

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

DIVISION COURT

A sitting of the division court was held in the court house to-day with His Honor Judge Hardy presiding.

UNIFORMS FOR DUFFS

Nine cases of uniforms for which the Dufferin Rifles have been waiting, arrived in the city yesterday and will be distributed at to-night's parade. They will be worn for the first time on Monday.

COSTUMES HERE

The costumes to be used in the Semi-Centennial celebration arrived in the city this morning together with other paraphernalia to be used in connection with the pageant.

LEG FRACTURED

Mrs. Fanny Small, 115 Eagle Ave., this morning was notified that her husband, Pte. Joseph Small had been admitted to No. One General Hospital, Epworth, on June 20th, suffering from accidental fracture of the leg. Pte. Small was a member of the 125th battalion, and left England with the first draft from that unit.

FLY FLAGS

Preparations are being made in many public buildings and offices to-day for decorations appropriate to the fiftieth anniversary of the Confederation of Canada, and it is expected that nearly every residence in the city will also bear some mark of the Semi-Centennial occasion.

SEMI-CENTENNIAL

At a meeting of the finance committee of the Semi-Centennial Association held yesterday afternoon, the reports of the canvassers who have been circulating the guarantee list were received, showing that about one thousand dollars had been subscribed. Arrangements were made with Chief Sleight for the policing of the grounds on the holiday and other routine matters discussed.

I. O. D. E.

The Dufferin Rifle Chapter I. O. D. E. held a meeting at the armories on Thursday afternoon to make arrangements for a booth at the Semi-Centennial on Monday. Convenors were appointed to see to the various requirements. Home-made cake, sandwiches, ice cream and soft drinks will be served. It is hoped that friends will well patronize the chapter booth as all money made will be spent in wool for socks to be knitted during the summer for our men in the trenches. Mrs. Roy Seord presented the Chapter with \$5, talent money made by herself, for which gratitude was expressed.

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Obituary

The death occurred in the hospital to-day of John T. Tate, 110 Eagle Avenue. Deceased, who had been ill for some time, worked at the Massey-Harris Company. He leaves a widow and four children to mourn his great loss.

Mrs. Finch
The death occurred early this morning of Amelia, the beloved wife of Mr. J. C. Finch, 45 St. Paul Ave. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon to Mt. Hope cemetery.

B. BASKET.
As the result of injuries received when he fell down the elevator shaft in the J. S. Hamilton building on Saturday, June the 16th, Mr. Benjamin Basket, 65 Murray street, a well known resident of this city, passed away at the hospital early this morning. Mr. Basket had apparently recovered to a large extent from his injuries and expected to return to his work at the Verity Flow Company on Monday when he was to have assumed charge of a position with increased responsibilities.

He is survived by a wife and four small children, his father and mother, three brothers, John in Mt. Elgin, Noble of Saltford; Thomas of Paris Plains, and five sisters, Mrs. Croft, of Paris; Mrs. Ayeart, of Chalmers; Mrs. (Mrs. John) Jellous, of Foulden's Corners and Mrs. Symons of Paris Plains. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon to Mt. Hope Cemetery.

FARM HELD.

The Organization of Resources Committee considered at its meeting yesterday, the question of farm help for having and harvesting. Reports from all parts of the province indicate bumper crops. The committee will communicate at once with all Boards of Trade, Chambers of Commerce, patriotic and other associations, urging them to keep in close touch with the situation so that everything possible can be done to meet the need.

ORPHANS' PICNIC

About one hundred and forty orphans from the St. Mary's Orphanage, Hamilton, picnicked at Mohawk Park yesterday afternoon. They arrived here about half past ten in the morning in charge of fifteen sisters and left at seven o'clock. Refreshments and prizes for the sports were supplied by the ladies of St. Basil's and St. Mary's churches of this city, and a splendid outing for the children was reported a thorough success in every detail.

CHOIR MEETING.

Last evening the members of Wellington St. Choir held their final business meeting for the year. After the reports and other business had been discussed, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, G. T. Strickland; Vice-President, Caleb Rose; Secretary, Miss V. Clement; Treasurer, Miss M. Thow; Librarian, Mr. Hill; Executive, Miss Kemp; Miss Siple. The year that has just closed has been one of the most successful in the history of the choir.

