## **AUSTRALIA'S** CITIZEN ARMY

In Seven Years Universal Liability Has Brought the Anticipated Results—Japan Was

Feared.

In no part of the British Empirein no part of the world perhapshas the modern preparedness question been taken up by the people in a more practical, thorough manner than in the Australian Commonwealth, says the Montreal Star. National defence anywhere is, of course a many-sided question; but as far as the military aspect is concerned, it does seem that the Australian citizen defence force has solved the problem.

The work of the Australian troops; at the Dardanelles has, as all the world now knows, stamped them as. first-class fighting material.

The preparedness of Australia for war was chiefly the result of fear of in the world is so curative for Constipa-Japan. When the Japanese defeated tion and Indigestion as "Fruit-a-tives". the Russians and proved that Japan was a first-class fighting power, the five years, and my sedentary occupa-Australian people began to feel nervous, despite the fact that Japan was Intestinal Paralysis - with nasty Headand is still is, the ally of Great Bri- aches, belching gas, drowsiness after tain. The Australians number just eating, and Pain in the Back. I tried tain. The Australians number just about five million people altogether, pills and medicines of physicians, but but they hold a country of 2,974,581 square miles—that is, a territory to try "Fruit-a-tives", and now for slightly larger than the United States, which has a population twenty times as large. The Australians intend to hold their great country for the exclusive benefit of the white man.

The Australian people being opposed, root and branca, to a large a-tives Limited, Ottawa. standing army, had to devise a scheme that would give them an efficient citizen force. The question for news last week that his son, Private their legislators was: How can we Edward J. Coulter, had been killed in Discussion of address will be led by imposed, graduating from a shilling obtain efficient training without dis- action on Sept. 1st. Pte. Coulter en- Rev. F. H. Howard and Rev. A. R. locating the normal activities of the listed with the 59th Battalion about a Sanderson.

The federation maintains the military system, the separate states having no defence forces.

versal liability to be trained in time that everything possible be done to ment representative. of peace; in other words, the pringive the visiting soldiers a hearty ciple of "preparedness."

training in the senior cadets. Here ed the services, a large audience C. Tucker, Harold. the training is more like the real taking part in the worship.—The thing. The boys now wear uniforms News. and are organized into companies and battalions. The training includes marching, the handling of arms, musketry, physical drill, first aid, guards The Sunday school convention for Smith, Anson.

main bulwark of the Commonwealth's military defence. The period of compulsery service is from eighof the Commonwealth's military defence. The period of the departments of Sunday school work as was shown by the reports the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Walsh.

of whom there are always a few say things are going badly; that the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Walsh.

Verdun should have fallen long ago; cheese, but the captain refused it be-

recent examination as captains.

Four men from Campbellford, in affected by the dry weather.

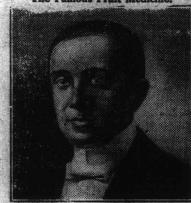
the 139th Battalion were unsuccess—Miss Mildred Clare of Moira was

John Enright has purchased a new week at Eldorado.

Clark, and Corporal D. Page. authorize a new battalion for Victor- home of Mrs. H. Fleming here. ia and Haliburton counties. Capt. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Frances. newly authorized unit.

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year ago and with three others had

a trek through the counties of North-Salem Methodist church at Minto, on By the defence acts of 1903 and umberland and Durham, will arrive Wednesday, Sept. 13. Almost every 1904, all men between eighteen and in Campbellford next Wednesday. school was represented by delegates, through the law; no well-brought-up sixty years old were made liable for They are accompanied by their own a goodly number appearing for some service against invasion in the de- brass and bugle bands and their ar- schools. fence forces in time of war. The rival is being eagerly looked forward Excellent addresses were delivered logical conclusion came in the deto by our townspeople. Mayor Arm by Rev. S. E. Morton, of Bellview, strong requests us to ask that all and Rev. S. F. Dixon of Stirling; and the first time in any English-speak-places of business and residences be also two very fine and inspiring ad-

