

ADDRESS ON CAMP BORDEN

Rev. C. W. Watch of Midland Showed How Soldiers Were Influenced.

Last evening at Holloway Street Methodist Church a congregational reunion was held with remarkable success. The attendance was very large and gratifying. Rev. Mr. Pimlott opened the meeting with prayer. Mr. O. K. Pimlott sang "Heroes and Gentlemen." Rev. Dr. Scott, of Frigate Street Methodist Church delivered a powerful address on the mission of Methodism which is still a force in the world today. Mr. W. Falls rendered a vocal solo very acceptably and Ray Farrell was heard in several readings of a patriotic nature. Other numbers on the program were a solo by Mr. Haynes, a vocal duet by the Misses Wootton and a piano duet by Mrs. Clarry and Miss Lobb.

"Camp Borden" was the subject of an address by Rev. C. W. Watch, of Midland, who has been visiting his old West Belleville Congregation. The Methodist Church had a large tent in the camp under the supervision of the Midland district. Rev. Mr. Watch as chairman came into close touch with the soldiers. The work done in that tent will never be fully known. The welfare of the troops was looked after. Reading was provided and a successful attempt was made to give an atmosphere of home. Rev. Mr. Watch was in camp for four weeks being followed by the son of the Rev. J. E. Hunter, evangelist. Mr. Watch cited incidents to prove the inestimable value of looking after the soldiers. He knew of one case where a boy had written home to his parents in farthest Alaska for the first time in five years. As a lad of seventeen he had left home after some words with his father and he never wrote to tell his parents where he was. He was influenced by the Methodist workers so that he again renewed relationship with his home by sending a letter which had to be carried 1,200 miles by dog train to its destination.

By the presence of the church workers in the camp led to the elimination of certain evils was pointed out by the speaker.

The tent was established at a cost of \$1,500. It contained a piano and organ. While it looked after the welfare of the men's physical and social nature its primary object was religious.

Mr. A. E. Bailey presented the financial results of the anniversary showing collections of \$570 up to last evening. It is expected that it will reach six hundred dollars.

FULL MILITARY HONORS

Given Late Pioneer W. J. Rawlingson Formerly of 2nd Batt., C.E.F.

Full military honors were accorded the late Pioneer William J. Rawlingson, late of the 2nd Battalion, C.E.F., on Saturday afternoon last. Lieut. Col. Scobell, officers and men of the newly arrived 235th battalion attended the obsequies of the veteran of the great war. At the residence, Front street, Capt. (Rev.) W. G. Clarke, Chaplain and Rev. A. M. Hubly, conducted a solemn service, after which the flag covered casket was placed on an improvised gun carriage on which the Union Jack rested. Soldiers drew the carriage, while the bearers walked at the side. The firing party was in charge of Sergeant Major Copeland. As the cortege passed slowly down Front street the 235th brass band played a dead march. At the top of Murney's hill the casket was transferred to a hearse and the firing party accompanied the remains to the Belleville cemetery where the last sad rites were given.

UPPER CANADA COLLEGE

At the annual presentation of prizes on Friday, Col. W. N. Ponton, K. C., one of the Board of Governors, represented the Old Boys' Association of this old historic College in presenting the senior prizes in Mathematics, Classics and English. A Kelso Roberts of this city carried off the honors in Mathematics. On the walls of U.C.C. are the names of Wallbridge, Hutton, Bell, Biggar, Northrup, Bogert, Ponton and many others 747 old boys are serving at the front—a splendid record.

ENEMY SAMPLES

Colonel Ponton has received tickets for admission to the exhibition of German and Austrian samples to be held in the convocation hall of the University of Toronto, October 23rd to November 6th and will put these at the disposal of any Belleville manufacturers desiring to inspect the collection made by the department of Trade and Commerce. Reduced railway fares on used certificates have been arranged.

TONS OF FOOD WAS STOLEN BY GERMANS

How Belgians Were Left in Want and Suffering at the Outbreak of the War.

There is no occasion for marvelling at the terrible condition the Belgian people are in today when one glances at the figures compiled by Prof. Karl Ballod, the German statistician, dealing with the providing for the German army occupation in Belgium.

According to Prof. Ballod, Germany seized 400,000 tons of flour and at least a million tons of other foodstuffs immediately following the outbreak of the war. All this was imported food, upon which the Belgians are forced to subsist at all times, the country falling under normal conditions to produce everything that is necessary to the wants of the people.

