunics are still quite a feature for girls' dresses; the design line of the "redingote" dress is among the new styles.

The French "roll" style and dressed high on the head will likely be most in vogue, even for young girls.

3. White canvas shoes and oxfords are always worn, more or less, with wash dresses. Not much prospect of revival of the almost heelless pumps, though, judging by what I hear.

4. Your writing is not bad, but, my dear girl, do watch your grammar (and closely). See those glaring errors in questions 2 and 3.

Woman Suffrage in U. S.

Dear Miss Grey.—Would you please answer these questions for me:

1. What States in the United States have woman suffrage?

2. Also on what dates was this obtained by each?

Thanking you in advance, I am,

SUFFRAGEE.

Ans.—The twelve American States having woman franchise are, with the dates when the privilege was obtained, as follows: Wyoming, 1890; Colorado, 1893; Utah, 1896; Idaho, 1900; Washington, 1910; California, 1911; Kansas, Oregon and Arizona, 1912; Illinois, 1913; Montana, 1914; Nevada, 1914. In seven or eight additional States the enfranchisement of women will come up this year.

Don't Like Praise.
Dear Miss Grey.—Would you kindly answer a few questions for me?

1. Could you or any of the readers of this page tell me where I could get readings or recitations? I have heard there are places in the States you can send to.

2. When a person tells you you have done a certain thing very well, and praises you, what should you say? It is always very embarrassing to me.

3. Are suits or separate coats the style this spring?

4. Are the hats going to be large or small?

5. What do you think of my writing?

6. Hoping to see this in print, and thanking you for your trouble,

IGNORANT.

Ans.—If you live in the city, you will be able to secure books containing excellent readings in poetry and prose, at the public library. A most excellent book, entitled "Choice Readings," may be secured from A. McClurg & Co., publishers, Chicago, Ill. Price, \$1.50.

2. It need not be. No doubt the praise is given in all sincerity, and you may feel pleased at having won approval. Thank the person as simply and heartily as possible for their appreciation.

3. Suits are to predominate, I think, although quite a number of separate

coats will also be seen, especially for those who wish to wear them.

4. To look around the millinery stores, the small hats certainly seem to predominate. Haven't you noticed it yourself?

5. Fair.

6. Fair.

Practical Methods.
Dear Miss Grey.—I go by last evening's paper that "Peggy Ann" wishes to know how to clean a baby's robe. I will give you my experience of just the other day. My baby's robe last fall was very dirty, so I tried the dry clean method, as you, Miss Grey, recommended last evening, but I was not satisfied with the result, although it took some dirt out. So the other day I tipped the skin off the lining, which I think "Peggy Ann" will find she can do very easily, heated the water boiling hot, and mixed in Lux, as directions for wool. Before putting skin in, I cooled the water enough to bear the hand in, then washed the robe well in that, also the lining, rinsed in two lukewarm waters and blued well. I wrung well through the wringer, then hung by the fire to dry, shaking, rubbing and turning often to keep hide soft. After it was dry I combed it well, and I am now very proud of my job. The robe was sheepskin, but I think goatskin would wash as well. If "Peggy Ann" tries this method, I wish her the success I had.

I wish someone would be kind enough to give me the recipe for head salad—just a plain, every-day kind.

SNOW.
Ans.—It takes the real actual experience to give the best methods. I hope "Peggy Ann" does not fail to see your letter, and that your way may prove successful if she tries it.

2. The simplest way would be to pour a mayonnaise dressing over the vegetables, and serve with or without lettuce. Pears are also most excellent in salad if combined with chopped cooked carrots, celery, etc.

3. Can any reader who possesses this accomplishment tell "Red Wing" how "it's done"?

4. Yes.

Hostler Joe.
Dear Miss Grey.—Would you please publish a request in your column for "Old Songs and Poems" for a poem entitled "Hostler Joe." It is about eighteen or twenty years since it was written by a friend of the writer. If it is too long to be published in your column, will you send a stamped addressed envelope for it when it arrives, if that should happen.

Thanking you in advance, I am, yours very truly,

Ans.—Query referred to readers. Shall be glad to let you know through the column, if a copy reaches me.

Salt Rising Bread.
Dear Miss Grey.—I have been a reader of your valuable paper for about six months, and have never troubled you before.

What I would like is a recipe for making salt-rising bread. Also a good way to clean kid gloves.

Thanking you in advance, I remain,

S. W.

Ans.—Salt-rising bread: Two-thirds of your valuable paper for about six months, and have never troubled you before.

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Advertiser Patterns

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Read "Molly McDonald."
Dear Miss Grey.—I. Where could I get the book "Molly McDonald," the story of which is being published in the morning paper?