Word has been received in Peter-Every boy between twelve and borough that a high honor has been fourteen years old must undergo a conferred upon Major the Rev. Cancourse of training in the junior on Davidson in England. He was seadets. The training consists of phy- lected recently to preach in the hissical exercises, a little elementary toric Church of St. Margaret's, Westnarching drill, minature rifle shoot- minster, a distinction rarely gained Geo. Maybee, Wellman's. ing, swimming and first aid. The by a Canadian. The church in questime occupied is about ninety hours tion is the place of worship set aside Wellman's. carried out by school teachers. Commons, and the House was in ses-There now follows four years' sion when Major Davidson conduct-

IVANHOE and sentries, tactical training as a the township of Huntingdon was held company in elementary field work, in the Beulah Methodist church on and also elementary battalion drill. Thursday last. There were two ses-The period of training in the senior sions, afternoon and evening, both of A number from here attended the three golden gates: 'Is it true?' The period of training in the senior stons, attended and evening, both of A number from here attended the three golden gates: is it true: cadets concludes on June 30 in the which were largely attended. Mr. E. Belleville Fair last week but every- 'Is it needful?' and 'Is it kind?' year in which the boys reach the Otter of Toronto was present and de-one was at Shannonville Saturday. ge of eighteen years.

livered two splendid addresses and a

Mr. and Mrs. T. Shannon, Latta,

were the guests of Miss Alice Hanferred to the citizen forces, which, the evening by Mrs. (Rev.) J. T. ley Sunday last. under the direction of the very small Hal, of Stirling, on "The Worth permanent establishment, form the While Life," A keen interest had the eweek-end with Mr. and Mrs. Sunday at the Holiness Movement to make of the war. Our croakers, about Capt. Publow, medical officer nain bulwark of the Common-been taken throughout the year in Jas. Candon.

and C. West on having passed their Halloway visited at the home of the a few days in the Limestone City. tended the school fair at Ivanhoe

Corporal Ernest Doxsee, who went don was held on the public school wee small hours. Corporal Ernest Doxsee, who went don was held on the public school wee small hours.

Overseas a few months ago with the grounds here on Friday last. The John Callahan returned to Otta- in our neighborhood.

ful in passing the final medical exthe guest of her friend, Miss Stella Ford car.

George Foster of Moira.

ia and Haliburton counties. Capt. Mr. and Mrs. Thomasburg were guests of Mr. and Philip Walsh. is altogether likely that he will re- Rev. J. R. Bick, has gone to Tovention being held there.

ill, is improving.

Miss Gladys Kerr of Marmora, spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Albert Clement. Mr. and Mrs. Reid of Trenton were

Sunday. SHANNONVILLE.

A number from this vicinity motored to Shannonville on Saturday to attend the fair

day at Mr. J. S. Calnan's.

day at Mr. B. S. Salisbury's Christian St.

J. S. Calnan's. Mr. and Mrs. A. Weeks spent a few days with friends at Roslin.

visited at Mr. S. D. Noxon's on Sun-

parts unknown.

STIRLING NOTES. for Belleville to attend the Ontario

Business College.

Pace, Esq., of Cordova, S. P. Ford, clous desire to injure another. Esq., M.D., of Norwood, and Rev. J. Endicott, D.D., head of the Dept. of avoid either starting or spreading Foreign Missions of the Methodist any unkind remarks about any one Church in Canada. Dr. Endicott was else, nor will they listen to a person for many years a missionary in Japan who tries to tell them. To repeat and is counted the strongest platform what they have heard, even if known man in Methodism.

been transferred to the 2nd Battalion. ling, Rawdon and Marmora Sunday ables. The 235th Battalion, which is on School association was held in the

ensuing year.

Sec.-Treas.-F. S. Hulin, Stirling.

Supt. Teacher Training Dept. B. Stirling.

