

NEWS OF NORFOLK

Reason for the Resignation of Commissioners of Utilities

OTHER ITEMS OF NEWS
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Simcoe, March 14.—(From our own correspondent.)—A recent resignation of the utilities commissioners, it transpires that the most unpleasant part of the duties of these officials has been dealing with the larger corporations. Long drawn-out interviews and consultations of deputations or officials, in an endeavor to get rates just a little lower and so far as we can learn, without success, have been a source of unpleasant tedium, of which the members of the commission are apparently heartily disgusted. It may be that these demands upon their time have led the commissioners to consider themselves deserving of more compensation.

Police Court. Frank Laffey appeared before the P.M. yesterday morning and paid \$10 and costs for drunkenness. He and his "pal" got four quart bottles of "Scotch" on Saturday and "punished" three of them before Sunday morning. The three empties and the full bottle were on exhibition in court.

Harold Lyons had audience in the afternoon with the same results, and young Parks, who has served a term at Mimico was given some free advice by both Magistrate Gunton and H. P. Innes, K.C., town solicitor, and allowed to take his grip, relieved of the revolver found therein, and look for employment. The magistrate gave the strapping a very impressive admonition.

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Lt.-Col. Aiken, after two years and seven months in military service, is about town this week in civilian attire. Herbert West is recovering satisfactorily from the effects of his recent operation.

Mrs. Wm. Gilbertson is so far recovered from her recent severe illness as to be able to join the family down stairs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Dutton left yesterday to attend the funeral of Mr. Dutton's father, Mr. John Dutton of Ingersoll, who died yesterday, aged 77 years.

News From Overseas. Sgt. Taylor Dan McCool has written to order his mail stopped. He is waiting for a transport and expects to be home for the opening of the fishing season.

Mrs. England received advice that her husband, Pte. James England, has been wounded in the right leg and is in the hospital. England was in the employ of the H. S. Falls Co. He enlisted at the initial rally with which the campaign for the raising of the 133rd was launched.

Victim of Appendicitis. Mrs. Paulin, of Norfolk St. north, had two cables from Lt. Wm. Gibson in England yesterday, the first stating that Capt. Paulin, second in command of A Company in the 133rd, was ill with appendicitis and the second stating that he died yesterday at Helena hospital, Shorncliffe, Eng. Capt. Paulin, when on his last leave home from Camp Borden before going overseas, had a severe attack of the malady, and was almost prevented from joining his unit before departure. He was formerly in the hardware business here, and at the time of enlisting, was on the civic staff here as inspector in connection with the sewage plant. He leaves one little son to comfort his afflicted wife. Mr. Paulin was a capable officer and a very successful member of the recruiting force, and he leaves a memory as a man of business integrity and personal esteem.

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hold up the making of improper connections for sewage disposal, no less than three instances have inadvertently come under our notice within the last week.

Farmer's offering potatoes in small lots at \$2.50 to \$3 a bushel. The demand is light, as it is expected that the price will drop suddenly as soon as shipments can be made from the West without danger of freezing.

Considerable orchard pruning is now in progress in rural orchards.

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SHIP BUILDING CONTRACTS FOR CANADA SECURED. Ships to Value of Over Sixty Million Dollars to be Constructed. Ottawa, March 13.—Ships to the value of upwards sixty million dollars to be constructed in Canada this year, are, it is estimated, already under contract.

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Relieves Sourness, Gas, Heartburn, Dyspepsia in Five Minutes.

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Get a large fifty cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. It is the quickest, surest stomach relief and cure known.

Black Knights in Convention. Stratford, Ont., March 13.—Three hundred delegates in attendance at the first annual convention of the Royal Black Knights of Ireland, provincial lodge of Ontario West, assembled in the City Hall, unanimously endorsing the sending of a telegram to Premier Lloyd George and Sir Robert Borden protesting against granting any measure of government that may tend to the keeping Ireland within the Empire.

Carbide Case is Again Before Court. Paris, March 14.—Several persons have been ordered to trial as a result of the investigation of Examining Magistrate Coutant into the celebrated carbide syndicate case.

The matter was brought up in the Chamber of deputies and Minister of Justice Viviani stated that the prosecutor-general had recommended that the proceedings be dropped on account of lack of evidence.

By Magistrate Constant's decision, Grand Jurid, Andre de Rivas, Berni, Marie Leon Gall, Ernest Souter, Abraham Gandillon, Hugo Koller and Luc Delbruck, are sent for trial to the correctional court on a charge of high treason before the war in connection with alleged dealings with Krupp which were likely to prejudice national defence.

