

Over-Subscription of Victory Loan Probable in County of Hastings

**Total Yesterday Shot Up to \$1361,950—
Rawdon Township Division Wins Honor
Flag—Additional Crests for Bancroft—
Three Crests for the Marsh Engineering
Works—Belleville Somewhat Behind in
Race and Must be Speeded Up to Go
Over the Top.**

Hastings County totals leaped to \$1,361,950 with a splendid day's Victory Loan canvass of \$135,000. This brings up another notch above our percentage of time gone, our lead now being 3.44. With the most productive days of the campaign ahead it is assured that we will have a large over-subscription when the campaign closes next Saturday night. Although nearly every district is doing splendidly there are still a few which are holding our totals back, among these being Belleville which has not started yet to bring in the big returns expected.

Rawdon Township, which has always done so well in previous Victory Loan campaigns, won its Prince of Wales' Flag yesterday, having piled its percentage up to 100.22. Messrs. Thos. Montgomery, T. J. Thompson, and Dr. J. D. Bissanette are all veteran canvassers and each year have made a name for their district.

Another crest for their flag was also won yesterday by Dr. A. T. Embury and Mr. D. H. Morrison, of Bancroft, their percentage now being 139.50. The Marsh Engineering Works have also captured three additional crests for their employees honor banner. This campaign holds the highest record of any industrial organization in Hastings County.

Armistice Celebration. All is in readiness for the big

armistice celebration at the Armouries tonight. A splendid orchestra has been engaged for dancing and comfortable arrangements made for all those who attend. Being purely an evening of entertainment for citizens, no money is to be made from proceeds. Admission is free. The only money which can be spent will be on the splendid home-made refreshments which are to be sold at cost price and in the elimination dance. Numerous enquiries have been made about this event, many people being under the impression that the \$50.00 bond prize will go to the best dancing couple. This is not the case. In order to enter this event, couples will be asked to pay an entrance fee of one dollar for which they will receive a ticket with the two numbers both corresponding to it. One number will be placed in a box and the other kept. As the dance proceeds the music will stop from time to time and several numbers will be picked at random and called. People holding numbers called will stop dancing and in this way the dancers will gradually be eliminated to one couple who will receive the \$50.00 bond prize. The proceeds from this dance will go to pay for the prize and any money left over will go towards the evening's expenses. This event will not be held if less than fifty one dollar entrance fees are not paid.

The United Farmers of Ontario



To the Farmers of Ontario:

The Victory Loan 1919 is of vital interest to the farmers of the Province of Ontario. This will be readily recognized when it is realized that of the total proceeds of the 1918 Loan over \$200,000,000 or 34% of the Loan was advanced to Great Britain and her Allies or the purchase of Canadian wheat and other foodstuffs.

If the farmers of the country are to receive good prices, with a ready market for their products, it is all important that there should be an over-subscription. Then in addition there is the fact that the Loan affords a good investment, almost double the rate of interest obtainable at any of the Banks on deposits, with the whole of Canada as security.

I would like to commend the Loan in the strongest possible way to the farmers of Ontario, and hope from the rural districts a large volume of subscriptions will be forthcoming.

Yours for the Victory Loan 1919, and Prosperity.

THE UNITED FARMERS OF ONTARIO,

Per J. J. Morrison,
Secretary.

The Experience of a V. L. Canvaaser

One of Toronto's genial canvassers called upon a prospect on Monday, a manufacturer by the name of D. M. Grouch. Mr. Grouch was very curt and suggested to the canvasser that he would give the matter his consideration and would reply in writing. The letter which duly arrived, read as follows:—

Referring to our conversation of yesterday, relative to the above matter, I beg to advise you that I have been held up, held down, and bagged, walked on, sat on, flattened out, and squeezed; first by the Canadian Government for war tax, the Excess Profit tax, Victory Bonds, Thrift Stamps, Capital Stock tax, Merchant License tax, and auto tax, and by every Society and organization that the inventive mind of man can invent to extract what I may, or may not, possess.

From the Society of "John the Baptist," the G. W. V. A. G. A. C. United Veterans' League, the Red Cross, the Black Cross, the Purple Cross and Double Cross, the Children's Home, the Dorcas Society, Salvation Army, the Boy Scouts, Jewish Relief, Belgium Relief, and every hospital in town.

The Government has so governed my business that I don't know who owns it. I am inspected, suspected,

examined and re-examined, informed and commanded, so that I don't know who I am, where I am, or why I am. All I know is that I am supposed to be an inexhaustible supply of money for every known need, desire or hope of the human race; and because I will not sell all I have, and go out and beg, borrow, or steal money to give away, I have been cursed, discussed, boycotted, talked ed to, talked about, lied to, lied about, held up, hung up, robbed and nearly ruined; and the only reason I am clinging to life is to see what in H--- is coming next.

However, I am a business man, and, as such, I recognize the importance of this Loan, and I can readily see that unless the people of Canada "come across," business in this country will be so rotten that most of us will have to "go across." For that reason I believe we ought to line up, sign up, or shut up.

I am therefore, enclosing my application for \$30,000.

Yours truly,
(Signed) D. A. M. Grouch.

A Bad Fire at Lindsay

Lindsay, Nov. 10.—Mr. Duncan Ray, Town Clerk, suffered a heavy loss from fire at an early hour Friday morning, when a wood shed and summer kitchen were almost completely destroyed by fire, while some of the contents in the main part of the house were slightly damaged by water.