Supt. Missionary Dept.-Mrs. J. Brown, Belleview. Supt. of Temperance Dept.-G

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given that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hagerman, spending a few weeks with friends in Miss Emma Lancaster and Mr. Her son or other are unable to operate."

The contractor could not understand officer should be should

latter's uncle, Mr. Thos. Tummon, A very enjoyable time was sepnt on Friday and everyone seemed to Fire again broke out in the Trent on Sunday last. On Sunday last. And Mrs. J. Han-enjoy a very social time together.

Valley Woollen Mills on Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ketchesen, of nifan last Tuesday evenoing when Messrs. Ernest and Percy Tummon morning and again the perfect Roslin, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. they entertained a large circle of and Mrs. E. Emerson took in Shansprinkler system proved its worth C. A. Mitz on Friday. friends who tripped the light fantas-nonville Fair on Saturday. by immediately quenching the blaze. The rural school fair of Hunting- tic on a spacious platform till the

59th Battallon, has been transfered exhibits shewn by the children of the wa last week to resume his studies at Misses Kennedy of Chapman spent to the 2nd Battalion, the unit to various schools of the township were the University. He was accompanied the week-end with Mrs. Harry Mulwhich his brother, the late Lieut. good with the exception of the grain by his brother Dannie who will take let.

broke away from its owner and Next Sunday is Rally Sunday. Come service of the cathedral has been of Messrs. J. D. Thrasher, J. Anderson. Capt. Glass, Lindsay, has been not- Miss Louisa Fleming of Belleville, dashed through the village at an yourself and bring your friends to the very highest order. Prof. Denys A. Vanallen and L. Vanallen. Many ified of the government's intention to has been spending a few days at the alarming rate of speed. No damage our rally service.

ceive an important position in the ronto to attend the Theological con- the two per cent, bar, and there is dent of a board of officers on the who will regret very much that his Vinci showed that the destruction of many a joke cracked regarding the clothing of N.C.O.'s and men of the health reuires that he take a rest the vessel was not attributed to

## **BEGIN ANTI-**

A young girl recently killed herself in an English village. The The stork left a baby girl at the coroner's jury, however, brought in home of Mr. Arthur Bray last week. the verdict: "Killed by idle gossip." Mr. W. H. Mabee spent over Sun- The girl had been guilty of nothing actually wrong, but "the gossip dis-Mr. and Mrs. W. Pine spent Sun-seminated by the women of the village blackened her name until she Mr. and Mrs. Earl Spencer are could bear the suspicious looks and moving back to their old home on spoken taunts no longer, and so she ended her life." The event caused Miss Frankie Embury of Belleville an anti-gossip crusade, an account has been sewing a few days at Mrs. of which appears in Pearson's Weekly (London):

"A society has been formed and rules drawn up. The entrance fee Mr. and Mrs. Howard Vancleaf has been fixed at a nominal sum, because the society desired to embrace all classes, both rich and poor. Mr. Harry Regenburg has left for Our richer women are just as adept t robbing others of their character as are the women of the working classes who chat with each other Miss Laura Holden left on Monday from their respective doorsteps.

Talk From Habit.

The organizers are quite hope-In the Methodist church, Stirling, ful of minimizing the number of a great missionary conference will be gossips, because they are convinced held on Wednesday, Sept. 20, at 1.30 that the worst offenders talk Addresses will begiven by E. C. habit than through any really maliscandal more from a matter of

to be true, is equally as bad as to set the ball rolling. For the first

up to the maximum fine of ten shillings. After ten slips the women The annual convention of the Stirare to be blackballed as incur-

woman, however, ever dreams of throwing mud at her friends.

Does Great Harm.

Supt. of Elementary Grades-Mrs. anything else in the world, and if the ducks, pheasants and the rest are about sixty dollars' worth of goods, organizers of the anti-gossip crusade to Supt. Sec. Division—H. V. Hoover, have only the perseverance and cour-only. Our meat allowance is now also stated that some of the properage to make it universal they will do one half pound per week and y in question was found in their prea year, and the training is chiefly for the members of the House of Supt. A.B.C. Dept.—F. S. Pearce, inestimable good for the general hap-weighed with the bone.

