

PATRIOTISM and PRODUCTION The Call of the Empire to the Farmers of Canada

"Approximately twenty million men have been mobilized in Europe. A large proportion of these have been withdrawn from the farms of the countries at war. Even in neutral countries large numbers of food producers have been called from the land to be ready for emergencies. It is difficult for us to realize what will be the effect on food production through the withdrawal of several million men from all the great agricultural countries of Europe. These millions cease to be producers, they have become consumers,—worse still, they have become destroyers of food."

HON. MARTIN BURRELL, Minister of Agriculture.

Britain must have food—food this year, and food next year. Britain is looking to Canada to supply most of that food. We are sending our surplus now, but we must prepare for a larger surplus this year and next year. Patriotism and Production must go hand in hand.

Because of this need of the Empire for more food, and the call to Canada in that need, the Canadian Department of Agriculture has arranged for a series of Conferences throughout the Dominion, with the object of giving suggestions as to the best ways of increasing production of the particular products needed at this time.

At these Conferences agricultural specialists, who have studied agricultural conditions and production throughout the world, and the best means of increasing agricultural production in Canada, will give valuable information and suggestions to the farmers, live-stock men, dairymen, poultrymen, vegetable growers, and other producers of this country. The Canadian Department of Agriculture urges you to attend as many of these Conferences as possible; also to watch for other information on the subject that will be given in other announcements in this newspaper.

ATTEND YOUR CONFERENCE

Put Energy into Production of Staple Foods

The Government does not ask farmers to work harder, so much as it urges them to make their work more productive, and to produce those staple foods that the Empire most needs and that can be most easily stored and transported.

Europe, and particularly Britain, will need the following staple foods from Canada more than ever before:

- Wheat, oats, corn, beans, peas.
- Beef, mutton, bacon, and ham.
- Cheese and butter.
- Poultry and eggs.
- Vegetables, such as potatoes, onions, and turnips.

The larger the yield of these staple food products, the greater the service to the Empire. Germany in the last

ten years has doubled the average yield of the majority of her field crops largely through better seed, thorough cultivation and use of fertilizer. But in making your plans, don't let your enthusiasm and loyalty make you attempt more than you can carry through. Millions of bushels, instead of millions of acres, should be the aim of Canadian farmers.

And while the Empire's armies are busy putting down German Militarism, let us at home appropriate the best of Germany's agricultural methods for the Empire's advantage.

This Department has issued over two hundred bulletins. A list of bulletins is printed in a booklet entitled "Publications Available for Distribution."

Clip out, fill in and mail the coupon below and get this booklet. Then select the bulletins that will be of value to you. Mail your coupon right now. Address the envelope to Publications Branch, Canadian Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. Do not put a stamp on the envelope. No stamp is necessary. Your coupon will be "On His Majesty's Service."

Give expression to your desire to assist the Empire in this crisis by co-operating in this great "Patriotism and Production" movement.

Canadian Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, Canada

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OBSEQUIES OF LATE FIRE CHIEF

Impressive Funeral of William B. Campbell—Borne to Grave by Firemen

(From Friday's Daily.) One of the largest funerals in the city in many a day was that of the late Fire Chief William B. Campbell. Hundreds of citizens of all classes turned out to pay their respects to one whom they held in highest esteem. His long residence in Belleville, his prominent position in insurance and in fire prevention and control, and his admirable personal characteristics had made him friends in all classes of society. His companions of the fire brigade turned out in uniform as a body to bestow their last tribute to the memory of the deceased chief. Belleville police forces also attended, because of the close relationship that existed between the departed and the police department. The city council was largely represented.

Rev. H. S. Osborne, pastor of Bridge Street Methodist church conducted an impressive service at the family residence, corner of Bridge street West and Isabelle street. Hundreds thronged the vicinity during the service. The cortege formed and proceeded to Belleville cemetery where the last rites were observed.

The bearers were all firemen, selected so that two represented the No. 1 Company and two the No. 2 Company and two the hook and ladder—Capt. W. J. Brown, Robert Symonds, Robert Tuite, J. Canning, T. O'Hara and J. O'Leary.

Many beautiful flowers were received as tributes to the deceased—Fire Department—Gates a jar No. 2 Fire Department—Anchor. Family—Fillow. Grandchildren—Wreath. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson—Sheaf. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rowland and Family—Sheaf. Our Hunting Party—Anchor.

"Y'S" HAD VERY SUCCESSFUL EVENING

The very inclement weather of Tuesday evening did not deter a good crowd of the young folks of John St. Church Guild from attending the entertainment given by the young ladies of the Y.W.C.T.U. Mrs. McCaskey, the president, gave an elevating Bible reading on "Service," emphasizing the great influence our girls have on their boy friends. Rev. Mr. Currie offered prayer.

