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### G.W.V.A. TO HOLD EVENT

IN THE FAIR GROUNDS ON THE 1ST OF JULY.

Theatre Replies For Free Matinee Tickets for Hospital Men—Committee Appointed Regarding the Labor Problem.

A well attended meeting was held in the G.W.V.A. club rooms on Monday evening. Among the important communications laid before the meeting was a letter from the Prime Minister, being a reply to the association's telegram with reference to the closing of ice cream parlors, confectionery and candy stores for the duration of the war.

W. F. Nickle, M.P., sent in a detailed report on several pension complaints that had been submitted to him as a member of the Pensions Board.

The matter of the delay in paying assigned pay and separation allowance to wives who returned with their husbands from England was discussed and a resolution sent forward to the proper authorities.

In future the Prince Charles Chapter, I.O.D.E., of which Miss Richardson is Regent, will meet in the club rooms of the G.W.V.A. The meeting is to be held in the afternoon.

The comrades are not yet satisfied with the pension arrangement. It is understood that medical boards have, at present, no powers of recommendation with regard to pension, but that pensions are awarded in accord with a tabulated list of disabilities. It strikes the association as peculiar that men in Ottawa who have never seen a hospital patient should determine the pension he is to receive.

With a view to dealing more effectively with the labor problem an active labor committee was formed with a view to reaching each returned man as he is thrown on the labor market at the time of his discharge from the C.E.F. The committee is as follows: Comrades Bailey (chairman), Campbell, Allen, Lavin, Seymour, Spargo, Westcar, Topping.

After some discussion of the nominees for deputy registrars in the district in connection with the Government's registration scheme, the following resolution was passed: "Whereas the local press of the 11th instant contains the information that there has been an appointment of two registrars in connection with the Dominion registration, and that the county appointment has been given to a retired farmer who has not been overseas, this association puts itself on record as protesting against this appointment. The position should go to a returned soldier."

The G.W.V.A. does not feel in order in putting forward names, but the name of Samuel Jamieson has been mentioned as a man who tried to do his bit for King and country, though he was not able to get to France.

Pleasure was expressed at the Order-in-Council which called to the colors all friendly aliens from twenty to twenty-two inclusive, but it was decided to call the attention of the Government to resolution I. of the Kingston Branch G.W.V.A. as follows: "That all foreigners who belong to our Allies and are enjoying the freedom of the British flag in Canada should be conscripted at once and used on active service."

This would mean that foreigners between the ages of sixteen and thirty-five would be conscripted.

The secretary reported that all the theatres of the city had been interviewed to discover what was being done with regard to giving free matinee tickets to men still in hospital. Mr. Winty, manager of Grand Opera, said that he had been giving free matinee tickets practically since the first wounded men returned from France. He felt that in making this fact public he ought not in future to grant the concession on Saturdays and holidays, but that on all other days of the week he would be happy to let in free to the afternoon performance men whose husbands certified that they were still in hospital. H. J. Martin, manager and owner of the Strand, said that he would be pleased to continue his present practice of letting men with blue bands in free to afternoon performances except on Saturdays and holidays. Mr. Branigan, manager of the Grand, felt that it would be necessary for him to take the matter up with the management before making a statement. The King Edward felt that being a small theatre the concession was hardly to be expected, but Mr. Simmons promised to consider the matter.

Great enthusiasm reigned when the president, Lieut. Dye, outlined a scheme for the holding of a grand celebration in the fair grounds on July 1st. His Worship the Mayor and the chairman of the city property committee have been consulted and permission has been obtained to dig one hundred or so yards or so trench, to wire it and to put up machine gun emplacements. The G.W.V.A. hope to make the German war look small when they get the tanks, bombs, stoke shells, etc., moving in "no man's land." The following committee was named: Chairman, the president G.W.V.A., Brig.-Gen. Maunsell, Lieut.-Col. Anglin, Sergt. Harrison, Campbell and Allen, Mr. Leggett, Capt. McCully, Mayor Hugges, H. C. Nickle, Mr. Parkes, Mr. Ryan, Sergt. Spargo, Lieut.-Col. Cunningham and Lieut. Westmore.

**Vocational Appointment.** The following resolution has been sent to Mr. Kinner, secretary of the vocational branch, Toronto: "Moved by Comrade Major Hanson, seconded by Comrade H. Shaw, that we withdraw our previous motion endorsing the appointment of Prof. Baker as D.V.O. as in favor of Prof. Baker being civilian supervisor over Queen's University equipment, but that the district vocational officer should be a returned man."

It appears from correspondence submitted by the Provincial Secretary of the G.W.V.A. that at the time Prof. Baker was appointed there was difficulty in securing a returned man suitable for the position at Queen's University, and that in asking or approving of appointments to this important work, which deals entirely with returned soldiers, great care was exercised in order that returned men should be appointed.

