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Killed On Crossing
(Ganoque Reporter)

An accident on the railway crossing at Lansdowne on Thursday evening brought sadness to the homes of two well-known residents of the village.

Shortly after seven o'clock, Harold F. Leggett, son of proprietor of the Stewart House, and Hubert McKay, son of George McKay at one time of Ganoque, harness maker, both eight years of age, started to cross the track. As they approached the track a freight train going east came along and the boys waited until it had passed and started on again. They had just reached the opposite track when they were struck by a light engine going west. Hubert McKay was killed instantly, and the Leggett boy lingered for an hour, when he succumbed to the injuries received.

The skulls of both boys were fractured and Harold Leggett also sustained fractures of the jaw and left arm. It was raining at the time of the accident and the boys carried an umbrella, and as there was a driving rain from the direction the engine approached, the umbrella no doubt was held in a position to obstruct the view and the boys were therefore unconscious of any danger until they were struck.

Dr. Campbell, of Lansdowne, was at the scene of the accident almost immediately, and Dr. Bird was summoned from Ganoque. Dr. Bird made a record in the rain. He was in Lansdowne, in just 23 minutes after receiving the telephone message.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the stricken families in their bereavement.

Presentation

A few of the friends of Rev. and Mrs. Edwards met at the parsonage at 8.30 Saturday evening and took them by surprise with the following address and presentation:

Athens, June 17, 1916

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Edwards—We, a few of your many friends in Athens desire to take advantage of this opportunity to bid you adieu, and also to express in a very slight degree our appreciation of your influence and work among us. As pastor, we have found you kindly and sympathetic, always ready to respond in times of sickness and sorrow. Your earnest messages from the pulpit, your masterly and spiritual expositions of the Sunday School lessons in the Wednesday evening prayer-meetings, and, above all, your pre-eminently Christian character and cultured and gentlemanly bearing at all times have won our highest respect and esteem, and we assure you that we shall miss you very much indeed.

And you, Mrs. Edwards, by your ladylike, sociable, kindly, and neighborly way have won a warm place in our affections.

Your daughter, Miss Flo, has cheered us all both old and young, by her sunny presence, her kindly interest, helpfulness and faithfulness in League, Sunday School and church.

Your united hospitality has been noted and appreciated by us all.

So we would ask you, Mrs. Edwards, to accept this life-membership pin, Mr. Edwards, this umbrella, and to convey to Miss Flo this gift—to each as a slight token of the esteem in which you are held, and to express a wish that in your new field you may find friends staunch and true, and realize the richness of the presence of Him whose we are and whom we serve.

On behalf of a few of your friends, Mrs. Irwin Wiltse read the address, and Mrs. T. S. Kendrick made the presentation.

The gifts were a gold W.M.S. life-membership pin, an initial sterling mounted silk umbrella and a pearl-handled silver pie knife.

Mr. Edwards replied very kindly and suitably.

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CHARLESTON

Ptes. Hibbert Spence and Jack Johnston, Barriefield Camp, were visitors at their homes here over Sunday. Residents of Charleston and vicinity presented each with a wrist watch accompanied by an address.

An automobile load of soldier boys from Barriefield Camp paid Charleston a visit on Sunday.

Much damage to crops is being done here as a result of the wet weather. Some farmers have not a seed in the ground, while others have had the seeds drowned out. Some who planted potatoes find the seed has rotted. It is feared that little corn will be raised. On an average, about half the land is idle.

Pte. Gordon Kelsay of Barriefield, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Kelsay.

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KING VISITS FLEET.

Name of Navy Never Stood Higher, Says His Majesty.

LONDON, June 19.—An official communication issued Sunday evening gives an account of a recent visit by King George to the Grand Fleet and an address by the monarch to the representatives of the units of the fleet on parade. In his address King George said:

"Admiral Jellicoe and Officers and Men of the Grand Fleet:

"You waited nearly two years with most exemplary patience for the opportunity of meeting and engaging the enemy's fleet. I can well understand how trying was this period and how great your relief when you knew on May 31 that the enemy had been sighted. The unfavorable weather conditions and approaching darkness prevented that complete result which you all expected. But you did all possible in the circumstances. You drove the enemy into his harbors and inflicted on him very severe losses. You added another page to the glorious traditions of the British navy. You could not do more. For your splendid work I thank you."

At the conclusion of his visit the King sent the following message to Admiral Jellicoe:

"I am thankful that I had the opportunity of congratulating you and the Grand Fleet on the result of the recent engagement in the North Sea. Assure all ranks and rating that the name of the British navy never stood higher in the eyes of their fellow-countrymen, whose pride and confidence in their achievements are unabated. Good luck and God-speed. May your future efforts be blessed with complete success."

King George left London Tuesday evening to visit the fleet, and returned to London Sunday. During the course of his tour he inspected the whole of the grand fleet and visited all of the wounded men from the Skager Rack fight in the various hospitals.

U.S. TROOPS CALLED.