2. Are bloomers or straight trousers going to be worn this summer on young boys? I am twelve years old.

3. How many Canadians have been killed who lived in Ontario and are not English-born?

4. Would you kindly publish the song, "The Little Old Log Shanty On the Rhine," INTERESTED READER.

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2. Goodness, boy—ask a man's clothing store.

3. These statistics cannot be obtained as yet.

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And he said when I am far away
And you in our native land, and you
In our native land.

"Oh say, my love be true,
Be only, only mine!"
My life is o'er, we'll meet no more.
At Ehren on the Rhine,
At Ehren on the Rhine.

Old Songs and Poems

The songs and poems have been collected "Maggie Murphy's Home" from Annie S.; "Soldier's Farewell" from Sun-shine; "Drum-Bo-Boo" from Scotty; "Ehren on the Rhine" from Babette; "A Busy Mother" and "Daisy Doo" from "Lochaber No More" from W. M. and Dewdrop; "Flowers of the Forest" from W. M. and J. A. G.

Ehren On the Rhine.
A soldier stood in the village street
And bade his love adieu,
His gun and knapsack at his feet,
His company in view.
With tears she kissed him once again,
Then turned away her head,
He could but whisper in his pain,
And this is what he said:

CHORUS.
"Oh love, dear love, be true—
This heart is on the Rhine,
When the war is o'er we'll part no more
At Ehren on the Rhine." (Repeat.)

They marched away down the village street,
The banners floating gay,
The children cheered for the tramping feet,
That went to war away!

And one among them turned him round,
To look but once again,
And though his lips gave out no sound,
His heart sighed this refrain:

CHORUS.
On the battlefield the pale cold moon,

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QUOTH THE PUGILIST, "A LITTLE FIGHTING NOW AND THEN KEEPS ME SUPPLIED WITH LOADS OF YEN"

"THE SWEETEST WORDS OF TONGUE OR PEN ARE SPOKEN BY THE IRON MEN."

REISLING HAS HIS TEAM FOR 1915 ALL SIGNED UP

Writes President Somerville That All His Players Have Sent In Their Signed Contracts — Linneborn and Beebe Are Not Coming Back This Season.

[BY BEAT PERRY.] President Somerville, of the London baseball club, received a letter from Manager Reisling this morning, in which the latter states he has all his men signed up for the coming season. The contracts will be forwarded to the club in a day or so.

Two or three new men have been added to the team, but so far "Doc" has not announced their names. He has only about 15 players signed up, and that is about all he will bring here for spring training. The team will report about the first week in May, or a little later.

LINEBORN WON'T BE BACK

Eddie Lineborn, of the London baseball club, has not signed up. Neither one of the two men will be in the London team this season. All efforts to get Lineborn to play have been fruitless, and the speedy little second baseman will be missing when the opening arrives. He is anxious to quit the game and devote all his time to his business in Buffalo.

HAS HIS TEAM ALL PICKED

Dr. Reisling, in contrast to other managers, has his team picked before the season opens. Last year, he had his lineup selected before the players even appeared in London, and with one or two changes, he used the same team right through the season. This season, he has already signed up the season opens, and the chances are that he knows right now his opening-day lineup. "Doc" gets the players who have records to back up their assertions, and he also gets some expert opinion on his men before he signs them up. With Reisling, the wedding-out process begins before the season opens, and not during the season.

WESTERN ALL-STAR TEAM BEAT EASTERNERS 4-3

TORONTO, March 14.—The All-Star O. H. A. junior annual exhibition game, played here last night, resulted in a win for the western representatives by a score of 4 to 3. The game was fast and exciting throughout. The teams:

East—Goal, Payton; Simcoe, defence, J. Sheldon, University of Toronto, captain, and R. Ferguson, Kingston C. I.; rover, R. Gough, University of Toronto; centre, H. Watson, St. Andrew's College; left wing, A. Carey, Lindsay; right wing, W. Stratton, University of Toronto; spare, W. Cook, Kingston Frontenacs.

West—Goal, Chilton; Chalks, Woodstock; defence, A. H. Parker, Hamilton R. C., and Amos Arbour, Victoria; rover, rover, R. Noble, Collingwood; centre, Dalton F. Meeking, Barrie; left wing, Allan Shirk, Berlin Union; right wing, M. J. Phillips, Western University, London; spare, W. Scharr, Berlin Union; goal, J. Scharr.

FULLERTON'S OWN COLUMN

It is interesting to believe that Ad Fullerton, who has been reaching for the drinks Tom Jones doesn't buy, it happens too often to break it reaching for those Tom does buy.

Dumb Dan Morgan is in again—being saying that Jack Britton will knock out Welsh, White, Ritchie, Dundee and Duffy, he only uses about 27-ene words.

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Sudden Death Game Wednesday for Simcoe Cup

Mild Weather Puts Ice in No Condition For Tonight's Game.

