DN FURTHER GRATUITY FOR possible. Prominent speakers are MEN WHO SERVED.

To Arrange For an Open Forum- A list of probable speakers was read Prizes to be Presented to Winners out. Authority was given for the of the Pool Tournament.

The meeting of the Kingston branch, G.W.V.A., on Friday evening, brought out some hot discus- by the general meeting, and the comtion on further gratuity for men who mittee requested to go ahead with terved in France. These topics all the arrangements. brought out a bumper atendance of tutive at general executive meetings.

ed as very satisfactory. chairman announced that in future all mention of military rank in conpection with comrades will be ruled relating to pension. out of order.

The committee handling the pros posal to institute an open forum



Winter Training-Tuesday and Thursday.

> Bugle Band-Friday 8 p.m., ARMOURIES

sion of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, application will be made for the incorporation ty. and inclusion withfu the Township of Wolfe Island, of the Village Garden Island.

Dated at the City of Kingston, this 5th day of February, A.D., 1920.

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presented a report, recommending that a series of open forum metings be instituted, these meetings to be held twice a month, on Tuesdays if to be secured to address these meetings, which will be open for the asking of questions and open discussion. come from out of town. The whole scheme was enthusiastically adopted

The secretary-treasurer reported very satisfactory results from the inmembers. Comrade Connor occupied vestigation of a large number of the chair. The secretary read the complaints. Many cases of penreport of attendance of branch exe- sions, D.S.C.R. allowances, unjust treatment of a tubercular ex-soldier, vocational training, war service gra-The financial statement was accept- tuity were satisfactorily adjusted. The secretary-treasurer was highly Some correspondence dealing with complimented on his splendid work the provincial convention was read on behalf of returned soldiers and and handed over to the branch dele- their dependents. He expressed gates for their consideration. The great satisfaction with the manner

> nounced that the book was now being printed, and would shortly published. He announced that the receipts would more than cover the expenditure in connection with the

The subject of further gratuity to was spent. men who served in France was brought up. A comrade brought in a resolution asking that a bonus of \$2,000 be paid to all men who served on an actual fighting front, this boffus to be given without any government strings to it. A rider provided that a petition should be cir- retary, Jennie Cotton; organist, culated amongst veterans for signa- Doris Hawke. ture. The resolution met with strong opposition. Many alternatives were suggested, amongst them being schemes for industrial bureaus, housing assistance and greater assistance to those who are totally disabled. The financial aspect of the resolution was esolution was reminded that the branch had already expressed itself as being strongly opposed to the straight two thousand dollar gratui- | Wilson It was stated that this resolution was distinctly contrary to the adopted policy of the G.W.V.A. A lengthy discussion followed on this resolution, various aspects of the reestablishment of the returned citizen being fully aired. The \$2,000 resolution was defeated, only the mov-

er voting in favor of it. At this stage the prizes were presented to the winners of the pool tournament. The winners were Comrade McCormick, 1st prize; Comrade Hamilton, 2nd prize; Comrade Tibbits, 3rd prize; Mr. Todd, 4th prize; Comrade H. Tugwood, prize for highest break, Comrade Jarvis, booby prize, Comrade Tugwood was heartily thanked for his energetic work as chairman in handling the

A resolution was passed asking that the constitution be amended so that the whole executive shall be elected by general meeting instead of having three additional members appointed by the elected officers. This resolution will be put forward by the Kingston delegates to the Provincial and Dominion conventions.

Owing to lack of time for discussion, the housing problem was put back for the general meeting next

Says Patients Averted Tragedy. London, Ont., Feb. 21 .- Neglect of the patients by the nurses at the asylum was charged by Mrs. Thrower, of Watford, a former patient, in conditions at that institution. On one particular occasion, two patients had been bathed in the same water in a bath. One of the nurses had taken her patients out for a walk, but refused to take one of them. As a result, the patient who was left behind had secured a butcher knife, and was about to cut her throat. No nurses were in the ward at the time, but the other patients averted a tragedy.

