

RODE SEVEN HOURS ON THE BOAT'S RUDDER

Remarkable Adventure of a Deckhand on the Steamer James Follette.

The steamer James Follette, in port with a cargo of baled pulp from Murray Bay, Canada, brought a remarkable tale of a sailor's exploit as the steamer was bound down the river on her previous trip. A deckhand, named William Quinn, aged 23, becoming suddenly crazed, leaped overboard while the Follette was lying at anchor abreast of Varennes, eleven miles below Montreal, between 3 and 4 o'clock in the morning. Nobody saw the man jump but when the vessel got ready to weigh anchor the mate reported to Captain Harry Redfern that Quinn was missing. The captain ordered the boat searched but no trace of the man could be found. Still believing that Quinn had stowed himself away somewhere in the hold of the vessel, which was travelling north, Capt. Redfern gave the order to proceed. The Follette was approaching the eastern end of Lake St. Peter when she passed a tug bound up the river. The tugman hailed the Follette's crew as they passed and made signs with their hands, but neither their words nor gestures could be understood by the Follette's crew. Not long after that the steamer was passing a dredge the crew called out that there was a man clinging to the rudder of the steamer. Capt. Redfern as soon as he learned of the situation, ordered the boat stopped and sent men over the rail to investigate. They found Quinn the missing deckhand, perched on the rudder with his arms around the rudder post. He was in a state of collapse from exposure and mental strain. When questioned by the captain after being lifted to the deck, Quinn said that he leaped overboard to escape imaginary pursuers. There was a gasping short distance from where the steamer was lying at the time and Quinn made for it. His strength failed, he swam back to the vessel and worked his way along the side until he reached the rudder, on which he clung. He remembered there were seven hours before his presence was discovered. Capt. Redfern ordered Quinn locked up in a cabin and placed a sailor on guard to see that he did not harm himself. When the vessel reached Quebec the captain notified the police who took charge of the deckhand. The Follette proceeded to Murray Bay and on her up trip stopped at Quebec and picked up Quinn, who by this time had quite recovered from all effects of his strange adventure. Quinn was on board the Follette when this port was reached and appeared to be none the worse.—Osgoodeburg Republican.

IT COME ON YOU VERY GRADUALLY

KIDNEY DISEASE A MENACE TO BE GUARDED AGAINST

Mrs. Peter C. Johnson Tells How Her Old Grew into Bright's Disease and was Finally Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Kenora, Sask., Nov. 20th. (Special)—After suffering for about two years from backache that finally developed into rheumatism and Bright's disease. Mrs. Peter C. Johnson, a well known resident here found a cure for all her troubles in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I was troubled with a cold," Mrs. Johnson states. "That left me with a pain in the back. My muscles would spasm and I had nasty backaches. My sleep became broken and unrefreshing. I had dark circles under my eyes and I was often dizzy. It was not till first rheumatism and then Bright's disease were added to my troubles that I realized that my kidneys were the seat of my troubles. When I commenced to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Five boxes made me well. Now if I have any symptoms of kidney trouble I just get a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. They never fail to give satisfaction wherever they are used."

If you follow Mrs. Johnson's example and use Dodd's Kidney Pills when your kidneys show symptoms of being out of order you will never be troubled with Rheumatism, Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's Disease.

NAPANEE.

Mrs. Stephen Gibson of Belleville, spent a few days in town this week. Rev. M. Hall, of Strirling, who preached in St. Andrew's church last Sunday, was the guest while in town.

British Plantation Rubber Is Saving Canada Millions

Low Prices of Rubbers and Overshoes Due to Britain's Control of Situation

Here in Canada many of us have fallen into the truly Anglo-Saxon habit of considering the "Mother of Parliaments" slow and a bit behind the times. The present price of rubber, when its cause is revealed, affords one of the many proofs that such an opinion is away off the mark.

Thanks to great rubber plantations established in the face of criticism and ridicule, many years before in her tropical Dominions, Great Britain at the outbreak of the war held a firm and tightening grip on the world's supply of raw rubber—a grip reinforced by her dominating navy. From 60% in 1914, the production of these plantations has grown this year to 75% of the whole world's output, leaving only about half the requirements of the United States alone to come from all other sources.