> any one do not forget to let it pass all forms, hot and cold. "These form the motto of the anti- I do not believe them. I think the

CAMPBELLFORD.

of Foxboro were guests of Mr. and
Mrs. James McKee on Sunday

We congratulate Lieuts. A. Scott
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garrison, of
Mrs. Aggie McGinnis is spending

Miss Aggie McGinnis is spending

A number from our vicinity at-

W. J. Doxsee, was attached. and vegetables which were no doubt up a course of studies in the same of t

High School,

**CUSSIP GRUSADE** 

guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Prest on Society Formed and Rules Drawn Up to Put an End to Mischievous Scandalmon

"Members must take a vow to

"If we pick up mud and throw it at a fashionably dressed lady and spoil

ing community the principle of uni-decorated with flags and bunting and dresses by Mr. Otter, the depart-iour, and, in order to strengthen our writer says: that she is too flighty in her behav-upper and middle classes. The G. T. R. Constable J. M. Truaisch belief, we repeat all her trivial little . "The food difficulties are quite Benson Dickson and Donald Beech, The election of officers resulted in indiscreet actions, we are flinging bearable, although annoying espe of Brockville, both G.T.R. brakemen the following being appointed for the mud at her character, and she can cially in the large towns. In most on the charge of breaking and enter get no redress unless it should hap- parts of Germany no milk is given ing a C.N.R. freight car at Napanee President—Ernest Sarles, Harold.

Pen to interfere with the earning of out except to those under nine years of Saturday night last and stealing a vice President—L. S. Weaver, Carber livelihood, or can be proved a of age and the potato crop has quantity of clothing. It is alleged that malicious act.

"Idle gossip does more harm than iful at present. On Oct. 1, venison panee and that the thef which totalle.

gossip crusade."

CROOKSTON.

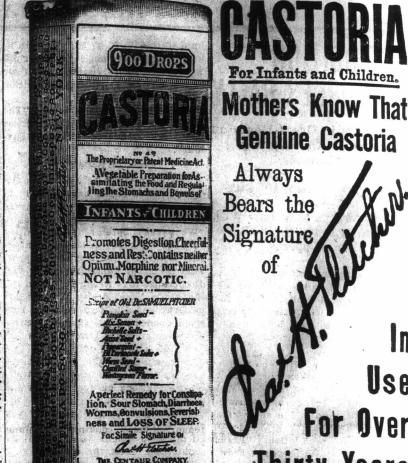
Miss Frances Sullivan spent Sunday

Mr. C. W. Coulter received the sad

We are glad to report that Mrs. departed glory of the institution.

| Many a joke cracked regarding the clothing of N.C.O.'s and men of the least for a time. Prof. Denys will leave alien enemy. Lairth-an paid his fri- there he spent almost all the rest lev.—The Leader.

The Leader.



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able—Huns Miss Coffee and Beer.

London, Sept. 22 .- The Times prints a letter from a neutral in Frankfort, whose occupation, says Donald Belch and Benson Dickthe Times, gives him unusual means of being in touch with a consider-"If, on the other hand, we imagine able number of Germans of the

been disappointing. Game is plent- the train they were on stopped at Na-

inestimable good for the general happiness of the community.

"I was in Berlin the other day

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and there, I think, the shortage is greater than here in Frankfort. No ville police station and were taken to Supt. Home Dept.—Mrs. Watts. join the crusade should begin in sugar is served anywhere, the Brockville at noon today. Sergeant their own family circle and resolve restaurants providing small packets Story was in charge of them. their own family circle and resolve restaurants providing small packets not even to think ill of their friends acquaintances, or those of whom they to the new regulations made by the have little knowledge. When ugly tales are fold them these should be immediately forgotten.

Story was in charge of them.