The initial robbery of these conquerors and their subsequent similar depredations and their devastation of the country is what has brought thousands of little children—too small, too weak to assert themselves emancipated with want and suffering are pleading with the civilized world with us to give them food to replace that stolen by Germany.

The are dying of starvation. A few dollars here and a few there will save them if we act at once. The Belgian Relief Committee furnishes the opportunity for us to help. Their work is to save these women and children from death and their offices are at 59 St. Peter Street, Montreal. There is also a local branch of the committee in your neighborhood.

RECRUITING AT STREET CORNERS

Appeals Made By 235th Batt. at Bridge and Front on Saturday Night.

The 235th battalion has brought a few new features to Belleville. On Saturday night at the corner of Bridge and Front streets, stirring recruiting speeches were delivered by Col. Scobell, Capt. E. McLean and Capt. (Rev.) W. G. Clarke. A novel feature to a Belleville audience was the presence of a lady recruiter, Mrs. Parsons, who has been doing noble work in the cause of enlistment in Northumberland and Durham Counties for the 235th battalion. Mrs. Parsons's family has royally responded to the needs of country and she accordingly has the credentials authorizing her to urge the young men of Belleville and Hastings to put on khaki. The speeches and the music by the band of the 235th were listened to with deep attention by a large crowd which thronged the corners.

NEW BATTALION TO BE ORGANISED

Belleville Reported to be the Mobilisation Centre for New Battalion.

It has been stated today on good authority that Belleville is to be the mobilisation center for a new battalion to be recruited in Hastings and Prince Edward Counties. More definite announcements may be expected in a day or two.

How this plan, if carried out, will affect the 235th remains to be seen. It has been freely stated that this battalion will be ordered in the course of two or three days to move to some other mobilisation center.

BICYCLIST RENDERED UNCONSCIOUS

John Empsey, Everett street, a youth of sixteen was the victim of a peculiar accident at six o'clock last night. He was riding a bicycle on lower Front Street when a vehicle was backed out over a crossing unknown to him. The carriage struck him, knocking him to the pavement. He was rendered unconscious and was taken home where he soon came to. Today he is much better.

DEATH OF MRS. MARIA ROBLIN

Maria Roblin, widow of the late David Roblin, died this morning at the age of 76 years at the home of Mrs. Chisholm, 32 Parker street. Mrs. Roblin was a well-known resident of this city. The only surviving member of the family is Mrs. A. Ross, of Michigan.

DIED

PELTIER—In Belleville on Sunday, Oct. 22nd, 1916, at her late residence, 168 Ann St., Julia Peltier, dearly beloved mother of Mrs. Jas. Grant, in her 88th year.

Mr. Wm. Blecker, proprietor of the Gilbert House, Trenton, was in the city yesterday.

WORK OF THE BIBLE SOCIETY

Rev. J. Gibson of Toronto Delivered Illustrated Address

Rev. Jesse Gibson, secretary of the Upper Canada branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society, was greeted by a splendid attendance of citizens at St. Andrew's church last evening. Rev. A. M. Hubly occupied the chair and made a few appropriate remarks expressing gratitude for the interest shown in the work of the Society. The Rev. A. L. Geen read the lesson and Rev. E. C. Currie offered up prayer.

Rev. Mr. Gibson's address was a most interesting one. He first devoted attention to Korea with the "top knots" of that country. Illustrations were given of the results of missionary work and of the labors of the Bible Society. The great work of the society in the war now raging in Europe was illustrated by views of the life. The work among the soldiers was explained by Mr. Gibson. Millions of copies of the Scriptures have been distributed by the organization since war broke out.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the speaker on motion of Rev. A. L. Geen and Mr. John Elliott.

THEY ALL WENT AWAY TOGETHER

P. A. BONNOT'S RHEUMATISM CURED BY DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

And with It Went All Those Symptoms Which Mark the Earlier Stages of Kidney Trouble.

Grand Claire, Man., Oct. 23rd. (Special.)—"All persons who suffer from rheumatism should use Dodd's Kidney Pills." This is the statement volunteered by Mr. P. A. Bonnot, a well-known resident of this place. Asked to give the reasons why Mr. Bonnot said:

"I suffered for three years from rheumatism. I consulted a doctor without getting any results. Four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills fixed me up."

That rheumatism is caused by sick kidneys failing to strain the uric acid out of the blood was again shown in Mr. Bonnot's case. His earlier symptoms were: heart flutterings, broken and unrefreshing sleep, fitful appetite, a tired nervous feeling, a heaviness after meals, neuralgia and back-ache.

