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## Wall Paper

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**15c to 35c a roll**

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**Jas. E. Eager**

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8 oz. " " " "	70c
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Red Cedar Flakes per box	25c
Oil Cedar per oz.	15c
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## BACK AT OLD GAME.

Hon. Frank Oliver a Newspaperman Again.

When Sir Sam Hughes was in the West a little while ago he made an audacious call on Hon. Frank Oliver in Edmonton.

"Please tell him that a stranger in the city would like very much to see him, if possible," he said to the telephone girl in the Bulletin office. He said it meekly and diffidently, and some of the meekness must have got into the message that went upstairs; for an answer came booming back on the wire to the effect that if there was anybody down there who wanted to see him so much they were to send the poor thing up and be done with it.

And so it came about that presently there was a timid little knock at the sanctum upstairs, and the Hon. Frank stamped across the room to open the door. When he had opened it, Gen. Sir Sam Hughes, of wide renown, stood before him.

"Oh! and so you're the poor old thing, are you?" said the Hon. Frank by way of greeting. He was surprised, but he wasn't going to show it. If Sam Hughes wanted to fool an old friend that way, he would have to take chances on being called names.

Sir Sam, it seems, used in days gone by to be rather fond of playing jokes on Mr. Oliver, and he hasn't got quite over it yet though the years have brought sobering changes to them both.

The ex-Minister of the Interior is now a newspaper man again, as he was before he first went to Ottawa. He writes long editorials, in which there are often traces of that same fiery heat that used to characterize his speeches in the House of Commons and especially his campaign speeches at election-time. But he also turns his hand now and then to a bit of reporting and is not at all above interviewing a big man who may happen to come his way.

Mr. Oliver, it must be remembered, is one of the West's pioneer journalists, and though it is now a long time since he brought his first little printing press by ox-cart to Edmonton—forty years ago, to be exact—the lure of the same old writing and printing game is still upon him. As to that, are there not a lot of worse things an ex-statesman might do than to run a newspaper, in which every day he can say what he thinks about what the world is coming to?

It was in 1883, only three years after he began publishing the Bulletin, that Mr. Oliver entered political life as a member of the old Northwest Council. He went to the House of Commons in 1896, and was Minister of the Interior from 1905 to 1911. After the defeat of the Laurier Ministry he continued to be a member for Edmonton till 1917, when he was defeated by the overseas vote. Since then his political activities have been confined to making speeches at the old war-horse type at party rallies and conventions and to writing editorials.

Not all his old acquaintances of the Ottawa days have been as well able as Sir Sam Hughes to get away with a little fun-making at Mr. Oliver's expense. It is told of one of the erstwhile Opposition members, whose name isn't necessary at this point, that in a debate on the United States tariff question he characterized the attitude of the Government as "a sight that would make angels weep and jackasses laugh."

Mr. Oliver was quickly on his feet and observed, with his most deliberate calmness, that he had observed that the honorable gentleman himself had been one of those who laughed.

Hon. F. B. Carvell once got into a somewhat heated discussion with the Minister of the Interior during a consideration of Indian affairs and asked him what was the difference between one Indian and one white man. "The Indian is naturally a gentleman," answered the man from the West without hesitation.

It is this ability to hit back quick and strong, together with the two facts that he is an old-timer and that he has been always a bold champion of the West's rights and needs, that made Hon. Frank Oliver a people's favorite for so many years. Even yet there are many in Edmonton and in Alberta who like to see and hear him in his fighting moods, and as long as there are old-timers alive he will have a deservedly admiring clientele. But in these later days there has arisen a new generation that knew not the Hon. Frank, and that is why he has gone back to the pleasant but less spectacular work of writing editorials, with occasional calls from old-time friends, announced or otherwise, to break the office tedium.

100 Cigars a Day.

The Cuban workmen can turn out 100 cigars a day each, all identical in shape, size and weight, without using any mould or pattern.

## Maj. E. S. Sawell, M. C To the Electors

of Waterdown

Your vote and influence is respectfully solicited for Major E. Stanley Sawell as Councillor for the Village of Waterdown for the balance of 1920. Below is a short synopsis of Major Sawell's military record.

Enlisted as Lieutenant in December 1915 with the 129th Battalion, C. E. F. Recruited and trained with that unit until July 1916. Proceeded overseas with officers draft August 1916 and received further training in England. Drafted to 21st Batt. Can. Inf. October 1916. Saw continuous active service with that unit until August 1918, in the battles of Vimy Ridge, Hill 70, Paschendale and Amiens. Received Military Cross at Vimy Ridge. Promoted to Captain December 1917, and to acting rank of Major in April 1919. Gassed August 1918 and wounded October 1918.

