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Mr. R. A. Steele and family have returned to Carleton Place.

The fall fairs have had little to complain of this year on the weather.

Mr. Ernest Houston, of Joliette, Que., is spending a few holidays at his home here.

The Almonte Fair opens to-day, with Wednesday and Thursday as the "big days."

Mrs. R. W. McCormick, of Ottawa, was in town last week, the guest of Mrs. A. C. Brown.

Almonte Fair, Sept. 19, 20 and 21. Mayor Smythe and his party purpose taking their annual week's outing up the Mississippi this year.

The taxes this year in the different towns seem to be quite in time with the increased cost of living.

A fountain will be erected on Court House Square, Brockville, by the town in honor of the late Ex-Mayor John H. Fulford.

The Ottawa Fair drew more people from Carleton Place this year than Almonte usually does, and that's no small number.

Brockville town council has passed a bylaw imposing a poll tax of five dollars per annum on all men between the ages of twenty one and sixty.

The October Columbia Records are here. Do not fail to hear them. An extra fine list.

E. F. Hutchings, of Winnipeg, will take \$550,000 of the Canadian War loan. He is said to be the largest personal application made to date.

Mrs. (Rev.) G. R. Lang, of Vegreville, Alta., arrived from the west yesterday on a visit to her sister, Miss Ellen I. Findlay, who is at present very ill.

Mr. Jas. A. Neilson has retired from the milk business to accept a good position with a dairy company near Toronto. He leaves for his new post to-morrow.

In last week's HERALD the price of Pink Pills was given as \$1.50 for six boxes. It should have read \$2.50 for six boxes, as these popular pills are 50c the single box.

Special Trains to Almonte for the Fair. Leave Carleton Place at 7:15 on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, 20th and 21st, returning leave Almonte at 10:45 p.m.

Mrs. H. Isherwood and her daughter, Miss Irene Isherwood, who have been living in Calgary for some time, have gone to Charleston, West Virginia, to spend the winter with Mrs. Isherwood's son, Mr. L. Isherwood, who is city editor of the Daily Gazette there.

Capt. T. Ashmore Kidd, son of T. A. Kidd, Barrister, who went overseas with the 1st Canadian division, was wounded with the 2nd Battalion at St. Julien, returned to Canada and re-enlisted in the 156th Battalion, has been promoted to the rank of major, according to orders just issued.

Mr. Hugh McEwen, of New Liskeard, is a home visitor at present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McDiarmid spent last week with friends in Ottawa.

The Almonte and Renfrew Fairs are on this week—both popular exhibitions. Perth's tax rate is 35 mills this year, and this will leave a deficit of over \$15,000.

Miss Agnes Baird, of Smiths Falls, was a visitor to Carleton Place friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Moffatt and baby, of Cobalt, are holidaying with friends here.

Mrs. J. McDermott and daughter, Una, of Almonte, spent the week-end with friends in town.

Mr. Alex. Weekes, of Giroux Lake, near Cobalt, is spending a couple of weeks at his home here.

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Miss Mildred Maguire returned home last week after spending some weeks with friends in Toronto.

Miss Jean McLean arrived from Pilot Mound, Man., last Wednesday, to spend a few weeks at the old home.

Miss W. Reta McGinness, who has spent the summer with friends down the Lower St. Lawrence returned home last week.

Mr. G. W. Allan was called to Toronto last week to the funeral of a brother, Mr. David Allan. He was accompanied by Mrs. Allan.

The Cornwall town council has struck a rate of 25 mills for general purposes and of 7 mills for public schools and 10 mills for separate schools.

Next Sunday will be "Rally Day," throughout the Presbyterian Sunday schools in Canada. The day will be becoming by the local churches.

The popular County Fair—Almonte—Sept. 19 to 21. Don't miss it this year.

The 51st Battery, in which a number of Carleton Place boys are enrolled, passed through here on Friday evening, going east. Several special trains passed through.

Rev. Mr. Monds, interim moderator, read the Presbytery edict declaring the pulpit of Zion Church vacant last Sunday. Mr. Scott took the pulpit services in St. Andrew's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berry, of Montreal, spent the week-end in Carleton Place, with Mrs. Berry's father, Mr. Arthur Warner. Mr. and Miss Jennie Warner left yesterday for Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCallum announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Esther Margaret McCallum, to Mr. Garreth D. Sheppard, of Lansdowne, the marriage to take place early in October.

