

ONTARIO AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

Large Increase in Attendance at Summer Course.

In 1915 the number attending the summer course for teachers at the Ontario Agricultural College was 1032. Five weeks is the length of the course, and includes two years of training. The first year gives an elementary certificate and the second year an intermediate certificate. In 1915 the regular staff of agriculturists teaching, but the courses are conducted under the auspices of the Department of Education. County and school teachers get a letter of appointment to help in keeping young centers from going to the cities. The classes, Mr. J. B. Dandeneau, Director of Elementary Agriculture, and the idea of the school.

WEATHER PART OF POLAND WILL SOON BE FREE!

Practically July 23. General Sakharoff's stroke in forcing the army back from the Lida and the Austrians in the west dangerous predicament of the Russo-Polish. The Russians can be seen from Lemberg, and Royal Stettin. The Austrians are still in the Carpathians, and the Germans are still in the west.

IN 54 SQUARE MILES IN THE PAST FORTNIGHT

A despatch from London says: An official eye witness report of the Somme battle received on Thursday in Paris states that the French lost within a fortnight over 500 square miles of German organizations, including fortified fortresses transformed into fortresses. In addition, 85 guns, 100 machine guns, 20 trench mortars and quantities of other material as indicated have been taken. The total number 235 officers and men.

PRICE OF FOOD IN GERMAN TOWNS

A despatch from Amsterdam says: Dr. E. G. Schmitt says that at a conference at Darmstadt with the head of the food situation, Adolf Hitler, President of the German Nutrition board, frankly admits there was a shortage of food, especially in towns which it is impossible to overcome and that he believes the present supply of food could not meet the raising of the maximum allowance from 100 grams per week per head, had been proposed.

MANY BLUFFS OVER PEACE BASIS

On July 20.—A despatch from Berlin says that Germany national committee for producing, and, we state, that Germany and her frontiers to the "peculiar guarantees" to be given for a permanent peace.

W.M. RAMSAY ANSWERS THE CALL

The scientist who discovered Argon, Helium and Xenon, despatched from London says: William Ramsay, K.C.B., the scientist, died on Sunday morning. Sir Wm. Ramsay was in Glasgow. He had been a professor of chemistry at the University, Bristol, since 1889.

SSIAN CASUALTIES APPROXIMATE 600,000

Report from London says: The Russian casualties up to the present day are 600,000, according to the Daily Graph, which claims these figures official.

Prepared for the Hindoo. A very young doctor, being called little the master with her, humorously suggested marriage as the only solution. "You are single, are you?" she asked. "Yes, madam; but I only prescribe remedies, they take them," was the reply.

Smyrna Rages in Smyrna Vilayet. Despatch from Mitylene, Greece. Refugees from Asia Minor, that famine is ravaging the country, day of Smyrna. The condition of civilians is said to be most

Lily a Poison. All its beauty, the lily of the valley, is denounced by scientists and round that both the stalks and flowers contain a poison. It is to put the stalks into the soil, as if the sap happens even the tiniest crack, it may produce swelling often accompanied by pain.

GOOD RICH BLOOD MEANS GOOD HEALTH

WOUNDED SOLDIERS IN TRAINING

Just a Little More Rich, Red SCOPE OF THE GOVERNMENT'S NEW SCHEME.

Blood Cures Most Ailments.

The lack of sufficient rich red blood does not end merely in a pale complexion. It is much more serious. Soldiers' people are tired, languid folk who do not enjoy the food does not nourish.

The Military Hospitals and Convalescent Homes Commission, with Sir James Lougheed at its head, has already given a great deal of consideration to re-education for men who need it, and has taken steps to organize the training required in many parts of the country. The complete establishment of the system may be expected very soon; for the Government, by Order-in-Council, has just adopted a report of the Military Hospitals Commission, of which we are enabled to give this summary:

The report begins by explaining that the Commission aims at benefiting not only disabled members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force but also disabled Reservists of the British and Indian armies who were bona fide residents of Canada when the war broke out.

The Commission has received the assurance, at tells us, of the active co-operation of the Provinces and various Municipalities in carrying out such a policy. Technical Schools, Agricultural Colleges and other public institutions have agreed to receive disabled men for training and many offers have also been received from private commercial establishments to provide training and subsequent employment when the men have become proficient.

The period of training for a new vocational will vary according to the previous education and industrial history of each individual. The cost of tuition will vary in consequence, and also owing to the fact that in many cases the tuition will be free or the fees nominal. (The) training will be free to the men in all cases. If there is any charge, it will be paid by the Dominion Government.

A Scale Prepared.

The Commission has already undertaken the provision of training in general subjects and elementary vocational work for all men under treatment in the various hospitals and convalescent homes operated by the Commission, irrespective of whether or not such men will later be subjects for vocational training leading to new occupations. In a few cases arrangements have also been made for that special training.

The Commission was not able, however, to put into operation a general scheme of vocational training until a scale of maintenance could be arranged for the men undergoing the training and for their dependents. The Commission has therefore prepared a scale under which a small sum for personal expenses will be granted to the man undergoing training, while provision on a sliding scale is made for married men and their dependents, and for those unmarried men who may have persons legally dependent upon them.

Here is the scale which the Commission has now been empowered to establish. It will be understood throughout that "maximum age" means 16 for a son and 17 for a daughter:

1. A single man, with pension, living in, receives free maintenance; that is, board, lodging and washing.

2. A single man, with pension, living out—\$60 a day.

3. A married man, with pension, living in—free maintenance and \$8 a month, with the following additions:

For wife having no children, \$35 a month, less her husband's pension.

For Wife and Child(ren).

For wife and one child, if child is under five, \$38; from five to ten years, \$39.60; from 10, to maximum age, \$42.60; less, in every case, the amount of husband's pension and children's allowances under the pension regulations.

For wife and two children, from \$41 to \$47 a month (less pension and allowances) according to age of children.

For wife and three children, \$44 to \$50 (less pension and allowances), according to ages.

For wife and four children, \$47 to \$53 (less pension and allowances), according to ages.

For wife and five children, \$50 to \$55 (less pension and allowances) according to ages.

For wife and six children, \$53 to \$55 (less pension and allowances), according to ages.

A wife with seven or more children under the maximum age may be given the maximum allowance of \$55, less pension and allowances.

All these allowances for wife and children will be paid direct to the wife, unless otherwise thought fit by the commission.

4. A married man living at home will receive 60c a day. (This of course is in addition to the allowances for wife and children.)

The Widowed Mother.

5. A widowed mother, if dependent entirely upon the unmarried son who is receiving training, and if the son makes an assignment of his pay to his mother and also arranged for her to receive separation allowance while he is on active service, may be paid

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