Grand Master Walsh announces his approval of womanhood suffrage. The provincial grand Orange Lodge of Ontario West, will convene on Wednesday afternoon.

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CANADIAN HONOR ROLL

KILLED. Talbotville—Pte. R. H. Burgess. ACCIDENTALLY KILLED. Galt—Flight Lieut. C. R. Needs.

DIED. Simcoe—Capt. H. A. Paulin.

WOUNDED. Teeswater—Pte. John Donaldson. Two western Ontario officers are reported dead, and one private killed, in today's casualty list.

Teeswater Wounded. Teeswater, March 14.—Word has been received here that Pte. John Donaldson, a Teeswater soldier, has been wounded.

Talbotville Man Killed. St. Thomas, March 14.—G. H. Coley, 107 Flora street, has received word of the official announcement of the death in action of his friend, Pte. R. H. Burgess.

School Principal Falls. Princeton, March 14.—Sincere regret was felt by all when the announcement of the death of Pte. R. L. Hughes appeared in yesterday's casualty lists.

Will Lieut. Leg. Kincairdine, March 14.—Information received here regarding Pte. Alex. Fyfe, is somewhat gloomy.

Capt. Paulin Dead. Simcoe, March 13.—Mrs. Paulin received this afternoon a cable from Lieut. Wm. Gibson stating that her husband, Capt. Hilton A. Paulin, had died in Helena Hospital, Shorncliffe, of appendicitis.

Galt Aviator Killed. This city was shocked today when Fire Chief Keyes received a cable announcing the accidental death in England of the Canadian aviator, Lieut. C. Richard Needs.

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RAILWAY CHANGES HANDS. St. John, N. B., March 13.—The New Brunswick Power Company has now taken over the St. John Railway Company and to-day announces a heavy cut from five to thirty per cent in electric lighting rates and also a big cut in power rates, in some cases fifty per cent, below the old company.

Col. Williams Denies Conscriptio. Calgary, March 13.—Lieut. Col. Williams, chief recruiting officer, before leaving with his party for the East last night issued a statement to the local press denying that he ever said conscription was coming.

First Spring Showing Spring Opening. Clark, Lampkin & Co. ANNOUNCE THEIR Spring Opening Wednesday, Mar. 14 AND FOLLOWING DAYS. You Are Cordially Invited to Attend. Clark, Lampkin & Co. 115 COLBORNE ST. Phone 951.

Auction Sale OF FARM STOCK IMPLEMENTS AND REAL ESTATE. Welby Almas, auctioneer, has received instructions to sell by auction at the farm lately owned Geo. A. Garbutt, and better known as the Mitchell Farm, situated on the south side of the Hamilton, a short distance east of Lang Methodist Church, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 16TH. Commencing at one o'clock, following valuable farm stock, implements and chattels. Horses—Five—One brown by Dominio Boy, six brown by Percheron horse, five years old; one Percheron horse rising 2 years, will make splendid team; one cheron one year old.

Real Estate—The farm consist of part of Lot Nine in the Range South of the Hamilton R.R. and containing 137 7/10 acres, part taken by the Brantford Hamilton Radial Railway, will be offered for sale at 4 o'clock, subject to a reserved bid. Soil is good and excellent for crops or for a farm. Buildings consist of large store frame house with good large barn on stone foundation.

Will's Rheumatoid Pills. This is the best medicine for Rheumatoid, Gout, Gravel, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Headache, Migraine, Stomachic, Indigestion, Constipation, Dropsy, or any other Rheumatic Affection.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NO. 1 WEST LAND REGULATIONS. The sole head of a family, or any other person, who has been in possession of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, or British Columbia, for a period of at least 30 years, may apply to the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency in the district in which the land is situated, for a certificate of title.

BAILEIFF'S SALE. Saturday morning, 10 o'clock. Goods in care of Brantford Plant 27 Dalhousie St.: 1 safe, Gray; 1 maker; 1 counter show case; 3 stoves; 1 roller top desk; 3 chairs; 1 tea pot, 1 card stand, knives, forks and spoons, in all 1 gas engine, 12 horse power drill, 3 polishing machines, 1 fisher, 1 boiler, pulleys and shafts, 1 Elect generator, 1 victrol hand truck, a number of valves.

NOTICE. The following lamps were found moved from poles for the week ending March 10th, 1917: 111 Drummond St., 113 Bruce St., 130 Clarence St., 133 Regent Ave. Lamps broken by stones or wire.

W. P. CATT Superintendant.