

# WAR VETERANS TO HOLD CELEBRATION ON DOMINION DAY

## BIG PROGRAM TO BE PULLED OFF IN FORT WILLIAM ON NATIONAL HOLIDAY

Under the auspices of the Great War Veterans' Association of Fort William, a big celebration will be held in the sister city on Dominion Day, July 1, the day to be known as Veterans' Day. The Port Arthur Veterans will be invited to take part.

Last night, in the Veterans' club rooms, Simpson street, the preliminary steps of organization were taken and a resolution was adopted empowering a special committee to advertise the fact that a big public meeting will be held in the auditorium at 8 o'clock Monday night, at which all twin city sportsmen will be welcomed, when the working committees will be struck and a tentative program discussed.

### To Ask Council's Help

At 11.30 o'clock this morning a committee, comprising representatives of the different sporting and social organizations, the president of the Board of Trade, bank managers and citizens generally will wait on Mayor Murphy and members of the Finance committee and request that the Fort William City Council give its support to the movement, financially and otherwise.

It was on the advice of Mr. C. W. Jarvis, M. P. P., Mr. C. A. Rodman, president of the baseball league, and Mr. G. R. Duncan, president of the Board of Trade, that this committee was formed to approach the council, Mr. Rodman stating that with the council behind the affair it could not help but be a success.

It is proposed that the events be held in the McKellar park in the afternoon and evening and, if the Veterans are fortunate enough to secure the British Naval and War pictures, they will also be shown in the evening.

The mornings' program has not been fully discussed, but it is likely that the school children will be asked to do their share. A big parade, with bands will possibly start off the day's doings.

### Discussing the Program

Mr. Harry Taylor, president of the New Ontario Football Association, has been delegated to approach all sport and social organizations and get their promise to attend the Monday meeting.

Mr. C. W. Jarvis, M. P. P., stated that the success of the venture depended on how the day's program was commenced. He strongly advised that a good morning's program be given full consideration. Others in attendance were of the same opinion.

The following members of the committee were appointed to attend to all details leading up to Monday night's meeting:

Messrs. A. C. Stewart, C. A. Rod-

man, F. J. Mitchell, Harry Taylor, A. Cowan, Toby McLaughlan, Major B. A. Cousins, Cecil Stewart, C. B. McDougall, Mr. Robinson, manager Dominion Bank, Mr. Tremblay, manager Royal Theatre, G. R. Duncan, president Board of Trade, Postmaster W. A. Armstrong and N. M. W. J. McKenzie.

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