The origin of the fire which broke out about 2.30 o'clock, is unknown. In fact the fire was not discovered until it had completely destroyed the woodshed and was licking up the kitchen, which is also a frame structure. The worthy Town Clerk had been attending a function in the Masonic Hall, retiring about 12 o'clock. About 2.30 Mr. and Mrs. Ray were awakened by Mrs. Lownsbury, who informed them that the house was on fire. It was evident that the fire started at the extreme north end of the shed, and worked its way through the brick wall of the main dwelling.

The firemen responded and soon had a stream of water playing on the flames also managing to get the flames under control.

Mr. Ray's loss will be considerable.

Joe Smith, a deaf and dumb mute, of Kitchener, was struck by a street car, and was seriously injured.

Co-operation of Board of Trade Solicited

Tivani Electric Steel Co., Ltd.,
Belleville, Ont.,
Nov. 10, 1919.

Board of Trade,
Belleville, Ont.
Gentlemen:—

The co-operation of the commercial bodies of Belleville is solicited to assist in the industrial deepwater terminal development, the Tivani Electric Steel Company Limited having secured conditionally the necessary money for such extensions.

I will be pleased to have a conference with your industrial committee and furnish the information relative to the necessary steps that may have to be taken to encourage this investment to be made in Belleville.

The financial and operating experts are subject to call from New York when the active assets are ready for their inspection which this municipality and district has to tender as securities for the money to be advanced for bonds for this class of construction.

Street car services and radial lines are features to be taken into consideration in conjunction with this industrial annex which would reinforce the purchase of more hydro-electric power and enable cheaper rates to be contracted for.

Plans are prepared for fifty bungalow groups of party-walled dwellings, covering a square block area of two thousand square feet with private park and children's bathing pond in the inside centre, automobile parking accommodations, together with one heating plant and laundry facilities to eliminate the high cost of living, the betterment of human efficiency and to maintain the skilled and common labor trades at the least costs.

The allied industries which will surely follow the initial operating plants, producing all high class alloys, crucible and tool steel, will double the amount of the first investment. The iron ores in Hastings County electrically converted into manufactured products will make a telling effect in paying off a portion of Canada's war debt.

Yours very truly,
A. P. GILLIES.

Won Scholarship In Expression

Young Belleville Girl Successful at Margaret Eaton School of Expression, Toronto.

Miss Frances White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. White, 10 Pine street, Belleville, has won honors not only for herself but for her former teacher, Miss Jessie Tuttle. On Friday evening last at the Margaret Eaton School of Expression, Toronto, where she entered in September last upon the full course in expression, Miss White carried off the J. J. Vaughan scholarship and made a fine showing in her chosen field. The young artist has a fine future before her in the work of expression and dramatic art. Her success is considered remarkable, in view of the fact that she has been attending the school for only two months. Her subject at Friday night's recital was, "A Cattle Thief" by Pauline Johnson, the Indian poetess. Col. Nasmith, who was one of the judges in making the announcement of the winner, said that she carried her message to the audience.

Miss White was a pupil of Miss Jessie Tuttle for some time and a great deal of credit is due to her careful tuition and her inspiration.

Going Up in the Air As a Way to Get Well

London, Nov. 10.—The employment of airships as sanatoria for the treatment of tuberculosis and other diseases is advocated by a doctor who was attached to the British air force during the war. The patients, it is pointed out, would be able to live for several days or even weeks, at a height of about 5,000 feet, enjoying complete rest and breathing air as pure and invigorating as that of any of the famous mountain resorts, which only the rich can afford to visit. The big airships built by Great Britain for war purposes, the doctor says, can be fitted up as sanatoria and except in very bad weather can cruise about for weeks at a time.

Chas. Nantala, Windsor, had his leg broken when he collided with an auto while riding a bicycle.

Good News

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VELVET COATS in Navy, Teal, Brown, Green priced at \$35 to \$49.50.

FUR TRIMMED COATS in a splendid assortment of styles and priced at \$42.50 to \$87.50.

SILKS PLUSH COATS, specially priced at \$37.50, \$42.50, \$45 up to \$75.00.

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NEW SERGE DRESSES, made from all wool material, nicely trimmed, specially priced at \$22.50, \$25, \$29.50, \$35.00, \$37.50 up to \$48.50.

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Hastings County Returns VICTORY LOAN 1919

	Objective	Special Returns	Percentage
Belleville	\$840,000	25,000	425.800 66.53
Trenton	215,000	234,450	109.04 Prince of Wales' Flag
Dokaronto	55,000	58,050	89.30
Stoney	130,000	54,650	43.02
Thindlow	145,000	50,000	55.350 51.96
Thindwaga	75,000	105,550	140.73 Prince of Wales' Flag and Crest
Rawdon	158,000	151,400	100.88 Prince of Wales' Flag
Huntingdon	25,000	19,750	79.00
Hungerton	90,000	69,050	76.70
Maxmore & Lake	12,500	24,300	80.70
Delam	22,500	26,400	117.83 Prince of Wales' Flag
Malce	120,000	50,150	41.79
Tutor, Limerick and Cashed	10,000	15,400	154.00 Prince of Wales' Flag & 2 Crests
Wasterton	25,000	11,600	46.40
Fareday and Dunganon	10,000	13,950	139.50 Prince of Wales' Flag and Crest
Carle and Mayo	7,000	500	
Montague, Harschel, McChure, Wicklow and Bangor	13,000	5,800	44.61
Total for Co.	\$1,300,000	100,000	1,361,950 75.66
Percentage of Time gone	72.22		

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