The bride travelled in black gown and tulle veil and carried a bouquet of white roses and a large white ribbon. The happy couple left amid showers of confetti for Hamilton and eastern points. Upon their return, they are to take a more extended trip through Great Lakes, visiting Winnipeg, and Calgary, thence to the Rockies.

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CONSTRUCTION DRAFT.

Lieut. Fred Gregory is conducting an active campaign for recruits for construction work overseas and visits and was successful in establishing representatives there to look after the interests of the construction battalion, for which he is recruiting. In Simcoe Serg. Bowling at the Armory will receive applications from eligibles for this unit. George Wyman Allan, 18 Gilkinson street, a married man engaged in the barbering trade has been signed up and will leave on Monday to join his unit.

All kinds of Travelling Goods at Coles' Shoe Co., 122 Colborne St. The bursting of a dam of the Price River Irrigation Co. did \$3,000,000 of damage in Utah.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson I.—Third Quarter, For July 1, 1917.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Isa. vi, 1-13—Memory Verses, 6-8—Golden Text, Isa. vi, 8—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

I am always specially glad to come to a study in Isaiah, this wonderful epitome of the whole Bible, divided into two portions like the Bible, the former having thirty-nine chapters and the latter twenty-seven, like the thirty-nine and twenty-seven books of the Old and New Testaments. The meaning of the name Isaiah is the salvation of Jehovah, and that is also the topic of the whole Bible. Jepphot was a spokesman for God, and his mission is fully set forth in Isa. i, 13, as "the Lord's messenger with the Lord's message." The king mentioned in the first verse had reigned fifty-two years in Jerusalem, and it is recorded of him that he did right in the sight of the Lord. He was wonderfully helped till the Lord was strong. But when he was strong his heart was lifted up to his destruction, for he transgressed against the Lord his God and died a leper (II Chron. xxvi, 3, 4, 15, 16, 21). He was also called Azariah. Thus kings as well as all others come and go, for there is none abiding, none here have we any continuing city (II Chron. xxxii, 15, Heb. xiii, 4).

Isaiah did what we should all do, and always do, look-up and see a king who never dies, and a throne that cannot be moved, of which it is written, "Thy throne, O God, is forever and ever; a scepter of righteousness is the scepter of Thy kingdom" (Ps. xiv, 6; Heb. i, 8). I like to read in Ezek. i, 26-28, of the throne and the glory of it and the man upon it, for He is the same one whom Isaiah saw, the one of whom we have been learning for the past six months (John xii, 41). There is no other way for us in this world of change and trouble than to do as Stephen did—look up steadfastly into heaven and see the glory of God and Jesus. As Ezekiel saw the cherubim in connection with the throne, so Isaiah saw the seraphim, and it may be that they are the same living ones deemed as burning ones as we hold in his hand. The cry of each is virtually the same, "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts" (verse 3 and Rev. iv, 8), and nowhere else do we find the thrice holy in a sentence. But see Ps. xcix, 3, 5, 9. They speak of the whole earth being full of His glory (verse 3 and Rev. v, 13), so it is a vision of the future, and not the vision of the present.

When Isaiah thus saw the glory of the Lord, the King, the Lord of Hosts, it caused him to see Himself as wholly unclean and undone (verse 5). Job and Daniel were affected in the same way (Job xlii, 5, 6; Dan. x, 7, 8), and we may be sure that if we have any good opinion of ourselves left we have not yet seen the King as we might see Him. See also Rom. vii, 18, the soul cry of one who has seen the beauty of the Lord. We are not as right with Him as we might be unless we think so much of Him that we think nothing of ourselves. There is a very helpful suggestion in the face and feet covered with verse 2. The face indicates what we are, the feet suggest our walk or what we do, and we must not think of what we are or what we do, only of what He is and He does (Gal. ii, 20; I Cor. xv, 10). The power to fly is in the two wings of commit and trust of Ps. xxxvii, 5. The altar and taking away of iniquity and sin of verses 7, 8, 9, may be taken away, the sacrifice of Calvary, of which the brazen altar and its sacrifices were typical.