From Our Own Correspondent. Feb. 2f .- At the Park rink on Thursday evening there was a large gathering of hockey enthusiasts for the scheduled game in the Inter- ceedings in a number of cases of draped the honor roll, and Mr. Allen mittee to entertain the speakers who Church hockey league between the Germans accused of violations of played the "Last Post," while the acted as referee.

wives, on Thursday evening.

These officers were elected for the any ordered state. current years President, John Mc-Farlane; treasurer, Ray Hawke; sec- A PROBLEM BEFORE

The local library board has been reorganized for the current year with these officers. President, J. C. Linklater; secretary, Mrs. Agnes La Que., treasurer, C. J. Wilson, librarian, Miss Mabel M. Carpenter; library committee, J. C. Linklater, W. B. Mudie, Mrs. Agnes LaQue, property committee, W. G. Johnston, Mr. Lewis, C. J. Wilson, finance committee, Mayor W. J. Wilson, C. J.

CURLING GAMES PLAYED. Results of the Rink Contests Played

on Friday. In the club series played at the curling rink on Friday, S. R. Bailey won from J. A. McFarlane by 13 to 8; J. Gibson won from C. F. Smith by 11 to 10; T. J. Rigney won from T. Slater by 10 to 9; and Dr. Waugh won from W. J. Hooper by 16 to 6.

R. O. Patterson O. Aykroyd Mcllquham H. S. Crumley J. A. McFarlane Skip...... 8

F. Walsh N. Crothers W. J. B. White W. J. Hooper Skip 16 Skip

H. N. Robertson W. H. Reid G. H. Smythe C. F. Smith Skip.......11 Skip......10

H. H. Cooke J. B. Phillips F. Lumb S. C. Calvin T. J. Rigney Skip 10 Skip In the doubles C. C. Gildersleeve

and E. Walsh. STRUCK AND KILLED

her evidence at the investigation into The Husband Died Later From the Injuries.

(Canadian Press Despatch) Stratford, Ont., Feb. 21 .- Mrs. J Boyce, Downie, township, was instantly killed and her husband subsequently died in hospital by being struck by a G.T.R. train this morning. They were driving to the city.

CHURCH SERVICES.

is the most complete edition of its storm bound all week. kind ever published, and gives a complete and concise answer to any of the bothersome questions which children are liable to ask. Copies can be secured at the Whig office by prepals of Ancient Cataraqui Chapter, Kingston, on Friday night. A team of past principals of Ancient Cataraqui conferred pals of Ancient Catara

have a candidate in the field in the Moira Chapter last fall.

GERMANY PREPARES TO TRY THE GUILTY 1.0.0.F. HONOR

But Is Not Obeying the Entente's Will, According to Dr. Schaffer.

Methodist Knights of Honor and the the laws of war have already begun, lodge stood at attention. C.L.A.C. teams. The Knights won by and progress is being made in the 4 to 2. L. S. Barr, manager of the lo- collection of documentary material. cal branch of the Bank of Toronto, Dr. Schaffer, minister of justice, told a representative of the Zweelf Blatt Brig.-Gen. Ross, said that he had Mr. and Mrs. George W. Scott, yesterday. The minister said that most valuable service at Arthur street, entertained the mem- the accused persons would be tried the front in the Army Medical bers of the choir of Grace church, at Leipsig by a court consisting of corps, and it was a great pleasure together with their husbands or the customary seven judges. Ger- to have him present upon such an wives, on Thursday evening.