There will be no game tonight in the Simcoe rink cup finals between St. Andrew's and McQuillan. Owing to the mild weather, the ice is not suitable, and the teams have agreed to play a sudden-death game on Wednesday night in the Simcoe street rink instead, providing the ice is fit to play on. This game will be played with six men a side, Harold Gray being dropped from the St. Andrew's team. The rest of the teams will be the same as used in the Church League and Manufacturers' League games.

OLD COUNTRY SOCCER

Cup Replays. New Castle 0, Chelsea 0. Sheffield U. 2, Oldham 0. Division I. Aston Villa 5, Middlesbrough 0. Blackburn 2, Everton 1. Bradford 5, Tottenham H. 1. Liverpool 2, Manchester U. 2. Manchester U. 1, Bradford City 0. Notts County 1, West Brom A. 1. Bolton W. 2, Burnley 1. Sunderland 3, Sheffield W. 1.

Division II. Arsenal 1, Birmingham 0. Barnsley 1, Blackpool 2. Clapton O. 2, Grimsby Town 1. Fulham 0, Preston N.E. 2. Glossop 2, Leicester E. 3. Hull City 1, Bristol City 1. Leeds City 1, Huddersfield T. 0. Stockport County 1, Bury 0. Wolverhampton 5, Nottingham F. 1.

Division III. Bristol Rovers 2, Gillingham 1. Millwall 2, Brighton 0. Queens Park Rangers 2, Crystal Palace 0. Southampton 2, Luton Town 2. Portsmouth 2, Plymouth A. 1. Southend U. 2, Norwich City 1. Reading 2, West Ham U. 1. Northampton 1, Watford 1.

Division IV. Queen's Park Rangers 1, Aldershot 2. Hearts 2, Aberdeen 1. Clyde 0, Rangers 2. Partick Thistle 1, Dumbarton 2. Hamilton A. 0, Kilmarnock 0. Hibernians 2, Morton 1.

Division V. St. Helens 2, Swinton 0. Broughton R. 5, Hull K. R. 5. Hull 2, Halifax 0. St. James' 2, Bradford 11. Bradford R. 3, Wigan 2. Huddersfield 2, Widnes 2. Kingston 2, Barrow 3. Rochdale Hor. 75, Brighton Moor 13. Leeds 19, Wakefield Trinity 2.

SUGGEST STANDINGS

COMPILED UP TO DATE.

English League. Division I. Clubs. P. W. L. D. F. A. Pts. Arsenal 10 7 2 1 28 10 21. Aston Villa 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Blackburn 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Bolton 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Bradford 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Burnley 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Chelsea 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Clapton O. 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Crystal Palace 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Everton 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Fulham 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Gillingham 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Grimsby 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Huddersfield 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Hull City 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Kingston 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Leeds 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Leicester E. 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Liverpool 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Luton 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Manchester U. 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Middlesbrough 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Millwall 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Notts County 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Oldham 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Oxford 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Plymouth A. 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Portsmouth 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Reading 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Rochdale Hor. 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. St. James' 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. St. Helens 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Swinton 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Sunderland 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Tottenham H. 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Watford 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. West Ham U. 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Widnes 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Wigan 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Wolves 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. Wolverhampton 10 6 3 1 24 10 18. York 10 6 3 1 24 10 18.

WESTERN UNIVERSITY TEAM RETURNS HOME

The members of the Western University hockey team arrived home from their trip west early yesterday morning. They had been touring over in Toronto, witnessed the game between the All-Star West and East junior teams on Saturday night, at the annual meet of the Meadowbrook Club. He took the record of 6 to 5 seconds, breaking the record of 6 to 5 seconds, made by Walter Steffens, of Chicago, in 1914.

RESIGNS AS SECRETARY TO BECOME PRESIDENT

RICHMOND, Va., March 14.—E. W. Wicks has resigned the secretaryship of the Richmond International League baseball club, to become president and general manager of the Jersey City club of the same league. He announced here tonight that Mr. Wicks was secretary of the Baltimore International League club for a number of years, and that he had been transferred to Richmond.

ELLER SETS NEW RECORD FOR LOW HURDLE RACE

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—J. J. Eller, of the I. A. A. C., New York, made what is said to be a new world's record in the 50 yards low hurdle race Saturday night, at the annual meet of the Meadowbrook Club. He took the record of 6 to 5 seconds, breaking the record of 6 to 5 seconds, made by Walter Steffens, of Chicago, in 1914.

GOVERNOR WON'T STOP WILLARD-JOHNSON BOUT

HAVANA, March 14.—Governor Bustillo denied today that he had any intention of prohibiting the Willard-Johnson prize fight, from taking place in Havana, as had been rumored. He said he had no grounds for interference with the proposed contest.

