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THE CARLETON PLACE HERALD.

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SOCIETY REGISTER

STELLALODGEN No. 125, I.O.O.F. meets every TUESDAY Night in the Hall, in Taylor's Block. Visiting brethren always welcome. Noble Grand, N. D. McCallum. Rec. Sec'y, J. R. Moore.

COURT MISSISSIPPI No. 78, I.O.F. meets every 2nd and 4th MONDAY in each month, at 7:30 p.m., in the Chosen Friends Hall. Friendly attendance of members is requested. Visiting brethren invited. J. F. DUBREUIL, G.R. J. BENNETT, R.S. N.B.—All Dues must be paid in advance on or before the 1st of the month. W. HAMMOND, F.S.

CARLETON COUNCIL, No. 37, C.O.C.F. meets in the Chosen Friends Hall, second and fourth Thursday evenings in each month, at 8 o'clock. Visiting Friends welcome. JOHN BENNETT, C.C. JOS. McFARLANE, Rec.

COURT ORION, No. 634, C.O.F. meets in the Chosen Friends Hall, first and third Monday in each month. Visiting brethren always welcome. J. A. McLAUREN, G.R. G. W. DAINES, R.S.

DISTRICT NEWS.

APPLETON.

Special to THE HERALD.
Mrs. Glossop, of Toronto, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pye. Mr. Glossop spent the week-end.
Mrs. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ashman and family, all of Ottawa, spent Sunday with Mr. Geo. Ashman, sr.
Mr. Roy Houston is visiting his sister, Mrs. E. H. Turner.
Mr. and Mrs. Strang and Mrs. Watt, sr., all of Lanark, spent Sunday with friends here.
Miss Jennie Black, of Toronto, is the guest of her sister, Miss Minnie McGregor.
Mrs. John McIntosh, sr., who has been visiting her grandchildren at "Cedar Ridge," returned to her home at Union Hall on Sunday.
Miss Annie Paul spent the past week with friends in Clayton.
Miss O. Saunders, of Carleton Place, was the week-end guest of Mrs. E. H. Turner.
Miss Kathleen Teskey spent the past week with her sisters in Ottawa.
Mr. H. Watt returned home from Lanark on Sunday.
Miss M. C. Wilson spent last week with Mrs. John Turner.
Mrs. and Miss Cameron spent the week-end in Lanark.
The monthly home missionary concert is to be held next Friday evening.
Next Sabbath is to be Children's Day in St. Andrews church, special service in the morning.
Mrs. F. Forsythe, who has been visiting her parents for some time past, returned to her home at Cedar Hill on Sunday.
The anniversary services in connection with the Presbyterian church, are to be held on Sunday, Oct. 3rd morning and evening. Dr. Guthrie of Baltimore, but who has been supplying pulpits in Montreal and Ottawa for the past eighteen months is to preach at both services. Special music is being prepared by the choir. The annual tea-meeting will be held the following evening, when Dr. Guthrie is to give a lecture.

LANARK.

From the Era.
Messrs. Stanley and Jack Joss, of Almonte, brothers of James and Frank Joss of this place, have enlisted with the 73rd Highlanders of Montreal. Mr. Archie McLean, who was employed as painter here this summer with Mr. James Joss, has joined the band of the 77th at Ottawa.
Miss Mary Montgomery, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Montgomery, of Drummond, left last week for Boston, Mass., to become assistant superintendent of a nurses' home. Miss Montgomery is a recent graduate in domestic science from Macdonald Hall, Guelph.
Mr. Thos. Brown has resigned his position as boss dyer in the Clyde Woolen Mills and leaves early next month for his old home in Selkirk, Scotland, where he intends enlisting in Kitchener's army. "Tom" left yesterday for Newark, N.J., to visit relatives, but will return here before leaving for the Old Country.
Mr. Geo. McIlquham was severely bitten by a dog—his own favorite collie, by the way—on Friday morning last. He was sending collie to the pasture after the cattle and gave him a shake to waken him up and hasten him on the journey, when the dog turned on his master and bit him on the right arm. George then undertook to administer a chastisement when he was again attacked, this time being bitten on the left arm. The wounds, which were quite severe, were dressed by Dr. Scott and are now healing up nicely. Notwithstanding these serious infractions of discipline, Mr. McIlquham still retains possession of the dog and bears him no malice, as he has heretofore proved a very faithful animal.
There died at Reston, Manitoba, on Saturday, Aug. 28th, in her 62nd year, a highly esteemed member of that community and a member of a family well and favorably known in the Lanark district, in the person of Agnes Caldwell, wife of Daniel C. Munro, and daughter of Agnes and John Caldwell of the Township of Darling, Ont. Mrs. Munro had been a sufferer from the dread disease cancer for the past two years and her great suffering was borne with cheerful christian fortitude.

PERTH.

From the Express.
Miss Veronica Foy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Foy, was operated on Monday in St. Francis hospital, Smiths Falls, by Drs. Cornell and Dwyre, for the removal of the appendix. The appendix was successfully removed, and Miss Veronica is recovering nicely.
There was a break in the main street system on Cockburn street last week.