National Guard Will Be Hurried to Mexican Border.

WASHINGTON, June 19.—Virtually the entire mobile strength of the National Guard of all states and the District of Columbia, was ordered mustered into the federal service Sunday night by President Wilson. About 100,000 men are expected to respond to the call, although Brig. Gen. Alfred Mills estimates that the maximum militia forces available would be 145,000 men.

They will mobilize immediately for such service on the Mexican border as may be assigned to them.

Secretary of War Baker Sunday issued the following statement:

"In view of the disturbed conditions on the Mexican border, and in order to assure complete protection for all Americans, the President has called out substantially all the state militia, and will send them to the border, wherever and as fully as Gen. Funston determines them to be needed for the purpose stated."

"If all are not needed an effort will be made to relieve those on duty there from time to time so as to distribute the duty."

"This call for militia is wholly unrelated to Gen. Pershing's expedition and contemplates no additional entry into Mexico, except as may be necessary to pursue bandits who attempt outrages on American soil."

"The militia are being called out so as to leave some troops in the several states. They will be mobilized at their home stations where necessary recruiting can be done."

FOUGHT LIKE DEMONS.

Canadian Prisoners Cheered by Belgians at Court-martial.

LONDON, June 19.—Soldiers returning to Court-martial from the front on Wednesday said the Canadians fought like demons until they recovered the trenches lost the previous week, writes a correspondent of the Amsterdam Telegraaf, who adds:

"Germans losses were heavy during the British bombardment preliminary to the recovery of the ground. The correspondent saw people from Court-martial, who described scenes there after the German defeat. Train after train and a long succession of motor ambulances brought the wounded back in Rue de Lille, and on the market places cars stood dripping with blood. Inhabitants of Court-martial rejoiced at the German setback, as on the previous Saturday they were angrily forbidden to cheer when 200 Canadian prisoners were marched in through the Porte de Menin."

"After being given food in the big schoolroom the prisoners were taken to Ghent. Cheered occasionally when Belgian women caught sight of the men, not even the brutal punishment of the Huns could prevent them from cheering. On Monday 57 more Canadians came through, but neither party had any officers and no general was seen."

Fate of Czernowitz.

Sept. 4, 1914, captured by Russians.

Oct. 22, 1914, evacuated by Russians.

Nov. 29, 1914, reoccupied by Russians.

Feb. 11, 1915, evacuated by Russians.

Feb. 25, 1915, great battle in city.

Mar. 5, 1915, retaken by Russians.

Mar. 27, 1915, evacuated by Russians.

May 15, 1915, retaken by Teutons.

Jan. 4, 1916, evacuated by Teutons.

Jan. 13, 1916, reoccupied by Teutons.

June 17, 1916, recaptured by Russians.

Six Persons Killed in Fire.

LIVERPOOL, June 19.—Six persons were killed and 11 injured in a fire Sunday in the Imperial Hotel.

Local and District News

Mr. A. E. Donovan, M. P. P., Toronto, spent a few days in town.

Lieut. Paul Bishop is spending a few days with his mother, who with Mrs. McKnight of Toronto, is holidaying at the Jacob cottage, Charleston Lake.

Mrs. Herb. Comstock (nee Miss Sarah Moore) of Portage, Wis. is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joel Parish, Mill Street.

The crop of hay on the village streets is being harvested this week.

The funeral of the late Senator Derbyshire took place in Brockville to-day.

Rev. and Mrs. Edwards left this morning for their new appointment, Montreal, Miss Edwards having preceded them a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward of Portage, Wis., are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Wiltse.

Miss Ruby Webster, of Lyndhurst, was a week-end guest of Miss Bessie Johnston.

Pte. Jack Johnson spent the week-end in town with his sister Miss Stella Johnson and together they spent Sunday with their grandmother, Mrs. Johnson, at Oak Leaf.

Mrs. Joseph Jones is spending a few days at her home here, having just returned from a Baptist convention at Smith Falls.

Nurse Bennett who has been caring for Mrs. Lapointe and baby, Plum Hollow, for the past three weeks left for her home after a hurried call at Newport N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wiltse left on Tuesday for Saskatchewan where they will spend the summer with their son Amos.

The marriage of Miss Minnie Belle Mackay, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Mackay, of Smith's Falls, to Mr. Samuel Alexander Hitzman, of Kingston, has been arranged to take place quietly the first week of July.

District Meeting of Odd Fellows at Athens

Delegates from Brock and St. Lawrence Lodges, Brockville; Lyn, Marlborough, Delta and Athens met in district meeting of I. O. O. F. here on Wednesday last. The meeting was of a strictly business character, presided over by District Deputy Grand Master Tribune who in his report showed the thriving conditions of the lodges.

The meeting elected Mr. Boland of Lyn Lodge as next D. G. M. and decided on Lyn as the place of the next annual meeting. The delegates from other lodges made the trip in cars returning the same afternoon. Eleven members of the Brockville lodges attended.