BILLIARD TOURNAMENT ENTERS ON THIRD WEEK

Chicago, Ill., March 13.—Players in the world's championship three-cushion billiard tournament entered on their third week of competition today, having played 26 of the 66 games scheduled. George Stott, of Chicago, was obliged to withdraw from the tournament because of illness. Lloyd Jevne, of Salt Lake City, took Sutton's place, William Huey, of Chicago, is leading the tournament with three straight victories.

Bumay Brief having hit a home run in the first practice game of the year, the White Sox fans are organizing to buy him a gold watch after he wins the world's series with a four-base wallop.

This is the time of the year when baseball managers, to furnish the scribes a story, shut off cigarette smoking and poker playing.

Try Your Imagination on This. A Pennsylvania man wants \$19,000 for loss of his tongue. Imagine how much Tom Jones would sue for if it happened to him.

Collins is gone, Plank and Bender are gone. Baker is gone, but the Athletics still have what made them the best team in the world: Cornelius J. McGillicuddy.

Terry Durkin being lightweight champion of the Orient, we expect Michael O'Toole to bob up as champion of Zulaland.

"Mooney" Gibson Loses Pirates In Kentucky Hills

The following story was clipped from Pittsburgh training camp appearing in the Pittsburgh Dispatch:

The "Babes in the Hills" stunt was one that, for a while, caused a little excitement—and following that lots of merriment. Manager Clarke, knowing Gibson's ability as a "hiker", ordered him to take the pitchers out "for a little stroll." George caught the wink and when Mamaux, Mark Adams, Babe Adams, McQuillen, Kautzner, Hill, Darney, Cooper and Vance had been rounded up, the ordeal began. The first five miles of the "little walk" was up hill. Here it was that McQuillen and Babe Adams balked and beat it back to town. The others kept on, Gibby setting a terrific pace. Three miles further on a halt was called and then the return was taken up, the leader deciding on a new route.

TORONTO BARACAS BEAT WOODSTOCK AT BASKETBALL

Showed Dazzling Combination That Had Home Team Guessing—Score Was 40 to 28.

WOODSTOCK, March 14.—In a very interesting game of basketball yesterday night the Baracas, of Toronto, champions of their district, and who have not lost a game this season, defeated the local senior Y.M.C.A. team by the score of 40 to 28. The visitors excelled in team work, their combination play simply dazzling the locals, who were a heavier team.

After the game the visitors were entertained, and spent Sunday in the city. Line-up: Baracas. Position. Woodstock. Smith.....Centre.....Bassett. Kelly.....Forward.....Hastings. B. MacKie.....Forward.....Parker. R. MacKie.....Left defence.....Sutherland. Williamson.....Right defence.....Douglas. Williamson.....Right defence.....Douglas. Referee—Campbell, Woodstock.

BUCKINGHAM WON TITLE FROM HAWKESBURY TEAM

OTTAWA, March 14.—In the saw-off last night for the lower Ottawa championship, Buckingham, winners in the western section, defeated Hawkeshbury, winners of the eastern section, by the score of 3 to 1. Hawkeshbury protested the game on the ground that a minute and a half remained to be played when the bell rang. Buckingham and Brockville will play Tuesday night for the Eastern Ontario championship.

UPPER OTTAWA LEAGUE IS UNDER SEARCHLIGHT

OTTAWA, March 14.—The Upper Ottawa Hockey League is now under the searchlight, owing to charges of irregularities. At a meeting yesterday to arrange a play-off of the triple tie, Carleton Place protested a game lost to Arnprior, claiming that Robillard, a well-known professional player who has figured on the Port William Wanderers, is now playing for the Arnprior team, and that some of the N.H.A. men have been masquerading in it.

One thing is certain, Clarence Rowland got the start on the other Arnprior team, and probably will hold it until April 14, anyhow.

Released by purchase—By Toronto, Ontario, to R. H. B. by Vancouver, B. C. W. H. Powell, to Mobile, Ala.; by Hartford, Conn., to Edward Barney, to Jersey City, N.J.; by Grand Forks, N.D., to Mike Sampson, to Fort William, Ont.; by Port William, Ont., to Chapman, Ont.; by Port William, N.B.; by Providence, R.I., to Chas. Bauman, to New York (A. Released unconditionally—W. O. Burch, by Montreal.

EX-CANADIAN LEAGUER GOES BACK TO BISON

AUBURN, N.Y., March 14.—Secretary John H. Farrell, of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, has announced the following announcement of releases: Released by purchase—By Toronto, Ontario, to R. H. B. by Vancouver, B. C. W. H. Powell, to Mobile, Ala.; by Hartford, Conn., to Edward Barney, to Jersey City, N.J.; by Grand Forks, N.D., to Mike Sampson, to Fort William, Ont.; by Port William, Ont., to Chapman, Ont.; by Port William, N.B.; by Providence, R.I., to Chas. Bauman, to New York (A. Released unconditionally—W. O. Burch, by Montreal.