More attractions than ever, at the Almonte Fair, Sept. 19, 20 and 21. Don't miss the evening shows.

SERG. J. H. BROWN HOME.

Reception to be Accorded He and Pte. Upton To-morrow Night.

Sergt. J. Horace Brown arrived home on an early train Saturday morning, having been detained longer than anticipated at Quebec. He has entirely recovered from his wounds and looks every inch a soldier. His two years service has developed him physically and he returns more of a man in appearance.

We understand he will receive a commission in the 240th battalion, and hopes to return to the front again before the war is over.

As a consequence of Sergt. Brown's not getting here on Friday evening, as expected, the reception prepared by the Speakers' League had to be postponed, and will be tendered to-morrow night. The programme, as outlined, is as follows:

The high and public school cadets, and Boy Scouts, headed by the Bugle band of the 240th from Renfrew, will assemble at the town hall at 7:30 and form in procession, to be followed by members of the Town Council, Speakers' League and citizens generally. They will proceed to the home of Mr. J. M. Brown, where Horace will be picked up, then cross the river to William street, where Pte. H. Upton will be called for, and then return to the town hall, where an address and presentations will be made and a programme of music will be rendered. Everybody is invited to turn out and make the welcome as cordial as possible.

Mrs. S. Burns has bought Mrs. Wm. Lewis' house on Frank street.

George Pepper has taken over the management of the Victoria Hotel, Danark, from his father.

Mr. Thos. Nesbitt, of the 9th Line Beckwith, is on the sick list, having received a stroke on Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Jolly and baby boy, of Toronto, have been spending a few days with Carleton Place friends.

Mrs. J. E. Armstrong, of Ottawa, has been spending a few days in Carleton Place, the guest of Mrs. David Gillies.

Mrs. Geo. Watters, of Montreal, is spending a few weeks here, the guest of her father, Mr. Peter Cram, and other relatives.

Capt. J. H. Bates, who took a special course in the Royal Military College at Halifax during the summer, attained his majority, and is now Major Bates.

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Mr. D. B. Oliver, manager of the Union Bank here, left for Quebec on Saturday morning, where he will join a party of friends for a fortnight's outing in the Lake St. John district.

The body of Sergeant-Major Joseph Durocher, of the 230th Voltigeur Battalion, C.E.F., was found in the Rideau Canal, at Ottawa. He was a married man and enlisted at Blind River, Ont. An inquest will be held.

Mr. Jeffrey, for some time past organist in Cornwall Presbyterian church, has been engaged as organist in Pembroke Methodist church, succeeding Mr. C. J. L. Rickwood, who resigned last winter to enlist with the 136th battalion.

Several members of the 130th have been making home visits the last week. Among them we have noticed Geo. Cameron, John Hill and Ed. White. From Kingston, of the Queen's Ambulance Corps, Dawson Emerson and Wesley Peever have been down.

Dr. J. J. McGregor, who has been License Inspector for the past ten years for North Lanark, has received the appointment of Inspector for the whole County under the Ontario Temperance Act. As the new position will require his entire time he has closed his veterinary office here. The Doctor's experience should qualify him for the more important office, and we congratulate him upon his promotion.

Death of Gilbert J. Johnson.

Sad indeed was the death of Mr. Gilbert J. Johnson, accountant in the Hawthorn and Bates & Innes mills, which occurred on Thursday afternoon last at his home on Neelin street. Typhoid fever was his fatal ailment. The deceased was 37 years of age, and came to Carleton Place about 18 months ago. On the 11th July he was married at Hamilton to Miss Edith Walker, and the young couple were quite happy in making a home for themselves when illness overtook the husband, and notwithstanding all that could be done to overcome the disease the result was fatal. Mrs. Walker, sen., and Mrs. Johnson, sen., were both present when the final summons came. The remains were taken to Hamilton for interment, leaving here by the 11 a.m. train Friday. The local Oddfellows, of which Order deceased was a member, furnished the pallbearers, Messrs. D. Smythe, W. J. Hughes, J. M. Barber, Robt. McLaren, W. M. Allen and D. S. Cameron officiating. They also placed a wreath of flowers upon the casket. During Mr. Johnson's residence in town he made many friends, and his demise is very deeply lamented. To the bereaved wife and other relatives the deepest sympathy is extended in their hour of sorrow.

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