

## PAID FIRST VISIT TO CITY

Bishop Bidwell Preached in St. Thomas and Christ Churches on Advent Sunday—Large Congregations Present Both in the Morning and Evening.

(From Monday's Daily)  
His Lordship Rev. E. J. Bidwell, D.D., Bishop of Kingston and coadjutor Bishop of Ontario has paid his first visit to Belleville since his consecration to that high office. On Sunday morning he was at St. Thomas church and in the evening at Christ church. In the morning His Lordship spoke on the text—"Art Thou He that should come?" or do we look for another." St. Matt. x-3.

This was the message sent by John the Baptist from his prison to our Lord. The impatience he appears to have felt was not unnatural. He had no doubt expected that Christ would openly declare His Messiahship and summon the people to take part in some great movement for the establishment of His claims. But nothing was done. Enthusiasm seemed to wane rather than increase, and John thought he might be mistaken. Our Lord in His reply bids His questioners look, not on what they expected, but what was actually being done. If they were in doubt about His person, surely the wonderful works he did was sufficient proof. But the chief evidence of His Messiahship He based on the fact that the poor had the gospel preached to them, showing the universal nature of His claim. He added a warning that His work was to be done by Divine and not human methods.

Advent season suggests this same question. The progress of Christ's Kingdom is so slow that men become impatient. Some turn away to sheer materialism, and concentrate entirely upon things of this world. Others seek new religions which they imagine are better than the gospel message; others take refuge in a flat and uninspiring agnosticism.

The point is that among those who "are looking for another" there is no agreement. Nothing which can meet the real needs of men, or provide a power to overcome sin has yet been discovered. At least among those who believe that Christ is "He who should come" there is a bond of agreement which nothing can break.

But intellectual acceptance of Him is not sufficient. It is of no use to hear His sayings, and then do exactly the opposite, or to believe that He will judge our lives, and act just as if we did not. Christ taught men the meaning and opportunities of life. But with opportunity there comes responsibility, and responsibility is inevitably followed by judgment. How long it may take for Christ's kingdom to come largely follows, humanly speaking, on men realizing these truths; indifference is now, as always, the great obstacle. But a man who believes that Christ was "He that should come" and accepts Him as Lord, and lives His life in view of the judgment to come finds an opportunity and meaning, and indeed a nobility in life which can be found here and here-only.

## BADLY INJURED BY DYNAMITE

Nicolai Tapity and Ben Weese Blown Up When Dynamite Exploded at Point Anne—Amputations May Be Necessary—Both Men in Hospital.

(From Monday's Daily)  
A serious dynamite accident occurred at Point Anne on Saturday afternoon about five o'clock at the daily blowing of rock for the cement works. Two men named Nicolai Tapity and Benjamin Weese were engaged in blasting. It is said that a stick of dynamite became lodged in a drill hole and in endeavoring to get it down or drive another past it, the explosive was set off by concussion.

Weese suffered the more painful and serious injury. His arm was blown open, the bones fractured, and the flesh lacerated and filled with mud, rock and wood. His leg was badly torn, being virtually blown open on the inside. Nicolai Tapity suffered slighter injuries to the groin and abdomen. Both men were hurriedly picked up, wrapped in blankets and rushed in all haste to Belleville hospital in two demerits. Drivers on the road were shouted at to get off the track as the teams drove furiously to the hospital. The men are both alive today. Mr. Weese's injuries may yet demand amputations. Dr. A. E. MacColl is attending the unfortunate men who are both married.

## MISS FLORENCE ADAMSON DEAD

Death Was Sudden and Unexpected on Saturday Evening at Her Home.

It was a great shock to her many friends to learn that Mary Florence Adamson passed away suddenly on Saturday evening at 6.30 at her home on Station street. While she had been in poor health for several months, it was only a week ago that she was taken seriously ill and her decease was not expected.

The late Mary Florence Adamson was only twenty years of age, having been born in Belleville in the year 1893. She was the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Adamson and had lived here all her life. Surviving besides her parents, are two sisters, Mrs. Charles Doran and Miss Elliott. A. Adamson and two brothers, Mark and William L. all of Belleville.

She was a member of St. Michael's church, of the "Children of Mary" and a promoter of the "Sacred Heart" and altar society.

The deepest sympathy is expressed for the family in their great affliction.

Soft Corns are difficult to eradicate, but Holloway's Corn Cure will draw them out painlessly.