Mrs. S. Gibson, County President of the W.C.T.U., was then introduced and took the chair. In her address on the scope of the W.C.T.U., she spoke of one of the prime causes of the remaining of the young people's society and hope to receive as hearty a welcome from as many of our Baptist Young People on March 9th.

At Wednesday night's practice shoot a still greater improvement is to be noticed in the scoring. The following is the result. Highest possible score 100

- Jas. Thompson 99
- W. J. Andrews 99
- A. Harman 99
- J. Douch 98
- B. Parks 98
- J. D. Gratton 98
- G. B. Smith 97
- C. C. Walker 97
- H. Sneyd 94
- W. B. Vandervoort 93
- R. Peppin 93
- T. Hill 92
- E. Stapley 91
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BELLEVILLE RIFLE ASSOCIATION

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FAR SUPERIOR TO CASTOR OIL

Baby's Own Tablets are the best medicine a mother can give her little ones. They are absolutely safe, pleasant to take and never fail to cure stomach and bowel disorders.

Concerning them Mrs. A. Saave, Sheepshead Bay, writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for my three children and can truly say that I know of no other med. to equal them. They are far superior to Castor Oil and I would not be without them."

Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

RECRUITS STILL COMING IN AT THE ARMOURIES FOR THE THIRD CONTINGENT

Rolls of Honor of Volunteers of 15th and 49th Regiments

Up to last evening recruiting in the Fifteenth Regiment had reached the total of seventy-seven officers and men, two officers, one medical sergeant, five sergeants, three corporals, and sixty-six privates. Recruits keep dropping in every day. Capt. Sergeant A. E. MacCall, M.D., is an exceedingly busy officer these days conducting medical examinations, vaccinations, minor operations, and taking the declarations or attestations of the volunteers.

Capt. Hudson, has in his detachment a veteran of several wars, Mr. Hugh Campbell, who fought in the Matabele war and twice in the South African war. Most of the recruits are from this city and near vicinity. Nineteen out of the seventy-seven are married men. A large percentage are men who have drilled in the 15th Regiment. The roll of honor of the 15th Regiment is as follows—

- Capt. W. H. Hudson, Belleville
- Lieut. B. K. Alton, City
- Med. Sergt. D. J. Batechelor, Belleville
- Sergt. Adam Haggerty, City
- Sergt. Arthur E. McGlashan, Belleville
- Sergt. Henry J. Price, Belleville
- Sergt. Everett H. Liddle, Belleville
- Sergt. W. Luscombe, City
- Corporal Arthur G. McGie, Belleville
- Corporal Alan H. Ketcheson, Belleville
- Corporal W. H. Wajjace, Belleville

- Robert Galloway Russell
- Edward Barran
- Morley Butter
- William Honley
- Charles Henry Ballinger
- Frank Collier
- David Massman
- Frederick Cole
- Frank Tett
- William J. Anderson
- Charles Carter
- Edward Lord
- Albert A. Tapp
- Patrik Joseph Clacey
- Alfred Edward Evans
- Andrew McBride
- James Johnson
- William Casselman
- Fred York
- Clayton Pickel
- James Ritchie
- Charles Obvey
- Roy Joseph Smith
- John Heagle
- Charles Doyle
- John Bradshaw
- Hugh Campbell
- Arthur Searle
- Edward Woodcock
- Harman Simmons
- Thos. Snyder
- Arthur Dushane
- William Bruce Ferguson
- Frank Elvins
- Charles Robert Fisher
- John Wilkie Collins
- William Hutson
- Bugler Cecil G. Cherry
- Elliott Cole
- Clarence Ramsey
- Kenneth Cairns
- Albert E. Poole
- Donald Sands
- Archie McGillivray
- Levi Phillips
- Philip Maracle
- William John Philp
- E. Snyder
- Stanley Murdock
- Robert Bell
- Fred Bolton
- Fred Fletcher
- R. E. Cummings
- T. P. Cummings
- Byron Fitchette
- Charles Spence
- Harold Horne
- George Holmes
- Arthur Thomas Garner
- Earl Wajjace
- Stanley Babcock
- Harold Albert Goodwin
- Henry Lavender
- Joseph W. McDymock
- John J. Sullivan