Major Sawell has brought great honors to his parents, his country and to Waterdown. The ratepayers are asked to support this brave young hero on Monday, April 26th, 1920.

## Local Sports

The Beaver Ball Club have organized for the season. The team as a whole certainly look a formidable bunch of ball trimmers, and liable to make many a senior team take to the tall timbers before the season is over. They are practicing daily and will play their games on the diamond on the new school grounds which will be put into shape.

On local Basket Ball team went down to defeat at the hands of the fast St. George team on Tuesday evening in Hamilton by a score of 49 to 17. The smallness of the floor was a serious handicap to our boys. The high score does not indicate the game, as our boys fought hard and kept the Saints going for the whole hour. The Waterdown line-up was W. Stewart, L. Henry, Jerry Burns, P. Palmer, V. Willis and R. Willis.

On Saturday evening St. George Basket Ball team will play the return match here at 8 o'clock. A Junior match will start followed by the Seniors. Both games will be interesting. The Seniors have their Tuesday defeat to overcome. A portion of the rink will be reserved for the ladies. The admission for men will be 15c. Secure your tickets on Friday evening.

## Aerial Game Laws.

Modern inventions begot new manners and new laws to govern the changed customs. The man who acts in a wholesale sense about to be out-cast by the airplane operator who gathers in wild birds by means of a net. So apparently, think the sportsmen in one locality of Canada. As a consequence, an association of them are sponsoring a request to the Government to prohibit the flights of airplanes over marsh lands, and the use of flying machines in pursuit, shooting, or netting of wild fowl. When warned of anything approaching, these birds do not seek cover, but rise immediately into the air and obviously become open at once to the ingenious contrivances of airplane pilots. Rapid-firing guns, and nettings attached beneath the body of the machines, would seem to be easy means of possible extermination of the birds, and this it is sought to avoid.

## Picture Dogs.

The little ground squirrels, or picture dogs, of the western plains have their homes 12 or 15 feet underground, with corridors and rooms. In some of these chambers the squirrel family lives, and in others food and various materials are stored.

I respectfully solicit your support, vote and influence at the election on next Monday for Councillor, and if elected I will serve the village and every ratepayer to the best of my ability as I will enter the Council absolutely independent of any organization or party.

J. W. GRIFFIN.

## Vestry Meeting

Waterdown and Aldershot Easter Vestries reported that Grace Church Waterdown had raised \$1387.40 a balance of \$300 having been carried forward. The following Wardens and officers were elected for ensuing year, Rectors Warden, Richard Smith, Peoples Warden, Robt. C. Griffin, Vestry Clerk, Dr. R. J. Vance Auditors, S. Chaffe and W. G. Spence.

Aldershot raised \$646.97, a balance of \$25. being carried forward. The following officers were appointed, G. H. Sinclair and H. Mann Wardens, Sidemen J. Wyse, W. Burrows, R. Sinclair, G. Gallagher, and W. Grainer. Also the forward movement drive was carried on during Rev. Mr. Leake's absence in Florida, the parish raised the sum of \$2365. in that Campaign.

## Carlisle

Carlisle, April 21, 1920

The hearts of the citizens of this community are throbbing hard from the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Milton Eaton and family, our honored and respected friends, have left our locality and gone as missionaries to the heathen fields of Kee's Corners, an ant hill in the suburbs of Strabane.

Though grieved to have to part with so noble a family, the community appreciate to know Mr. Eaton acted manfully and according to the dictates of his conscience. Mr. Eaton is leaving a land flowing with milk and honey, and a goodly place to dwell. He is leaving a comfortable fireside and a people who scorn the thought of any person stopping so low as to ever let the intoxicating cup touch their lips or tobacco in any form tainting the breath. According to the manuscripts of the Kee's Corner's correspondent, Mr. Eaton is going to live among a people who glory in the amount of beer and liquor which they can consume and who would walk for miles after a hard days work for a plug of that cursed poison known as tobacco. It was this deplorable condition affairs that touched Mr. and Mrs. Eaton's hearts and led them from a comfortable home, community and warm hearted friends to live lives of sacrifice and if need be die as martyrs among the natives. Mr. Eaton was also one of our successful horticulturists and intends to superintend and demonstrate along these lines to a people who are so badly in need of outside help. Our whole community are pierced to think of losing our genial and true hearted friends but rejoice and forget their grief to know that they have answered so high a calling. We wish them every success in their new and honorably ministerial calling.