It takes but a moment for Him to take away our sins by virtue of His great sacrifice of Himself once for all. So shall it be with Israel as a nation, for they shall see Him coming in His glory (Zech. iii, 9, i. c.), and then shall they be His messengers to all nations, and many nations shall be joined to the Lord in that day (Zech. ii, 10-12), whether it be a nation or a man, only there can be no service for God until sins are forgiven, but when we know this blessedness, according to Ps. xxxii, 1, 2, we should be gladly willing to tell others. After the prophet knew that he was cleansed then he heard the voice of the Lord saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?

Note the "I" and "us," the one Living and True God and the three persons in the Godhead, and learn from Rom. viii, 25, 31, 34, that the Father, Son and Holy Spirit are each and all for every one whom they send, and they will be with us to work and to watch over their own word, which will surely accomplish their pleasure, and the faithful messenger shall be unto God that are saved and in them that perish (II Cor. ii, 15, 16), whether hearts and ears and eyes are closed against the message or opened to hear and see and receive it. If the love of Christ constrains us we cannot but say, "Here am I; send me!" And then, whatever may be the immediate result, we shall rest in this—that He cannot fail nor be disappointed and in His time the kingdom will surely come. It is ours to be faithful.

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Sugar, Redpath granulated, 10 lbs. for... 88c	Walnut Meats, per lb... 55c
Flour, Robin Hood, 24 lb. sack \$2.25, for... \$2.00	Almond Meats, per lb... 55c
Coffee, pure fresh Coffee, 40c lb. for... 29c	Toilet Soap, 10c cake, 3 cakes for... 20c
Peas, Sunbeam, 15c can, 2 for... 25c	Catsup, Snider's, per bottle... 25c
Corn Flakes, 3 pkgs. for... 29c	Heinz Pork and Beans, per can... 24c
Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 cans for... 10c	Olives, stuffed, 15c and 25c, plain, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c and... 75c
Lye, 15c can, very special, per can... 10c	Worcestershire Sauce, 15c bottle, for... 10c
Liver Eating Figs, 25c lb. for... 20c	Olive Oil, Cross and Blackwell's quart bottle, \$1.25, for... \$1.00
Pork and Beans, small, 13c can, 2 for... 24c	Starch, Laundry, 13c lb., 2 lbs. for... 20c
Extracts, 10c bottle, 3 for... 25c	Flour, Five Roses, 24 lb. Sack for... \$2.10
Jelly Powders, 10c pkg., 3 for... 25c	Malt Vinegar, Holbrook's, per bottle... 25c
Cooking Figs, 10c lb. for... 25c	Royal Baking Powder, 1 lb. can... 50c
Dates in pkg., 3 pkgs. for... 25c	Sugar, yellow, 5 lbs. for... 46c
Rice, Japan, 2 lbs. for... 25c	Lard Compound, per lb... 27c
Laundry Soap, White Knight, 5 bars for... 25c	Light Sultanas, very choice, per lb... 20c
Washboards, 35c for... 24c	Dark Sultanas, very choice, per lb... 18c
Ammonia, 10c size, 3 pkgs. for... 28c	Jam, 4 lb. pail for... 65c
Shredded Wheat, 3 pkgs. for... 28c	Cocoa, in bulk, 50c lb. for... 35c
Salmon, Red, 30c can, 2 for... 25c	
Reisins, Valencia 15c lb., 2 for... 20c	
Heinz Sweet Pickles in bulk; pint for... 30c	
Heinz Sour, very small onions, in bulk, pint 30c	
Soap Chips, 13c lb., 2 for... 20c	
Beans, white Canadian, 18c lb., 2 lbs. for... 30c	
Tapioea, 18c lb., 2 lbs. for... 35c	
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Chicken, in can, per can... 29c	

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STOCK COMPANY.
Miss Roma Reade and her stock company of ten people have arrived in the city from Grand Rapids, Mich. They will open their engagement at the Grand Opera House on Monday in "Alias Jimmy Valentine." The organization is highly spoken of.

WITH THE C. M. R.
Two men were sent to headquarters in Hamilton to-day for the C. M. R. from the local recruiting depot. They are Clifford Jonson, of Ingersoll, a single man and a laborer, and Henry Edward Rahuba, 139 West St., a single man, and a machinist.

VISITED PARIS.
Corp. Atwood who is recruiting here for the C. M. R., was in Paris recently on the search for eligibles and while no direct results were obtained he hopes that the effect of his visit will stimulate several to offer their services within a few days.