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DOWLERS PUT CRIMP IN LEAGUE LEADERS

Surprise Sprung in the City Basketball League Saturday. HIGH SCHOOL TEAM WON

Youngs Made Them Go Over-time To Do It—St. Andrews Beat Cooks.

THE STANDING. Won. Lost. For. Agt. High School.....7 2 262 319. Free Press.....5 5 301 316. Cooks.....4 5 253 280. St. Andrews.....4 6 313 317. Dowlers.....4 9 261 439. Youngs.....4 9 261 439. Xplayed a tie game.

Some surprises occurred in the City Basketball League on Saturday afternoon. The biggest surprise occurred in the first game, when Dowlers beat the Free Press, who had been the league leaders before that time. The final score was 28 to 23, and at half time Dowlers were leading by 19 to 8. The surprising part of this is that Dowlers were beaten last week by Youngs, who are the tallenders. The winners played a strong game, and outclassed the leaders nearly all through. The teams and scores were:

Free Press, 23; Dowlers, 28. St. Andrews, 31; Cooks, 26. Youngs, 26; High School, 31. Dowlers, 28; Free Press, 23. St. Andrews, 31; Cooks, 26. Youngs, 26; High School, 31.

By playing a double-header last Saturday with the perennial team of the Woodmen, the Dowlers are again in the lead, and are working hard to stay there. The Chosen Friends seem to be losing their grip on first place. The British Socials have given their team a good shake up for the final spurt, as also have the Woodmen, who have put in a new captain; in fact all the first division teams are putting forth an extra effort to see what they can do. Captain Tags, of Sons of Scotland, is liable to come from the plans of the leaders. The Sons of England, C. L. work up and won two games last week, and won two more this week, showing up very good.

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By George McManus

MRS. A. M. POLLY'S DEATH.
GODERICH, March 14.—Death has removed one of Goderich's most esteemed ladies, in the person of Mrs. Polly, wife of A. M. Polly. Mrs. Polly was born in New Hampshire, 78 years ago, and came to Goderich with her husband, 50 years ago.

She leaves three daughters, Mrs. Major, of Toledo; Mrs. McFadden, of this town; and Mrs. Grace, of this town.

She will be buried Monday in Maitland Cemetery.

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INVENTOR DEAD

H. H. Sessions Originated Anti-Telescoping Device for Passenger Cars.
[Canadian Press.]
Chicago, March 14.—Henry H. Sessions, inventor of the vestibule anti-telescoping device used on most railroad passenger cars, the air brake for street cars, and several other railroad devices, died at his home here yesterday.

Mr. Sessions, at the time of his death, was vice-president of the Standard Coupler Company, of New York.

TO REFLOAT CRUISER

Seattle, Wash., March 14.—According to information brought by the Japanese steamer Sado Maru, which arrived here from the Orient yesterday, the Kwantan, a special service ship, carrying 300 workmen, has left Yokohama to refloat and repair the Japanese cruiser Asama, which recently grounded at the entrance to Turtle Bay, west coast of Mexico.

ENEMY LOST 10,000 MEN IN DEFEAT AT NEUVE CHAPPELLE

British Gains Greatest Yet Made In So Short a Time—Charges Followed Terrible Bombardment—2,000 Prisoners Taken.

[Canadian Press.]
LONDON, March 14.—9:35 p.m.—The war office tonight made the following announcement:
“A heavy counter-attack, delivered by the enemy Saturday afternoon, and several minor counter-attacks earlier in the day, all were repulsed.”

“Judging by observations on various positions of the field of battle and by statements of prisoners, of whom there are now 1,720, the enemy's losses must have been very heavy, and cannot have fallen far short of ten thousand men within three days.”

“A train at the Don Station was blown up by our aircraft Sunday morning.”

While the war office makes no mention of the region where the above operations took place, it is probable that they occurred in the vicinity of Neuve Chapelle, where severe fighting has been in progress for several days.

The town of Don, where the railroad station is reported to have been blown up, lies about ten miles southwest of Lille.

ON THE WAY TO ENGLAND.
HAVRE, via London, March 14.—Two thousand German prisoners, captured by the British, arrived here tonight. They are on their way to England.

GREATEST GAIN OF THE WAR MADE IN SO SHORT A TIME

LONDON, March 14.—The British offensive, which resulted in the capture of Neuve Chapelle and the country beyond it, began early in the morning of March 10 with a bombardment by a large number of heavy guns, according to an “eye-witness” with the British expeditionary force in France.

“Our men in the trenches,” he says, “describe this fire as being the most tremendous, both in point of noise and in actual effect, they have ever seen or heard. The shrieking of shells in the air, their explosion and the continuous thunder of the batteries were all merged into one great volume of sound. The discharges of the guns were so rapid that they sounded like the fire of a gigantic machine gun.”