## BASKET BALL AT Y.M.C.A.

Standing of teams:  
Commercial League  
Teams won Lost %  
Belleville Hd. Co. .... 1 0 1000  
Springer Lock Co. .... 0 0 000  
Bankers ..... 0 0 000  
G. T. R. .... 0 0 000  
Co. "E" ..... 0 1 000  
Front Street ..... 0 1 000

City League  
Teams won Lost %  
Y.M.C.A. .... 1 0 1000  
Business College ..... 1 0 1000  
High School ..... 0 1 000  
Albert College ..... 0 1 000  
Albert College forfeited their game to the business college.  
t Springer Lock Co. 26, E. Co. 24.  
A record crowd in the Y.M.C.A. gym last Saturday night saw two fast basket ball games between B Co and Springer Lock Co of the commercial league and B.H.S. and Y.M.C.A. of the city league.

The B.H.S. and Y.M.C.A. game was so fast that it appeared very rough to some of the spectators not familiar with the rules, but in the opinion of some athletic experts that were in the city over Sunday it was a good game and the officials did their full duty.

The score board during the Springer Lock and Co E game looked like a game of saw-saw, the final score being 26-24 in favor of Springer. The game between the Y.M.C.A. and B.H.S. should decide definitely their relative merits of the two teams. The score was Y.M.C.A. 52, B.H.S. 22. The line-up was:  
Y.M.C.A. Forward B.H.S.  
Moone, Capt Forward Nurse, Capt  
Finkle Forward Hitchon  
Ketcheson Center Yeomans  
Alexander Guard Clark  
Robinson Mordon

Officials—  
Referee—Mr. Pitney  
Umpire—Mr. Maue  
Timekeeper—Mr. Holland  
Scorer—Mr. Wiseman

## MOIRA CHEESE CO. HAD A GOOD YEAR

The Moira Cheese Manufacturing Company held their annual meeting on Friday afternoon last. There was a large attendance of patrons and visitors. All appeared to be greatly pleased with the season's output and turns. Ex-Reeve Jos. English occupied the chair and caused everything to pass off with the utmost good feeling. The annual statement showed the following interesting facts:  
Total lbs milk received ..... 1614504  
Total lbs cheese mfg. .... 143737  
Average lbs milk for lb cheese 11.23  
Average price for lb cheese 12.74c  
Average price per standard 22.88c

After the annual statement had been approved last year's board of directors was re-elected with the exception that Charles Holden was appointed to succeed J. E. Foster who had removed. Last year's board consisted of Walker Sayers, president and Salesman, Peter Vandewater, David Thompson, Fred Ketcheson, W. T. Wannamaker, Jas. Forsythe, and J. E. Foster, directors.

Mr. John Elliott of the Standard bank and Mr. F. C. Billingsley of the Union Bank, Belleville were present, and addressed the patrons.

Mr. A. Herity who has been continuously cheesemaker in this factory for a period of thirty-eight years was reengaged as manufacturer for another year with a substantial increase in salary. Mr. Walker Sayers who has also given the greatest satisfaction as salesman the past season was also engaged for another year and accorded an increase.

## ANNUAL MEETING OF BRONK CHEESE FACTORY

The annual meeting of the Bronk Cheese Factory Company will be held on Friday afternoon, Dec. 5th. The annual statement that will be submitted should be most satisfactory for it discloses the fact that Bronk's will this season pay one of the highest dividends that is paid by any factory in the county. These are the figures:  
Total lbs of milk ..... 2,027,654  
Total pounds cheese ..... 186,534  
Total amt. money rec. \$24,089.97  
Cost of manufacturing ..... \$1,679.00  
Cost of milk drawing ..... \$1,134.18  
Improvement to plant ..... \$569.07  
Av. lbs milk to make lb cheese 10.86  
Av. selling price per lb ..... 12.75c  
Paid per standard to stockholders ..... \$30.69

The officers for 1913 are Jas. Sills, president; Wilmoit Clare, secretary; Jas. Huffman, auditor; Edward Carter, cheesemaker; John Elliott, banker.

## Havelock After Hydro-Electric

The local Electric Light Co. have at last realized that they must provide more light and are negotiating for the immediate purchase of an auxiliary plant, which will be installed as speedily as possible, in an endeavor to improve the present service. Reeve Kindred is also working for better service, and has communicated with the Hydro Electric and the Seymour Power Co., both of whom are considering the best means of serving the town's interests. It is very probably that the council will decide to submit a plebiscite to the ratepayers at the next municipal elections, asking for authority to enter into a contract with the Hydro or Seymour people, if the local company is unable to guarantee a satisfactory service.—Standard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Foster of Moira were in the city over Saturday night the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morton, Victoria Avenue



# CHRISTMAS IS COMING

Just think of it—Christmas only a little more than three weeks away and we think we know what these weeks will be: the busiest of the whole year. From an experience of many years we would suggest that the best time to do your Christmas shopping is now.