CANADA'S GREAT HARVEST.

Ottawa, September 13th. In a bulletin issued to-day the Census and Statistics Office publishes its annual preliminary estimate of the production in Canada of the principal grain crops (wheat, oats, rye barley and flaxseed), as well as a report on the condition of all field crops at the end of August.

YIELD OF PRINCIPAL CEREALS, 1915.
The preliminary estimate of this year's wheat crop in Canada is a total of 308,839,800 bushels from 12,986,400 acres, representing an average yield per acre of 23.78 bushels. This total is 147,559,800 bushels, or 91 p.c., in excess of last year's inferior yield of 161,280,000 bushels, 77,122,800 bushels or 33 p.c., in excess of the previous highest yield of 231,717,000 bushels in 1913, and 112,814,000 bushels, or 58 p.c., in excess of the annual average yield of 196,029,000 bushels for the five years 1910 to 1914. In acreage, average yield per acre and in total yield the present estimate is the highest on record for Canada. Of oats the total yield for 1915 is estimated at 488 million bushels from 11,365,000 acres, an average yield per acre of 42.94 bushels, the figures of yield also constituting records never previously attained for the Canadian oat crop. Barley is placed at 51,655,000 bushels from 1,509,350 acres, an average per acre of 34.22 bushels. Rye yields 2,385,700 bushels from 112,300 acres, or 21.24 bushels per acre, and flaxseed 12,199,600 bushels from 1,009,600 acres, or 12.08 bushels per acre.

GRAIN HARVEST OF THE NORTHWEST PROVINCES.

The estimated total production of wheat in the three Northwest provinces (Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta) is 275,772,200 bushels as compared with 140,958,000 bushels last year. In Manitoba the total is 77,514,200 bushels, as compared with 38,605,000 bushels, in Saskatchewan 155,233,000 bushels against 73,494,000 bushels and in Alberta 43,025,000 bushels against 28,859,000 bushels. Oats yield 301,051,000 bushels in the three provinces as compared with 150,843,000 bushels last year, barley 33,303,000 bushels against 19,535,000 bushels, rye 657,000 bushels against 514,800 bushels and flaxseed 12,118,000 bushels against 7,063,000 bushels.

It should be noted that the foregoing preliminary estimates of yield are compiled from the reports of correspondents whose judgement, based largely upon the luxuriant appearance of the crops in the field, may possibly not be sustained by the final actual returns from the threshing machine. Revised estimates of yield will be published in October and final estimates after the completion of threshing at the end of the year.

CONDITION OF FIELD CROPS.
A notable feature of the past growing season has been the steady maintenance from month to month of high figures indicating condition. From May 31 to August 31 the figures for wheat, oats, barley and rye have been maintained at over 90 p.c. of the standard representing a full crop. For the whole of Canada the figures of condition at August 31 also exceeded 90 p.c. for mixed grains; they were between 80 and 90 p.c. for peas, beans, buckwheat, flaxseed and root and fodder crops and were below 80 p.c. only for corn for husking (79) and hay and clover (71). Conditions for harvesting in the west were described by correspondents as generally favorable during August. Towards the end of the month severe frosts did some injury, but fortunately they came too late to cause widespread damage to grain. In the Maritime provinces and in other parts of Eastern Canada excessive rains delayed ripening or interfered seriously with the ingathering of hay and grain.

Despatches to The London Times from Dvinsk, Russia, say the Germans are losing two men to every one the Russians lose.

Wm. J. Bryan has come out flat-footed against the proposed Anglo-French loan. It would be "taking sides," he declared.

A London (Eng.) motor magazine says Germany has now only fourteen sea-going submarines, two of them in the Mediterranean.

Hamilton hotelkeepers have decided to refuse liquor altogether to soldiers in uniform or even in multi if they know them to be soldiers.

Manitoba is to collect the sum of \$250,000 in succession dues from the estate of the late Lord Strathcona, who had large holdings in the province.

The Dominion Board of Railway Commissioners has issued a draft order for compulsory connection between independent telephone companies and the Bell Telephone Company.

Steffanson, the arctic explorer, was definitely and directly heard from a few days ago at Ottawa, and is apparently safe with his party in Baillie Island. He was last heard of a year ago, adrift on an ice floe, and in some quarters was since given up for lost.

That is, in the storm sewers used to carry off the surface water. The sewer committee of the council had the break repaired. This sewer was laid in 1903, and a part of it relaid in 1904, when a break occurred at that time.

The owner of the animal that broke from its herd on Craig street the other day, and destroyed some property at Mrs. Lester's, called on Saturday last and settled for the damages. Both parties regret a case of the kind.

Capt. James Rowe, of the dredge, is now working at the landing. The men have finished blasting and drilling for the season. The channel between the basin and Dowson's has been greatly improved and widened the past three years by dredging, and another season will see still further improvements.