- Thomas Ferris, Thurlow
- John Blakeley, Trenton
- F. R. C. Vennell, Trenton
- Harry Woodsers, Trenton
- Horatio Grounds, Belleville
- John Lodge, Frankford
- Joseph McGinnis, Deseronto
- George Sager, Madoc
- William Wilkinson, Madoc
- Edward Burns, Madoc
- Harry Taylor, Madoc
- Archibald McGinnis, Marysville
- Frank Kintock, Madoc
- Harry Barnum, Frankford
- Joseph O'Brien, Plainfield
- Wm. A. Martin, Belleville
- George Conly, Madoc
- Alex. Youngs, Trenton
- Frank Smith, Marmora
- Wilbur Cronkrite, Belleville
- Roy Snell, Marmora
- Archie Hutchison, Trenton
- Harry Bowen, Marmora
- Manohar Gifford, Plainfield
- Geo. Cronkrite, Trenton
- William Deseitel, Trenton
- Louis Papi, Frankford
- Jack Helyer, Madoc
- William Ellis, Madoc
- Cyril Hatchard, Trenton
- Albert Armitage, Marmora
- Sidney Sanford, Stirling
- Charles Lawrence, Madoc
- James Langman, Marmora
- Edward Taylor, Trenton
- Fred Curtis, Trenton
- Oscar B. Chase, Trenton
- Frank Loveridge, Coe Hill
- Richard A. Clarke, Coe Hill
- Wm. J. Johnson, Coe Hill
- Earle Taylor, Coe Hill
- Harry Aylesworth, Deseronto
- Solomon Bardy, Deseronto
- Ira A. Claus, Deseronto
- James Bardy, Deseronto
- Harold Smart, Deseronto
- Frank Carr, Trenton
- Redney Hubbell, Trenton
- Norman Stoneberg, Trenton
- Fred Benson, Ivanhoe
- John Wentworth, Frankford
- Clarence Maracle, Shannonsville
- Robert J. Payne, Trenton
- Arthur Guay, Trenton
- Andrew Clarke, Coe Hill
- Wm. Clarke, Shannonsville
- William Ross, Frankford
- Roy Sharpe, Frankford
- Fred Hall, Trenton
- William Shepp, Trenton
- Roy Thompson, Frankford
- William Garrison, Tweed
- C. B. McConnell, Springbrook
- John Fleming, Stirling
- Herman Sisson, Tweed
- Sam Courby, Deseronto
- Joseph Penn, Deseronto
- Ernest Farrell, Bancroft
- Laverne S. Perry, Maynooth
- Donald Walker, L'Amable
- James Wilson, L'Amable
- Elbert E. Power, L'Amable
- Charles Beak, L'Amable
- John Murdoch, Maynooth
- Charles McCaw, Bancroft
- James Butler, Bancroft
- George Carter, Point Anne
- Oscar Spafford, Trenton
- Richard Maracle, Shannonsville
- James Hewton, Trenton
- F. A. Hollobon, Madoc
- Joseph Krampe, Frankford
- Robert Legue, Holloway

- Privates: Thomas Ferris, Thurlow; John Blakeley, Trenton; F. R. C. Vennell, Trenton; Harry Woodsers, Trenton; Horatio Grounds, Belleville; John Lodge, Frankford; Joseph McGinnis, Deseronto; George Sager, Madoc; William Wilkinson, Madoc; Edward Burns, Madoc; Harry Taylor, Madoc; Archibald McGinnis, Marysville; Frank Kintock, Madoc; Harry Barnum, Frankford; Joseph O'Brien, Plainfield; Wm. A. Martin, Belleville; George Conly, Madoc; Alex. Youngs, Trenton; Frank Smith, Marmora; Wilbur Cronkrite, Belleville; Roy Snell, Marmora; Archie Hutchison, Trenton; Harry Bowen, Marmora; Manohar Gifford, Plainfield; Geo. Cronkrite, Trenton; William Deseitel, Trenton; Louis Papi, Frankford; Jack Helyer, Madoc; William Ellis, Madoc; Cyril Hatchard, Trenton; Albert Armitage, Marmora; Sidney Sanford, Stirling; Charles Lawrence, Madoc; James Langman, Marmora; Edward Taylor, Trenton; Fred Curtis, Trenton; Oscar B. Chase, Trenton; Frank Loveridge, Coe Hill; Richard A. Clarke, Coe Hill; Wm. J. Johnson, Coe Hill; Earle Taylor, Coe Hill; Harry Aylesworth, Deseronto; Solomon Bardy, Deseronto; Ira A. Claus, Deseronto; James Bardy, Deseronto; Harold Smart, Deseronto; Frank Carr, Trenton; Redney Hubbell, Trenton; Norman Stoneberg, Trenton; Fred Benson, Ivanhoe; John Wentworth, Frankford; Clarence Maracle, Shannonsville; Robert J. Payne, Trenton; Arthur Guay, Trenton; Andrew Clarke, Coe Hill; Wm. Clarke, Shannonsville; William Ross, Frankford; Roy Sharpe, Frankford; Fred Hall, Trenton; William Shepp, Trenton; Roy Thompson, Frankford; William Garrison, Tweed; C. B. McConnell, Springbrook; John Fleming, Stirling; Herman Sisson, Tweed; Sam Courby, Deseronto; Joseph Penn, Deseronto; Ernest Farrell, Bancroft; Laverne S. Perry, Maynooth; Donald Walker, L'Amable; James Wilson, L'Amable; Elbert E. Power, L'Amable; Charles Beak, L'Amable; John Murdoch, Maynooth; Charles McCaw, Bancroft; James Butler, Bancroft; George Carter, Point Anne; Oscar Spafford, Trenton; Richard Maracle, Shannonsville; James Hewton, Trenton; F. A. Hollobon, Madoc; Joseph Krampe, Frankford; Robert Legue, Holloway.