When he cured his kidneys with Dodd's Kidney Pills the rheumatism and all the other symptoms of kidney trouble disappeared.

At the Belleville Cheese Board today 1435 boxes were boarded. All sold at 21 1/2-16c.

Mayor Ketcheson has returned from Halifax.

Rev. C. W. Watch, Midland, a former pastor of Holloway St. Methodist church will conduct Anniversary services on Sunday, Oct. 22nd.

Mr. John Agnew of Winnipeg arrived in the city this week. He expects to return to the west in about a week's time.

Mrs. H. F. Ketcheson and Miss Ketcheson attended the diamond wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Ketcheson at Phillipston on Thursday.

Mrs. Chaney Ashley and family arrived home from New York after having a pleasant visit with her two sisters, Mrs. James Barrett and Mrs. Tim Trautsch.

Dr. W. S. Harper, Madoc, was in the city last night attending the Montgomery inquest.

Col. Barragar of the I.S.I. spent Sunday in the city.

Mrs. George Lovell, of Shenequa, N. Y., is in the city to attend the funeral of her step-mother, the late Mrs. Greenleaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Abbott and family of Trenton have moved to Belleville to take up their permanent residence. Mr. Abbott has entered into a law partnership with former Judge Fraleck.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Patterson, of Belleville; Mrs. Wm. St. Louis, of Schenectady, N.Y.; Mrs. (Dr.) Caruth, of Toronto; and Mrs. J. C. Honey, of Port Hope were in town on Wednesday attending the Aulton-Chislett nuptials.—Cobourg Sentinel-Star.

Mr. Arthur Wensley, of New York, is on a visit to friends and relatives in the city.

INCREDIBLE!

The Ontario is informed on what appears to be excellent authority that there is a well defined movement in this city to apply pressure to the Department of Militia at Ottawa to bring about an order to have the 235th Battalion moved to some other centre.

Such a movement so far passes the bounds of reason and local patriotism as to appear entirely incredible.

A resident of Belleville was heard on Saturday night raising objections to the presence of the new battalion here because the feeding of so many soldiers would increase market prices and augment the cost of living. Such littleness, narrowness and shortsightedness is to be pitied rather than blamed. But the reasons we have heard advanced in favor of the removal of the 235th are not associated with the h. c. of I. They are even less respectable and less worthy of honorable recognition.

This 235th Battalion has come to us almost like a gift from the gods. Their advent was as unexpected as it was unheralded. Cobourg and some other towns up the line are intensely indignant because of the arrangement that has been made. They claim their merits have not been considered and that they have been left out in the cold.

Aside from the fact that Belleville can provide excellent accommodations for housing the men, we believe the battalion was sent here partly out of compliment to a city that has done so well in recruiting, and partly because General Sam always has a warm spot in his heart for the town where he spent several terms as a teacher. The good offices of a certain influential Belleville Old Boy also may have had something to do with our stroke of good fortune.

Are the inhabitants of this little burg anxious to show that they do not appreciate favors, that they resent the exercise of good offices?

The 235th Battalion has now been with us only four days. Already the men have won golden opinions from our citizens because of their gentlemanly and respectful behavior, their business-like management and their splendid record.

The 235th Battalion has surpassed all other regiments in Ontario, not even excepting those located in the City of Toronto in the matter of energetic and successful recruiting.

Aside altogether from the fine character of the men who have come to make their homes with us, is an important business consideration. The presence of these men here through the winter will mean an expenditure well in excess of \$50,000.

Do our merchants and business men want the money and the stimulation to trade that is indirectly brought about?—or do they not?

Let it not be said that the presence of this battalion here will interfere with recruiting for another that may or may not be locally organized. It is a well known fact that the presence of a large number of soldiers in a town stimulates the recruiting spirit and arouses enthusiasm. The more the better. Every soldier becomes more or less a recruiting sergeant.

Is the 235th to be requested to move on? What have you got to say, Mr. Business Man and Mr. Private Citizen in reference to such a proposal?

ALLIES STEADILY ADVANCE IN THEIR PICARDY DRIVE

British Take German Trenches on Front of Thousand Yards East of Gueudecourt—Tenton Counter-attacks Completely Repulsed—French Carry by Storm Whole of Ridge 125 West of Sully Village—Berlin Admits Withdrawal in Official Statement.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The British and French, by means of sharp local attacks, advanced their lines north and south of the Somme last night and today. Yesterday evening General Foch's troops carried by storm the whole of Ridge 122, to the west of Sully-Saillies. In the same sector they pushed forward this morning northeast of Morval.