Prof. Baker was appointed because no other suitable man was available at the time. The local branch of the G.W.V.A. has stated that it has no objection to Prof. Baker being employed as supervisor of Queen's equipment, but that it takes strong objection to his being employed in a semi-military capacity as district vocational officer when he did not enter the military service or serve in it in any capacity either in Canada or overseas. This position, they claim, ought to be given to a man who did service. The association says it would not be worthy of its existence if its officers failed to insist upon strict conformity to the principle that when an appointment is to be made and a returned soldier is capable for the work he shall be appointed in preference to the civilian.

Since the vocational work was established at Queen's and the situation respecting the position of Prof. Baker became acute three returned men left the work. They are: C. A. Girdler, M.A.; J. S. Macdonnell, B.A., military medalist of Queen's; Capt. J. McNab and Major Good. The last named tried to go overseas.

The vocational branch is regarded as the biggest thing in Canada today, and the association will not cease to employ every means to place the welfare of the returned men into the hands of returned men who will not be handicapped in this very important work.

### Military News

It is published for the information of all concerned that it is an offence against the "Defence of the Realm Act" to sell, issue or buy for illegal purposes or to wear without necessary authority, service chevrons as awarded under order No. 508. Military tailors and others are cautioned against selling or giving any such chevrons to any person who is not in possession of a certificate entitling him to the same.

C. H. McQuish, of the Royal Flying Corps, had a fall at the Deseronto Camp on Saturday and sustained a fracture of the right tibia. He was brought to Queen's Military Hospital for treatment.

A. M. Williams, of the Royal Flying Corps, under treatment at the Osgoona Hospital, was transferred to Queen's Military Hospital yesterday.

Major T. A. Kidd, D.A.A. and Q.M.G., who was called to Burritt's Bridge, owing to the death of his father, has returned to the city.

Capt. P. W. Cook, H. J. McLaughlin, and Lieut. L. E. Leprohn, John D. Matheson, M.C., have been appointed captains in the C.M.G. Corps of the 1st Tank Battalion.

Lieut. H. F. Moses, Emile A. Lods, Lorne N. Richardson, Gomer Lewis, John C. Hope, W. F. Bowles, and J. A. Fraser have been appointed lieutenants in the 1st Depot Battalion.

Lieut. George S. Snowden has been appointed lieutenant in the 2nd Depot Battalion, and John V. Corrigan, C.O.T.C., has been appointed lieutenant in the 1st Tank Battalion.

Lieut. Ross Livingston has been struck off the strength of the C.E.F., as being medically unfit.

Rev. A. E. Runnels, B.D., will go overseas as a chaplain. He was formerly of Brockville and now of Montreal. During his absence his pulpit will be supplied by Principal James Smith, while the pastoral work will be looked after by Rev. Dr. J. C. Antlett.

Major Herbert Hamilton Edwards, one of Brockville's best known young men and for many years connected with the 41st Brockville Rifles, as a private, non-com., and officer, has succumbed to appendicitis in France. He was attached to the battalion of the Eastern Ontario Regiment commanded by Lieut.-Col. Elmer W. Jones, D.S.O.

**All Ladies Invited.** To George Mills & Co's summer military opening to-morrow.

**Draftees In Joyful Mood.** About twenty draftees, who came to the city about three o'clock on Tuesday morning to report for duty, immediately proceeded to try to paint the town "red" on their arrival. They marched up Princess street in the middle of the night, singing and yelling, and they could be heard for blocks away. They played some of the old familiar tricks on the merchants and druggists, and undertakers were brought to the street, in sleepy mood, when the bells on their establishments were rung.

**DAILY MEMORANDUM**  
See top of page 3, right hand corner, for probabilities.  
The ladies of First Baptist church will hold a rummage sale at the Island Market Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

**BOHN.**  
WILLIAMS—To Capt. and Mrs. J. V. Williams, on May 13th, 1918, at Kingston General Hospital, a son, John Douglas.

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### The Theatres

At Griffin's.

Despite the threatening weather last evening a large audience assembled at this playhouse and were entertained royally by the programme of exceptional merit which the management have provided for the first half of the week. Jack Pickford as Mark Twain's immortal Tom Sawyer in the Paramount photoplay of the same name is the headliner. His impersonation is swift and drawn with the sure masterful touches that have made his past successes so well remembered. No matter how old or how young you are, you don't want to miss Mark Twain's idol of the good old kid days. Tom Sawyer is one of our national monuments, and the streak of the boy is in all of us. As the redoubtable Tom, Jack Pickford has proved that his doubt stealing, jam-eating days are not far behind him, at least he has not forgotten them, and he thoroughly has injected the very spirit of boyhood through every scene of the picture. Miss Peggy Hyland, beautiful and talented, was another attractive feature appearing in her first William Fox production, "The Debt of Honor." This photoplay is well worth seeing. It has a good story, good photography, and Miss Hyland is a delight to look upon. Her acting is high class. Admirers of the melodramatic serial, "Vengeance and the Woman," followed with intense interest the thrilling stunts performed in the chapters shown last night. Don't overlook this excellent programme.