- HONOR ROLL: Capt. W. H. Hudson, Belleville; Lieut. B. K. Alton, City; Med. Sergt. D. J. Batechelor, Belleville; Sergt. Adam Haggerty, City; Sergt. Arthur E. McGlashan, Belleville; Sergt. Henry J. Price, Belleville; Sergt. Everett H. Liddle, Belleville; Sergt. W. Luscombe, City; Corporal Arthur G. McGie, Belleville; Corporal Alan H. Ketcheson, Belleville; Corporal W. H. Wajjace, Belleville.

At the opening of Parliament at Ottawa, yesterday, Mrs. W. B. Northrup wore a black velvet gown trimmed with black shadow lace over white velvet ribbon, and diamond ornaments.

GUARDS AT FORT WERE FROZEN

The Soldiers Had a Hard Time—All Order Was Abandoned When Men Struck Ice—Many Needed Medical Attention.

With the wind blowing a perfect gale this morning and driving the blinding snowflakes into the face, the guard of the 14th King's Service at the Fort left Artillery Park to relieve the guard which went on duty yesterday morning. Tramping from the barracks to the water front was not enough, but when the sixty-four soldiers struck the ice, all orders had to be abandoned and every man struck out to make his own way through the storm and over the trackless, snow-covered, ice field. So violently was the wind driving the thick snow that the men lost all idea of their location several times, and with the greatest possible difficulty managed after a hard fight to find the shore on the other side. A number of the men were frozen.

The way up the steep hill in the direction of the Fort was a hard one, and being compelled to carry rifle and bayonet, with the heavy winter overcoat, the men had to fight every inch of the way to make any progress at all. The guard at last reached the Fort very much delayed, and with many of the men suffering from hard nips from Jack Frost, in the face with some on the ears with others, but all of them in a very exhausted and cold condition when they entered the big prison. As a result of their bitter experience, many of the guard had to report sick and required treatment from the doctor. The guard coming in from the Port to Artillery Park also had a tough experience, which they will long remember—Kingston Standard

RED CROSS SUPPLY COMMITTEE REPORT

The Red Cross Supply Committee beg to submit the following report: Donations for January—

- Miss Laura Smart \$1.25
- Miss Mary Moore, Plainfield 5.00
- St. Paul's church, Hoosier 4.00
- Mrs. Gribble 1.00

Total \$11.25
Expenditures for month \$105.72
Bal. on hand 540.63

It will be remembered that the Red Cross Supply Committee sent five hundred dollars to Sir Wm. Osler for this Canadian War Contingent Association, some weeks ago. The following letters were received in reply by the treasurer. Dear Madam: Thank you so much for your contribution which I will send on to the treasurer, who will send you an official receipt. Do tell the members of the Red Cross of Ladies' Patriotic Association how much their kindness is appreciated. I have just returned from a couple of days spent at the camp on Salisbury Plains. The poor fellows have had rather a rough time. The weather has been appalling, but, on the whole, they have stood it wonderfully well, and in good spirits. Sincerely yours, W. Osler.

Canadian War Contingent Association

Dear Madam: Osler has forwarded to me a contribution of \$102.55 from the Belleville Red Cross and Ladies' Patriotic Association to the Hospital of the above association. I understand that Sir William has written you direct, but I must ask you to please offer to all the ladies concerned, my very best thanks for the trouble and interest which they have taken in collecting the amount, with such successful results. The contribution is highly appreciated by all interested in the welfare of the Hospital, and will prove a considerable help in the prosecution of that good work. I have also to thank you personally for forwarding this donation. Yours faithfully, C. M. Cassel, Hon. Treasurer.

The work of getting in more socks is still going on. The Sock Shower is to be held in the Parish House of St. Thomas church, Friday evening, Feb. 12th. An excellent program is being prepared. Refreshments also will be served. Admission. A pair of socks, hand-knit, factory-knit or the cash equivalent.

Three Sons at the Front

Mrs. Wilson, who resides at the corner of Dundas and Fourth streets, now has three sons wearing the King's uniform, one of whom, Henry, has been twice wounded, and who is now an inmate of a hospital. She claims she has considerable difficulty in getting the money due her regularly, but expects matters will run more smoothly as time elapses.—Deseronto Post.