Ceremony of Ordination
(Daily British Whig)

An ordination service was held in St. George's Cathedral Sunday morning. It was most impressive, and was conducted by the Bishop of Kingston, assisted by Dean Starr, Rev. Cecil F. Whalley. Two were ordained priests—Victor O. Boyle and Cecil Winter. The parish of the first Coe Hill, while the second has Shannonville for his parish. The candidates for ordination were presented by Ven. Archdeacon Dobbs.

The ordination sermon, an able one, was preached by Rev. Mr. Swayne, rector of Athens. He said that ordination was a divine act, and required a divine agent. He referred to the sacredness of the Christian ministry, and said that the gifts of God were dispensed by men duly qualified to perform that sacred work. The sacraments of God were not appreciated as was evidenced by the neglect of the holy communion and of the holy rite of baptism. It was not unusual to find whole families that were not baptized. The people did not seem to properly appreciate the need of ministers. As officers were necessary to the army, so ministers were necessary to the church's performing its sacred work. Parents endeavored, if possible, to have their sons who join the army qualify for commissions, in order that they might better fight for their country, God and the right. Was the same anxiety displayed about the Christian ministry?

The people should try to realize the great necessity of having faith in God and should earnestly endeavor to accomplish the work that God would have them do. They should hold up the hands of the clergy, realizing the sacredness of their office, and should help them in every way that they might not be hindered by worries of an necessary kind. The preacher called upon those to be ordained to show, by their life and character, that they had a lively appreciation of the glorious fact that they had been called to be ministers of Christ and stewards of the mysteries of God.

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Graduating Exercises Eastern Hospital
June 16th., 1916.

The Graduating Exercises in connection with the Training School of the Eastern Hospital for mental diseases at Brockville were held on Friday 16th. June and six young ladies were graduated as professional nurses. The ceremony was arranged to have taken place on one of the many beautiful lawns surrounding the hospital but the down-pour of rain prevented this and the exercises were held in the large amusement hall instead.

The graduating nurses looked efficient and professional in their pretty white uniforms and graduating caps and each graduate carried a bouquet of roses the gift of the hospital. The following nurses received their diplomas: Margaret Gavin, Brockville; Elsie Lackey, Smith Falls; Lulu Sunderland, Brockville; Josephine Bedard, Ganoque; Marie Burns, Maitland; Reta F. Hanna, Greenbush.

Miss Bedard was given the prize presented by Dr. Mitchell for general proficiency. Miss Lackey won the nurses' kit awarded by the government to the nurse obtaining the highest aggregate in the written examinations of the third year course. The prize list for the other two years comprised:

Second Year—Dr. Vrooman's prize—Miss Ritchie, Miss Farnsworth. Government prize—Miss Ritchie.

First year—Dr. Graham's prize—Miss Mahoney.

His Honor Judge McDonald kindly acted as chairman and the following program was carried out:

Selection—Orchestra.

Chairman's Address—His Honor Judge McDonald.

Address—A. E. Donovan, M. P. P. Vocal Solo—Mrs. Stagg.

Administration of Florence Nightingale Pledge—Mr. Dunlop, Inspector Toronto, Ont.

Presentation of diplomas and address—His Honor Judge Reynolds.

Presentation of Graduating pins—Miss Pollard Lady Sup't General hospital and Miss Gibson, matron Eastern Hospital.

Presentation prizes—Dr. Mitchell, Med. Sup't Dr. F. S. Vrooman. Solo—Mrs. Lyman.

Address—John Webster, M. P.

Short addresses were given by: His Worship Mayor Wright; Rev. Dean Woodcock; Rev. Mr. Davis; Rev. Mr. Burns; Mr. Shearer; Mr. Smith and M. F. J. Kelly.

The guests were received by Dr. Mitchell and staff and the large hall was crowded with an enthusiastic audience of relatives and friends of the hospital. At the conclusion of the ceremony refreshments were served by the nurses.

The splendid new building in the south west corner of the grounds was thrown open to the guests for inspection. It is intended that this building shall be used as a reception hospital where all new patients will be admitted. Every effort was put forth in its construction to have it up-to-date and to afford simple facilities for the most advanced and scientific treatment of nervous and mental cases. There will be accommodation for at least sixty patients and especially trained nurses will be in charge of the wards and of the nurses receiving training.

A Notion Shower

Mrs. E. Foster, Glen Morris, assisted by Mrs. M. Hudson, entertained the ladies of the neighborhood on Wednesday afternoon June 14th, at a notion shower in honor of Miss Pearl Moore. Miss Moore was the recipient of several handsome and useful little gifts and all united in extending best wishes for future happiness and continued prosperity. Mrs. Foster served a very dainty lunch.

W. I. Meeting Postponed

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute has been postponed until Friday, June 30 on account of Miss Olive E. Hayes, who will address the Institute on Friday, June 23.

At the regular meeting Miss Usher will give a paper on "Florence Nightingale." The Misses Wilson, Brown, Kendrick and Williams will furnish the musical program.

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