South of the Somme the Germans, after penetrating into the northern part of Ambroil Wood, north of Chaulnes, withdrew their line of defence to the east, leaving the French in possession of the whole of the wood.

General Haig's troops, in the meantime, swung forward south of the Ancre, and seized enemy trenches on a front of more than two-thirds of a mile east of Gueudecourt. The Germans having several strong attempts to retake the positions lost to the French and British, but each time were hurled back with losses. In many cases fierce German bombardments were not followed up with infantry assaults, so powerful and unshakable has the allied resistance proved to be in the last few weeks.

Slowly the British and French forces are moving into position to pocket Transloy, the next obstacle to their advance along the Bethune road toward Bapaume. The dominating height, seized by the French last night will prove of immense value when this movement reaches its climax. A few days more should see Transloy under attack from the south, east, and west. It is doomed to the fate of Comblès.

ARTILLERY LACKING RUSSO-ROUMANIANS.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—Mackensen's easy victory at Constanza was due partly to the Russo-Roumanians' lack of artillery.

HOHENLOHE RESUMES OFFICE.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 24.—Prince Conrad von Hohenlohe Schillingfuerst has resumed the office of Austrian minister of the interior, says a Vienna despatch.

TEUTONS CAPTURE MEDJIDIE.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 24.—The Russian War Office announces that Teuton forces have captured Medjidie on the railway to Cernovoda. The Russian and Roumanian troops have retired to the heights north of this place.

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SERBIAN AND BRITISH SUCCESES ON BULGARIAN FRONT

PARIS, Oct. 24.—The French War Office reports that on the Macedonian front in the Cerna region the Serbians attacked and carried the Bulgarian lines to the depth of half a mile on the Struma front. River floods interfere with troop movement on the Doiran front. The British after lively artillery action captured Bulgarian trenches.

SIR WILFRID LAURIER TO SPEAK IN TORONTO.

TORONTO, Oct. 24.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier will deliver an address in Convocation Hall on the evening of November 1. The meeting is under the auspices of the Newman Club.

A Want Adv. in "The Ontario" will pay you because it is the paper that reaches the home.

WORLD'S LARGEST VISIT TO THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ARTS, NEW YORK

Representative of the Metropolitan Museum of Art writes a Racy His T...

To one who has not visited the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York—there is a copy of interesting sights waiting. And those who have visited the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York will find it well worth the interest new...

A member of The Metropolitan Museum of Art is one of the Belleville residents who is privileged to make a second week in October for the first time.

Leaving Belleville, the 9th inst., the passenger steamer "America" in the morning for New York Central by Northern New York of the year is a panoramic view of brown and white hills and valleys, a winding river, a lone barn capal with and locks add pictures to the scene that would hand to paint. Passing the Mohawk River in song and poetry, for an hour later emerge on historic Hudson River a glimpse of the City of New York can be caught. Along the Hudson are many where the ice supply is stored. As various factories of various ducts are passed, and rebuilt from previous advertising.

On entering New York, a large amount of apprehension among the passengers, talked of strike and infantile paralysis, was no evidence whatsoever second seemed to cause the inhabitants. The able alarm over the German submarine on the coast, and some of the World's series based on the presidential election that the average New Yorker is to be quite contented.

In passing it might be noted that the reports of vessels just outside New York, the German submarine received, marine insurance five hundred per cent five hundred million struck from Wall Street.

A certain amount by the uninitiated in first time come of the New York. Broad known as the Great Vast West, its myriads of electric stores and tall buildings spell bound, but after is taken as a matter of things replace it with new sights and sounds.

In the great financial street our attention attracted by the active brokers and their signaling in the window clerks in the window in adjoining building privileges; to witness Stock Exchange in a from Wall street, traversed, and later G. short distance from found John Street. The first Methodist known as "the crucifixion."

At Battery Park view of inner New York its hundreds of craft. At this point, where species of the both fresh and salt. From Battery Park by steamer around passing under the and other bridges, navy yards where descriptions were at through the Harlem broad expanse of the d at Wilson's yacht, was passed and late satisfaction of viewing terner German liner Liberty at the entrance harbor and Ellis Island house of immigrants were other interesting trip.

A night trip through the Bowery, the quarters, the Italian other parts of the city revealed conditions difficult to describe. Bronx Park, with collection of animal reptile life, next to and a brief walk through