There is nothing to gain from delay—our stock is now filled to overflowing with goods specially selected for the Christmas Season and while early buyers must of necessity get the first and best choice, they will also get a better service, for while we at all times do our very best, the rush of Christmas shopping of past seasons, compels the suggestion, that the wise will do their shopping early and avoid the Christmas rush.

### Ladies' Waists for Christmas

We have just placed in stock our final shipments of Ladies' Waists for Xmas shopping. These include some of the very daintiest waists that we have ever shown, in Sheer Voiles beautifully embroidered, Printed Crepe-de-Chines, Shadow Nets, Rosebud Chiffons, etc., a waist collection that our store is very proud of. See these waists in our window.

### Handkerchiefs for Christmas

It is now almost a year since we placed our order for this season's Christmas Handkerchiefs and now these goods are here, ready for your inspection in a greater variety of every kind of handkerchiefs than we have ever before shown. We also show a lot of very pretty handkerchiefs specially boxed for the holiday season, gifts that every one will fully appreciate. Prices 3c to \$5

### Xmas Linens \$1.10

We have ten patterns of handsome Double Damask Table Linen, the most beautiful designs we have ever seen at this price, in fact these are regular \$1.50 Table Linens, to clear for only \$1.10 yard.

### Velvet Dresses \$9.50 and \$11.50

Here is wonderful value in Velvet Dresses; twenty-two to select from and all beautiful Velvet Cords in colors Brown, Navy, Taupe Cardinal and Black. These Dresses are a clearing line we purchased at one-third less than regular prices and now we offer our customers the benefit of our purchase. Regular \$14.50 and \$16.50 Dresses for only \$9.50 and \$11.50 each.

### Dress Silks 85c

At this price we offer about 350 yards of New Dress Silks. New Shot Stripe Messalines, Black and Colored Messalines, all regular \$1.25 and \$1.50, yard wide and 40 inches wide, for only 85c yard.

### Great Coat Values at \$7.65 to \$12.50.

With the whole winter season before us we offer Ladies' and Misses' Cloth Coats at the most attractive prices ever offered so early in the season. These coats are the over-make or one of the best Ladies' Coat Makers and our clearing purchase enables us to offer regular \$12.50 to \$24.50 Coats in three lots at \$7.65, \$9.25, \$12.50

### Velvet Cords and Moires 75c yd.

These are a lot of very choice Velvets in New Colored Moires and Velvet Cords, including all the new dress colorings, in Browns, Navys, Greys, Wine, Greens, Taupe, Purple and Black, regular 90c and \$1.00 Velvets, to clear for only 75c yd.

### Ladies' Kimonos

For the Christmas season we show a lot of Ladies' Crepe Duckling Fleece, Eider, Galt Fleece, Silk and Satin Kimonos, most acceptable gifts for the Christmas season. Prices \$1.00 to 12.50

### Penman's Hose 35c to 65c

These are the prices at which we are selling great quantities of Penman's Seamless Stockings for women. These are the Perfect Fitting Seamless Stocking, knit to fit without a seam. Once tried, always worn, 35c, 50c, 65c

### Dress Skirts \$3.95

This is a special clearing line of about 50 Ladies' Skirts, regular prices from \$4.50 to \$7.50, in Serges, Panamas, Broadcloths and Tweeds. to clear for only \$3.95 each.

### Christmas Fancy Linens

Our store's reputation for Fancy Linens is fully maintained in this season's display of Xmas Linens which we are now making in Japanese Hand-made Linens, Austrian, Irish, Scotch and German Fancy Linens.

### Neckwear for Christmas

We are now making our full display of Ladies' Neckwear for the Christmas season. Every buyer of Pretty Neckwear will appreciate our holiday display.

# Sinclair's

DON'T DELAY  
DO YOUR SHOPPING NOW

# Sinclair's

## Stroud's Toyland is Opened!

There is no question about that point Santa Claus is Here

and will hold a reception every day this week from 4 to 5 p.m. in

## Toyland!

Come with the children and see the splendid display of

## Dolls, Toys, Books & Games

The beautiful new Christmas stock of China, Glass, Brass and Fancy Goods is now ready for your inspection.

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