During the thirty-five minutes it continued our men could show themselves freely and even walk about in perfect safety. Then the signal for the attack was given, and in less than half an hour almost the whole of the elaborate series of German trenches in and about Neuve Chapelle was in our hands.

Trenches Blotted Out.
“Except at one point there was hardly any resistance for the trenches which in places were literally blotted out, were filled with dead and dying, partially buried in the earth and debris, and the majority of the survivors were in no mood for further fighting.”

“To the northeast of the village, however, a body of Germans encamped in some inclosures continued to hold out for several hours. Three attacks, in spite of the gallantry with which they were conducted, failed to dislodge them, but the arrival of reinforcements drove the Germans from their last stronghold in the village.”

This part of the fighting was remarkable in the above sense in which every part of the line assisted one another.

“Meanwhile on the right, from the direction of Ribebour, a similar advance had been made towards Bois du Biez, a small rectangular wood lying about 1,000 yards to the southeast of Neuve Chapelle. Here also little resistance was met with, and our line reached a point about four hundred yards from the wood. In the afternoon the troops who had seized Neuve Chapelle advanced still further to the east, gaining nearly 400 yards, while our forward movement progressed rapidly. The enemy's fighting continued long after darkness had set in.”

“Port Arthur” Falls.
“The enemy were by this time thoroughly shaken and in some parts of the line were surrendering in groups. Throughout the day the Germans continued to hold out in a strong position at the angle of the cross roads south of the village, where they were established in a perfect network of trenches and barbed wire. This position had been known as Port Arthur, and a hard struggle raged for some hours around it, until at 5:30 in the evening when it was stormed at the point of the bayonet.”

“By nightfall we were in possession of all of the enemy's trenches on a front of 4,000 yards, representing an advance of more than 1,200 yards from our original trenches at the furthest point. The number of prisoners captured is officially reported to be 150, but there is reason to believe that others were taken who have not yet been sent in.”

Feats By Aviators.
“During the day two remarkable feats were performed by our airmen. One, flying at a height of only 150 feet in order to make sure of his mark, dropped a bomb on a strong position at the bridge at Menin, destroying one of the piers. Another, flying over the Courtrai Junction, dropped a bomb on the station and completely wrecked it. These two points are of vital importance to the German communications.”

“The German batteries on this day made no effective reply to our artillery fire.”

“On Thursday, March 11, the fighting continued almost as fiercely as on the previous day. The enemy attempted counter-attacks at various points, and especially from Bois du Biez, but our guns opened on the wood with such good effect that the Germans did not

BLOODY STRUGGLE WINS IMPORTANT POINT FOR FRENCH

GENEVA, via Paris, March 14.—Details received here of the engagement fought between the French and Germans for the possession of the heights at Reich Ackerkopf stamp it as one of the most sanguinary of the war in Alsace. Many regiments were used on both sides and they frequently were reinforced. General Delmoulin personally directed three German counter-attacks against the crest of a hill which had been captured by French chasseurs and Alpine troops.

According to reports no quarter was given and none was asked. Few shots were fired, for most of the work was done with the bayonet. The Germans, it is said, after four repulses retired to Muehlbach, leaving 900 dead and three times that many wounded. Grim bravery was shown by the troops on the both sides.

Changes reported by the French gives them a position commanding two valleys for their artillery.

PROPOSED CHANGE IN DUCK-SHOOTING LAWS

Limit of 100 Per Man Each Season Is One Suggestion.

[Special To The Advertiser.]
TORONTO, March 14.—When the game and fisheries committee of the Legislature meets this week an interesting agenda of proposed changes to the existing law and regulations, one which affects Western Ontario most extensively is the suggestion to limit the bag of ducks to one man per season to 100 and 200 at present; to prohibit the sale of ducks; to limit the bag of quail to six per day or 25 per season.

The proposal to require resident trappers to take out a provincial license will doubtless meet with Opposition from settlers in northern Ontario. Foxes are also sought to issue a gun or general game license, the fee varying from \$1 to \$5, the age limit being sixteen years; provision for issuing permits to take game or fur-bearing animals for propagation of stock-raising purposes; provision for the sale of imported game or game raised in captivity; the taking of hares during close season for other game by other means than shooting.

Changes In Seasons.
Some changes are to be made in the opening of seasons. The duck season will be uniform from October 15 to December 31, with prohibited hours from 5 to 8 a.m. and not sunset to sunrise as at present; muskrats, February, March and April; wild geese and swans in southern district, September 15 to April 30; the open season for all kinds of game, except waterfowl, to commence on the same date. The use of pump or repeating shotguns is to be abolished, or the capacity of the gun reduced to two charges.