Inspector Tisdale of the G.T.R. detective service was in town this morning in connection with the arrests.

Both prisoners have been boarding in Belleville on their "runs" from The News-Argus. immediately forgotten.

Before making a statement about Kaiserhof in which it was served in Brockville.

"I dare say you have rumors that fat people are dying freely here, but CHEESEMAKER AND DOCTOR people grumble more at the bad cof- Contractor in Cheese tried to Put it fee and greatly deteriorated beer

# The Efficient Cathedral Organ- tion for a number of years, and Capt.

ist Is Retiring for Benefit of His Health.

Prof. Paul Denys has tendered his Cathedral to take effect at the end of September, and the cathedral auma Jones spent a couple of days last thorities have accepted it with sin- Myrtle Anderson, wife of Mr. R. J. cere regret. Prof. Denys is retiring Anderson, took place yesterday, Rev. ful in passing the final medical examination at Valcartier and have been returned home. They are Privates Wm. Brown, Fred Lince, F. Clark, and Corporal D. Page.

The guest of her friend, Miss Stella Mitz on Friend, Miss Stella the alarming rate of speed. No damage our rally service.

was done however, the horse being of caught and returned to its owner by Gladys Blue are attending Madoc Spratt, and of the rector, Rev. Father and Philip Welch. Hanley, and all the priests connected with the cathedral. He is highly An inquiry into the loss of the The soldier is freely patronizing Lieut.-Col. G. H. Gillespie is presi- esteemed by the people of St. Mary's Italian dreadnought Leonardo da

about the first of October for Montreal, where his brother resides. Prof. Denys was at one time on the staff of the Ontario School for the Deaf, Belleville.

## BRAKESMEN FACE THEFT CHARGES

sen Were Arrested.

Police Constable P. Donovan and last evening at six o'clock arrested

Over Capt. Publow. why a mere medical officer should dare to cross words with him-an expert-on the quality of cheese. He was rather surprised to learn that the RESIGNS POST popular medical officer is a bit of a cheese expert himself. His father has been in the dairy inspector posi-Publow is food inspector for Prince Edward county, and owns and manufactures in two cheese factories.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ANDERSON

The funeral of the late Lillian

### FIRE CAU LOSS

Barns and Out N. Bird, Oak ed Last Eve

A fire of mys troyed the two b ings together with longing to Mr. R. 1 the best known ownship whose h the Oak Hills jus ling gravel road. oticed shortly aft evening by the me ing in a root field r were then bursting one of the barns. I the barn for som Some propound sparks were carri wind from the res Richardson which vesterday. But as two miles that the of the fire seems u Only seconds it nen noticed the f harn was a mass than ten minutes which is located r

fiercely. Efforts were dev of the horses and l younger horses riven out of the s the older work l eave and were bu hogs were in a pen these, about twen were forced out in soon burned.

became ignited and

In addition to t barns contained This included 30 bushels of oats rye and wheat. The were all likewise d large quantities of The entire los neighborhood of \$

there is insurance policy however, co dence and driveh herefore will be b Hundreds of w from Stirling and but the destructi was so quick that no effective assist

house.
As it was the fir fields to the wo to become serious imely aid of the ions of water pre

astation. One of the barr vas older but had ughly repaired.

PRESERVIIG F

The l The fruit is pro nary way, the jars calded while the are boiling. The fr in the jars, in whi placed. When the ealed air-tight the oiler filled with brought to the boi will do if removed point is reached, such as peaches, cl apricots, should ge utes' boiling. Keep

boiler on tight. Country Plu Stone a quart of stew and then sw slices of bread and them in the botton sides of a large bo Pour in the plums the bowl and set it dually. When quit the table and eat it

Stew the damson only sufficient to pr ing; when tender sweeten them wit them stand until th then pour them in with paste, dredge cover them with th and pinch together paste, cut a slit in cover through which scape and bake tw

lore Corns Go

vithout pain. Tak over-night. Never scar. Get a 25c.