Man witnesses will be heard in accoccasion. Brig.-Gen. Ross gave a cordance with the prescriptions of fine address that was listened to very fine lantern entertainment at criminal trial regulations, and will with great interest. the lecture hall of Grace church, on be examined abroad if they do not Referring to the dissatisfaction of Thursday evening, his subject being care to come to Germany. It was many returned men, Gen. Ross said "Eva and Topsy" from Uncle Tom's indicated that the German magis- that some few thought that having Cabin. The proceeds were in aid of trates would go to other countries served their country in time of war the Methodist Company No. 2 Boy to be present at the taking of evi- they had nothing more to do. This dence. Accused persons who do not was a mistake for they went out as Word has been received here of respond to the summons to appear much for themselves as for anyone commissioners handles all matters the recent death in Detroit, Mich., before the Imperial court will have else and should be glad to come back of Harold Auston, son of the late to be arrested, and the German and enjoy what was accomplished. The editor of the year book an- Henry Austin, a former rector of the authorities will in any case do every- He was glad that he had served, not parish of Christ church, Gananoque. thing to expedite the proceedings as in one war, but in two and had been Rev. and Mrs. Henry Gracey en- far as possible, on the principle that a private in the ranks, for it placed tertained the ladies of the Thousand each accused would necessarily have him in a better position as adminis-Island Missionary Society of St. An- to be tried individually. Dr. Schaf- trator of the Government unemploydrew's church at afternoon tea on fer emphatically said that the gov- ment fund to deal properly with the Thursday when an enjoyable time ernment regarded it an affair of peculiar cases that came to his athonor to punish those really guilty, tention. He was glad to be able to During the early part of this week The Government, however, was not say that those who were most criti-Mrs. Ralph Scott of Kingston, orga- obeying the Entente's will in carry- cal and hard to suit were not Cananized a children's Mission Band in ing out this trial, he asserted, but dians or British. It was a great misconnection with St. Andrew's church, was fulfilling the requirements of take to suppose that the returned

The Cabinet to Consult Members Soon After House Is Opened.

Ottawa, Feb. 21,-When the mem bers of Parliament from all sections of the country get here next week c ounsel will be taken of them by the Government as to the most opportune time for having a general election. The cabinet has discussed the matter informally, but there is no conclusive opinion. The situation is such that it cannot easily be formu- cause they had been unable to raise

On the one hand is the argument. that the present Government and for period of war and reconstruction.

Some of the ministers think an election is due this year and others would defer it till 1922. Failure to unite on a policy on the question of permanency might precipitate dissolution and an election, but if there is an agreement it will resolve itself to a question of when is the most opportune time to go to the country. Both on the questions of policy and dissolution the counsel of the members fresh from the constituen-

MISERY IN VIENNA; NO COAL TO BE HAD

cies will be an invaluable factor in

The Street Cars Stop Running -The People Are Poorly

(Canadian Press Despatch) New York, Feb. 21,-A cable message to the American relief administration European's children's fund from a representative of the organization in Vienna tells of conditions of financial chaos and extreme want and suffering rampant there. The crown is worth less than half a cent, the message stated. There is no coal and the street cars have stopped running. People badly clad, walk miles to work. Vienna is a picture of deso-

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY

Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. J. B.

Interest.

Townend at both services. Sunday All the stages are now reaching N. G. Crothers, J. Crawford, H. S. school and Bible classes, 3 p.m.; the city, and the drivers report the Dick, W. Easton, W. J. Finney, J. Monday, 8 p.m., Christian Endeavor; roads to be in a much better state. J. Graham, W. Good, F. A. Hafner,

Wednesday, 8 p.m., prayer meeting. As a result of the opening up of O. O. Hamilton, B. E. Hamilton, C. the roads, quite a large number of T. Pearson, S. J. Rogers, M. J. Ryan "The Book of Wonders" is being farmers came into the city on Satur- A. J. Seymour, C. Self, H. E. Singletalked about all over the country. It day. Some farmers have been ton, W. J. R. Smith, C. Smith, W. A.

senting the coupon which appears in the Royal Arch degree on Belleville the advertisement on another page of companions. Moira Chapter pre- Mr. Benson Was Heartily Welcomed sented sixteen life memberships to United Farmers of Ontario will Kingston companions who visited

Dominion bye-election to be held in The funeral of Mabel Viola Thomas | the county, has now broken out in the riding of East Elgin on April took place from her parents' resi- town and the schools are closed. W. dence, 621 Princess street. Besides Lighthall and C. G. Fox made a busiher parents, she leaves two sisters, ness trip to Greenbush lately. F. 12. Eva, seven years, and Dorothy, four Smith has taken charge of his office years. Among the many floral tri- in the county buildings. J. E. Benson butes were from pupils of Rideau and family were tendered a recepschool, mother and father, Mr. and tion at the Collegiate upon their ar-Mrs. A. J. Thomas, Ottawa; grand- rival in Windsor where Mr. Benson

> The Whig has now secured a fur- leaving Picton. ther supply of "The Book of Wonders," and can furnish copies on preone of the most wonderful volumes ever published, answering as it does hundreds of perplexing questions regarding manufactures, natural phemens, and everyday occurrences which are hard to explain. There should be a copy in every home. The special price to Whig readers is \$3, or \$3.25 by mail. Send or bring in a coupon now and get a copy before they are sold out.