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ITALIAN LEAGUE FOR INTERVENTION

Roman Newspaper Urges That Territorial Expansion Is Needed.

THINKS WAR NEAR END

Must Solve Problem By “Sacrificing Blood,” It Necessary.

[Canadian Press.]
MILAN (via Rome, March 14, and Paris, March 14).—The National League at a general assembly has passed a resolution demanding the liberation of all Italian official nature, in which the present crisis is discussed, Italy's seven months' neutrality, the paper says, was not lost, for not only have her interests been defended, but the nation has acquired greater political and military force.

“Since the beginning of the war,” the Giornale d'Italia says, “Italy has declared her neutrality until her own interests are in question, thus intending to exclude any renunciation of her rights and proclaiming for her the simplest liberty of action. Neutrality has been maintained despite foreign flatteries and the pressure of internal agitation. The forces of the belligerents gradually are wearing out, while our energies are augmented.”

No Sentimentalism.
“All have solemnly recognized Italy's right to have the simplest liberty of action against anyone. Thus foreign countries have abandoned the strange idea that they would be able to enlist Italy in the name of sentimentalism, like the romantic knight errant, or in the aid of great powers aspiring to the domination of the world.”

“There is now beginning the phase of the war which probably will be decisive. Italy's frontier has been a problem for fifty years had oppressed her like a yoke, as a result of the unfortunate war of 1866, which forced Italy when she took the Venetian provinces to accept a confinement which has been a threat. Now that the configuration of Europe, perhaps of a great part of the world, is about to be decided, we must and will obtain by every means a frontier which politically and from a military viewpoint is in no sense a menace.”

Austria's Fatal Mistake.
“Her anti-Italian policy in the Italian provinces within her borders was Austria's fatal mistake. It cannot and must not continue. These Italians must be saved from destruction.”

“A nation of 37,000,000 inhabitants bordered almost entirely by the sea, a great exporter of men, and with agricultural, industrial and commercial interests, they are constantly developing, needs expansion beyond the seas, especially on the Mediterranean.”

The newspaper says this statement summarizes the great problem which Italy must solve “by sacrificing blood and money if necessary.” It declares the nation must be constantly prepared for any eventuality.

GERMAN AGENT IN CHINA TO BE ARRESTED

Found Trying to Incite Natives to Cut Siberian Railway.

PEKIN, March 14.—The Chinese Government has lodged a protest with the German Legation concerning the activities of Capt. Rabe von Pappenheim, German military attaché at Peking, and has ordered his arrest.

At the Russian legation it was said today that Capt. von Pappenheim, who went to Manchuria some time ago, ostensibly on a hunting expedition, in reality was endeavoring to incite the natives to cut the Trans-Siberian Railway.

BRAZIL WANTS LOAN.
[Canadian Press.]
Rio Janeiro, March 14.—The Brazilian Government, newspaper reports declare, is arranging to float in New York a loan of \$15,000,000, offering as a guarantee custom house returns on American importations.

SECOND CONTINGENT SOON READY FOR WAR

LONDON, March 14.—3:07 a.m.—The second Canadian contingent, which arrived in England last week, without incident, after a ten days' voyage, is now in camp. Although the men have not completed their full course of training, they have shown such remarkable aptitude, that they will soon be ready to take their places on the fighting line.

The behavior of the Canadians since their arrival has been exemplary.

BRITISH ADVANCE SAID TO BE 4 MILES

PARIS, March 14.—The advance of the British troops in the vicinity of Neuve Chapelle is estimated at about

four miles, in a dispatch reaching here from Bethune.

The Germans are declared to have been forced back beyond the forest. This advance of the British, includes their various forward movements since the beginning of their activities at this point.

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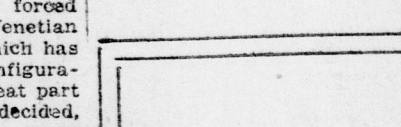
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DEATH FINDS WAY INTO TROOP CAMP

Pte. John Baxter, of C. M. R., Expires of Pneumonia in Victoria Hospital.

The first soldier to die here since the concentration camp at Queen's Park, was established, was Pte. John Baxter, of Amherburg, and enlisted in the 7th Canadian Mounted Rifles.

The trooper expired in Victoria Hospital early Sunday morning from pneumonia, after an illness of several weeks' duration.

Shortly after he was taken ill he was removed to the institution, doctors agreeing that his condition was serious.

Pte. Baxter was among the first to enlist in the mounted unit, coming here from his home in Amherburg and signing up with the C. M. R. at the armories.

Last night definite funeral arrangements had not been made, the military authorities having decided to await the arrival of the body from the hospital.

It was stated that a military funeral, in which the members of the C. M. R. would participate, would probably be held.

AN INVITATION TO LONDON BOYS

Mr. Holmes, of Toronto, Ontario representative of the Curtis publications—the Saturday Evening Post, the Ladies' Home Journal and the Country Gentleman—will be in the city Tuesday.