BALKAN CRISIS NEAR

Kings of Bulgaria and Roumania Are in Conference.

Bulgaria Has Received a Note From the Allies Demanding to Know Her Position—Turks Are in Bad Plight and Enver Pasha is Reported to Have Declared Capital in State of Siege.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The situation in the Balkans and at the Dardanelles has reached a crisis.

Czar Ferdinand of Bulgaria and the King of Roumania are reported to be holding a conference at "a place on the Danube," the location of which is kept secret. It is believed this conference will decide the action of the Balkan powers. The chief interest lies in the fact that the action of the Balkan League will decide the all-important Dardanelles campaign.

Bulgaria must answer soon the allies' joint note demanding that she make known her position. The Bulgarians as a people appear to be satisfied for the time being with the concessions obtained from Turkey, but Berlin newspapers are discussing the possibility of a Bulgarian attack on Greece and Serbia in an effort to regain the territory taken from her as a result of the second Balkan war. So desperate is the plight of the



THE KING OF ROUMANIA.

Turks that Enver Pasha is reported in despatches from Rome as having declared Constantinople to be in a state of siege. The central powers are preparing to detach 500,000 men from the Russian front and hurl them to the assistance of their Ottoman ally, according to the same source.

Every ounce of allied strength is being brought to bear against the Dardanelles, and the Turks are nearing a total collapse, it is stated in authentic despatches reaching here last night.

It has become a race between the allies and Germany as to which will get to Constantinople first. Germany's victories in Russia have given her for the moment a high prestige in the Balkans. If the allies can take the Turkish capital, however, all the central empires' representations in the Near East will fail.

Conditions in Constantinople are reaching a state of panic, it is stated. Crowds parade the streets daily demanding bread. Turkish officers gather on the street corners to discuss the disastrous condition of the Ottoman Empire.

Priests have been called upon to quiet the mobs, the civic and even military authorities having reached the limit of their authority, Rome hears. Several regiments are reported to have refused to go to Gallipoli, where the Turks are declared to be fighting with their backs to the wall and without hope, unless Germany can show a way to their relief in a short time.

The Turks are reported to be transporting all their heavy artillery from Adrianople, Kirk Kilisseh, Tchatalja and other points to the Gallipoli Peninsula.

This is pointed out in Berlin as an indication that the Porte no longer fears that Bulgaria will listen to the allies, as it removes the strongest defenses from the section which would be the point of Bulgarian attack.

Bulgar Leaders Want Coalition.

SOFIA, Sept. 20.—The Opposition leaders at their audience with King Ferdinand declared that it would be fatal for the country to continue its neutral policy, and in order to safeguard the country against a policy which would be contrary to the interests and sentiments of the nation they recommended the formation of a coalition Cabinet and the immediate summoning of Parliament.

The King listened attentively to the speeches of the Opposition leaders and promised to consider seriously the views expressed by them. After the audience the King summoned Premier Radoslavoff.

German Sub. Torpedoes Another

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 20.—Norwegian fishermen who have arrived at Stavanger, on the south-west coast of Norway, state that off the Island of Usine, near the entrance to the Gulf of Stavanger, a German submarine by mistake torpedoed another German submarine. They believe that the sunken vessel had been disguised to look like a British submarine. The boat exploded and sank with its crew.

Ample facilities are available for financing the Western crop without making hurried marketing necessary.

Dr. Dumba, the Austrian Envoy at Washington, charged the United States with showing favoritism to the Entente allies.

The Mission Board of the Anglican Church received news of the death in India of the wife of Rev. Dr. G. B. Archer.

One feature of the Western wheat crop this year is the large number of districts producing grain grading "No. 1 Hard."

Dr. Geo. B. Sippi an eminent organist and formerly professor of music in Hellmuth College, London, died suddenly in the Public Library of that city of apoplexy.

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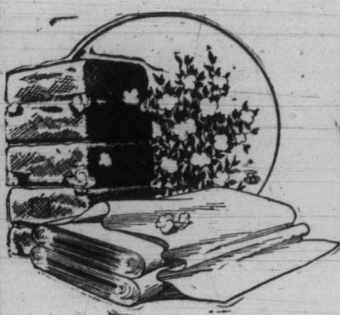
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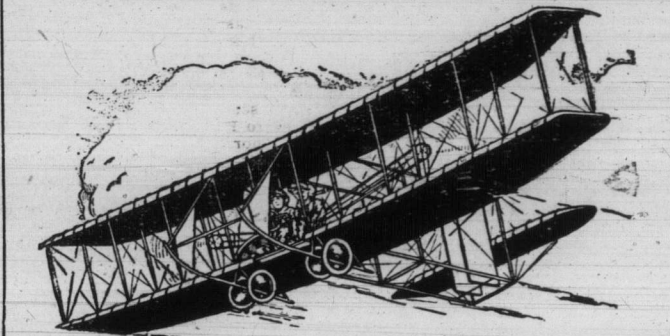
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