At the Strand.

Why should a famous physician suddenly sacrifice friends, fame and fortune—disappear to hide his head in shame from his fellow practitioners? What reasons are powerful enough to cause him to thus give up the benefits that came as the result of a lifetime's endeavor? "The Doctor and the Woman," the Jewel adaptation of Mary Roberts Rinehart's powerful novel "K," tells the story of this physician's predicament. Photoplay patrons who attended the Strand last evening were given an opportunity of witnessing one of the best screen dramas of the season in which Mildred Harris, who will be remembered for her excellent work in "The Price of a Good Time," was seen at her best in the stellar role. Of special interest is the fact that "The Doctor and the Woman" was directed by Lois Weber, whose recent production, "The Price of a Good Time," created such a sensation in this community. True Boardman appears as co-star with Miss Harris, enacting the role of "K L'Moyne," the physician, who seeks to hide himself from his fellow-men. Edith Storey was also seen and well received in her latest five-act Metro Wonderplay, "Revenge." This same programme, in addition to comedy reels, will be shown again to-night and Wednesday.

TO TAKE SUMMER COURSE.

Kingstonians Will Go to Y.M.C.A. Training School.

Several Kingston young men are likely to attend the annual summer training school for Y.M.C.A. workers to be held at Lake Couchiching during the first two weeks in August. A circular letter has been received from John R. Mott, general secretary of the National Council, that there is an unprecedented demand for Y.M.C.A. workers. There is a need for at least five hundred young men during the next year, and it is expected that the majority of these will be trained during the coming summer. General Secretary F. J. Wilson stated, Tuesday, that some of the local members were contemplating taking the course.

Women Teachers' Association.

A meeting of the Kingston Women Teachers' Association was held in the Y.M.C.A. rooms on Monday afternoon with Miss Emma Wilder presiding. After routine business the ladies were addressed by Prof. J. F. Macdonald, of Queen's University.

It had been expected that the matter of having the teachers offer their services on registration day, June 22nd, at the polling booths would be brought up for consideration. Nothing, however, was said at the meeting, and it will probably be considered at a later date.

Newest Summer Hats.

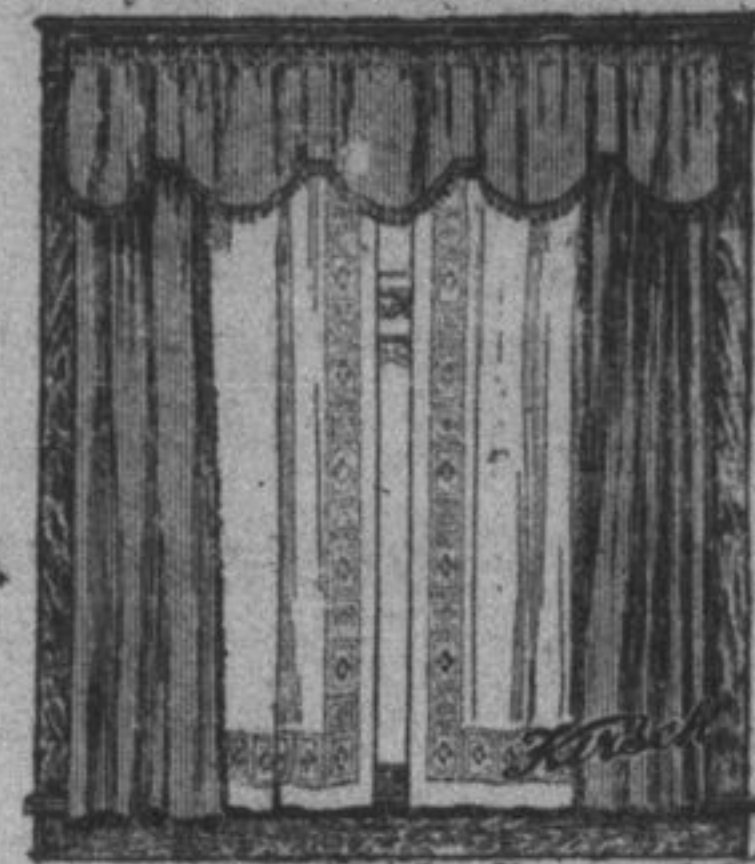
The summer millinery opening is to-morrow at "The Hat Store." All ladies invited. George Mills & Co.

Strawberries lower in price on Wednesday, at Carnovsky's. The field post office at Battlefield camp has been opened under the change of Sergt. Wakefield, with two assistants.

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