Post Nuptial Reception. Mrs. Manley B. Baker will hold her post-nuptial reception at her | Hood's Sarsaparilla has been behome, 62 Barrie street, on Thursday fore the people for 46 years as a next, February 26th, from four till general blood-purifying alterative

Toronto, are charged with forming a it to their own children and grand-combine which is operating to decident with perfect confidence. It teriment of and against public in-Toronto on March 22nd, will deal ready, always do 3 good at any sea-

tion to future generations, Mr. Berlin, Feb. 21.—Preliminary pro- Nickle then drew aside the flag that

Brig.-Gen. Ross Speaks. Bro. Fitzgerald, in introducing

soldier did not want to work. There Were 's hat the more

or defectives, but they had been THE PARTY CAUCUS the manner in which soldiers are playing the game at home "

the case of a French Canadian who is located on a nomes. five miles south of Moosejaw w ing alone. He was a private in the 22nd battalion and won the Mintary Medal and the D.C.M. He was wound ed five times and was invalided home after having pneumonia. Another case was that of a man with his wife and five children on a homestead 80 miles from Edmonton who had to live on bread made of flour mixed with shorts to make it spin out be-

The employment situation has greatly improved since December Parliament were elected essentially 27th last. At that time there were 29,460 applications made, but this The war is over. Reconstruction is did not mean that money grants were advanced, but it will take years to made to all of those applicants. Durcomplete, if it is ever complete, so ing the second week the number was that to go to the constitutional limit | 16,507, on the third week the numof the parliamentary term could be ber was 9,700 and on the fourth week 4,298. These figures do not show that returned soldiers don't want work. Gen. Ross said that many men suffered because of some trivial military offence during their period of service, but he was glad to be able to say that the Government was considering the cancellation of all discharge certificates that placed any stigma upon a man who had been disciplined while in the army.

C. S. Park, past grand master, paid a high tribute to the men who had served their country. He believed that they had by their service learned in its fullest sense the great lessons that Oddfellowship tried to teach and were richer in knowledge and understanding by reason of that experience. Much was therefore expected of them in promoting the fuller realization of the ideals of citizenship that the Order stood for, Refreshments were served after the ad-

Those on Honor Roll. The house rous as follows. Brothers R. E. Davis (died), H. R. Duff, M.D., (died), W. G. Hazlet, (died). W. E. Roberts, (killed), A. E. Swallow, (killed); E. Hiscock, W. Hopkins, F. E. King, H. E. Law, S. H. Leech, C. F. Lemmon, A. C. Lutz, T. W. McCammon, R. McKee, W.A. McGill, W. B. McKax, W. J. Marshall, A. J. Minnes, W. A. Mitchell, W. Murray, G. E. Morris, G. Manning E. J. Neal, T. W. Newnham, A. Nesbit, T. D. Oliver, J. H. Parker, J. Angrove, C. V. Atkins, C. M. Baiden, Calvary Congregational Church, Local Notes and Items of General A. Bonner, J. Brown, W. H. Blake, W. H. Ballantyne, M.D., H. F. Gray, C. Spriggs, F. Straddling, W. D.

Picton, Feb. 20 .- The flu, which has been raging in the upper end of parents, Sergt. and Mrs. A. Harding, will be city superintendent of schools.
Salvation Army Band, Mrs. and He was presented with a cabinet of silver and bouquet of roses before

On Wednesday at Foxboro Mrs. pears on another page. This book is respected resident passed away. Deeased was in her eighty-sixth year.

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