He would like to meet every boy in London at his room, City Hotel, between 4 and 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, after 7:30. Mr. Holmes has an excellent proposition for boys to earn spending money and win prizes. All participants receive a copy of the Curtis publications.

Mr. Holmes, or call upon him personally.

BLASPHEMING LIPS PUNISHED INSTANTLY

Soldier Cut Mouth of Inebriate, Who Cursed Near Woman, With His Riding Crop.

If striking a man in the face with a whip is ever justified it was on Saturday evening, near Tecumseh Park, Toronto, when a soldier of the 18th Battalion, who had been drinking, cursed a woman who was passing by.

The soldier, who was in the company of a friend, was seen by a woman who was passing by. She was struck on the face with the whip, and the soldier was arrested.

The soldier was taken to the hospital, and the woman was taken to the police station. The soldier was charged with assault and was fined \$10.

The woman was released, and the soldier was taken to the hospital. The soldier was charged with assault and was fined \$10.

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DRUM-HEAD SERVICE FOR 18TH BATTALION

1,000 Troops At Open-Air Religious Meeting—Unit's Chaplain Heard.

The sun shone warmly and brightly yesterday morning, the time picked by Lieut.-Col. Wigle, commanding officer of the 18th Battalion, for the first open air, or "drum-head" religious service this season, held at 10 o'clock at the barracks.

Rev. Arthur Carls, the battalion chaplain, preached to the men, followed by a brief service of praise in which the soldiers supplied vocal sacred music.

Almost the entire battalion, with the exception of the men who were in attendance at the service. The men at Queen's Park paraded to the barracks, where they met the men of "D" company, quartered there, and were formed up in mass to the south of the main building.

Nearly 1,000 men and of officers, a number of civilian friends of the soldiers, and others, attracted by the novelty of such a service, were present.

Weather permitting, similar services will be held frequently for the battalion. Church parades, in which the whole battalion is marched to one church, will be done away with to a great extent. It is probable that hereafter, men of the differing denominations will be allowed to form separate parades to the churches who can accommodate them.

SLEET STORMS

Often in a few short hours the storm King accomplishes more damage than can be permanently repaired in as many weeks. Incidentally, he enforces upon the city the wisdom of making provision by means of adequate replacement reserves for contingencies that human foresight cannot anticipate.

The full extent of the damage wrought by the sleet storm of February 24 and 25 last is just now becoming known. It is known, however, that the sleet storm of February 24 and 25 last is just now becoming known.

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"Ten Nights in a Bar Room" Subject of Address By Winnipeg Speaker.

STEPS OF DEGENERATION

First Glass Is Start on Road to Ruin, Says Dr. Gordon.

The First Methodist Church probably never has held so large an audience as that which last night packed the big building to the very doors to hear Dr. J. L. Gordon, the Winnipeg evangelist.

The subject of the preacher's address was given as "Ten Nights in a Bar Room," and in his natural, unadorned, verbal picture of the stages by which a man may retrogress by way of the drink habit, until he degenerates from a type of the noblest creation to a physical, mental and moral wreck, and finally fills a drunkard's grave.

In his introductory remarks, Dr. Gordon declared that, in his opinion, the curse of slavery, he said, had made the vow that, if God gave him the strength, he would strike it a blow, adding:

"If God gives me the strength, I will strike a blow against this terrible evil. The time is coming which will see it crushed out of existence as surely as the sun will rise tomorrow, and I hope that I may be an instrument of God in helping to bring about that time. I see men in the uniform of soldiers, quartered there, and were formed up in mass to the south of the main building.

Nearly 1,000 men and of officers, a number of civilian friends of the soldiers, and others, attracted by the novelty of such a service, were present.

Weather permitting, similar services will be held frequently for the battalion. Church parades, in which the whole battalion is marched to one church, will be done away with to a great extent. It is probable that hereafter, men of the differing denominations will be allowed to form separate parades to the churches who can accommodate them.

SLEET STORMS

Often in a few short hours the storm King accomplishes more damage than can be permanently repaired in as many weeks. Incidentally, he enforces upon the city the wisdom of making provision by means of adequate replacement reserves for contingencies that human foresight cannot anticipate.

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DR. FIKE'S CONDEMNNS HYPOCRITES OF CHURCH

Are Responsible For Keeping Many From Church—Will Stay Another Week.

Hundreds were turned away from Talbot Street Baptist Church last evening, when Dr. Fikes preached on "The Hour is Come." During the morning service, which was attended by an audience that filled the church to capacity, an invitation was extended to him to remain in London for another week. Dr. Fikes, who has been in London since his arrival last week, said that he had decided to remain in London for another week. He said that he had decided to remain in London for another week.

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