The result has been that the needs of the Allies, enormous though they are, have been plentifully supplied, while Germany has been reduced to registered mails and the "Deutschland" in desperate attempts to mitigate her rubber famine. Neutrals have been allowed all the rubber they want, at prices actually lower than before the war, so long as they prevent any of it from reaching the enemy, while Canada and other parts of the Empire have an abundant supply at equally favorable Government-regulated prices.

In this foresight and generosity of the British Government lies the reason why rubber alone, of all the great staples, has not gone up in price—why rubbers and overshoes, in spite of increased cost of fabric, chemicals and labor, are as inexpensive as ever, while shoes are costing several dollars a pair more. Wearing rubbers or overshoes through this winter to protect these expensive shoes is more than practical thrift—it is grateful patriotism, for in thus saving leather we make it easier for the Government to secure the absolutely necessary supplies of this alarmingly scarce material for our soldiers.

Both Thrift and Patriotism Point to Rubbers!

of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Thompson.

Miss Ethel Robinson, Sandhurst, has just returned from a two weeks' visit with her cousin, Mrs. Chas. L. Ackerman, Belleville.

A very interesting event took place at the Red Cross, room on Saturday afternoon when the Royal Canadian Humane Society's medal was presented to Pte. Horace Ward, of the 5th Field Co., Canadian Engineers, son of Mrs. G. C. T. Ward, of Napanee. Pte. Ward, it will be remembered, saved the life of Miss Mary Armstrong, at Bon Echo Lake, in July, 1915. The young lady had gone out beyond her depth and had sunk three times when Mr. Ward saw her, and plunging in at once, made the gallant rescue. The Red Cross room was filled with a large audience when at 4.30 p.m., Rev. J. H. Coleman, as chairman, introduced Mrs. Flora Macdonald Denison, of Toronto, who, after a very interesting and appropriate address presented the medal to the recipient of the well earned distinction.—The Beaver.

CAMPBELLFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunkley have returned home from Trenton where they have been since the first of October looking after Mrs. Anderson's affairs. Mrs. Anderson has been at Toronto undergoing an operation for appendicitis and other trouble. This is the third operation but the doctors have hopes that the patient will recover.

Mrs. C. Nancarrow received word that her son Frank, who enlisted in the 32nd at Calgary, is at present in a hospital at Brighton, England. The nature of his wounds is not known but they are not thought to be serious.

Mrs. (Capt.) G. C. Bonnycastle sailed for England last week where she will join her husband. Word has been received as to the condition of Pte. Jas. Eagleston who was wounded some time ago on the Somme front. In addition to losing an eye, one leg was badly shattered by a bursting shell. He will likely be in the hospital for some time.—The Herald.

CHAPMAN.

Quite a change has taken place in the weather it being very cold. About an inch of snow covered the ground on Thursday night.

Miss Helen Emerson of Trenton, spent last Sunday at her home here. The children of our school are busy practising for the Christmas Tree and a good programme is expected.

Miss Helena Fluke of the O. B. C. of Belleville, spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Fluke.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Simmons of Foxboro spent Wednesday and Thursday with friends in Chapman.

Mr. Wm. Elliott arrived home on Thursday with a fine deer.

While on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Mullett, Moira, Mr. James Adams was taken seriously ill with pleurisy and pneumonia. Dr. Mather was summoned and we are glad to say Mr. Adams is improving.

Lieut. K. F. Ettinger, 5th Field Co., Can. Engineers, is in Napanee for a few days recruiting for the engineer training depot, St. Johns, Que. His office will be over Paul's bookstore.

As a result of several visits to Bath by the Chief of Police, acting for the License Inspector, five citizens of that place were before the magistrate this week in charges of being intoxicated in a public place, being fined \$10.00 and costs each.

The firemen had a run Sunday evening about 6.30 to the home of Mr. E. G. Wright, Dundas street, where a small fire had started. The services of the firemen were not needed, as the fire was soon extinguished with but little loss.—The Express.

SUNDAY'S SLAG CHARMS BOSTON

Famous Evangelist Attacks Divorce Evil in City of Beans and Culture.

Boston, Nov. 20.—Billy Sunday carried Boston by storm in the opening sermons of his revival here. More than 50,000 persons heard him in his tabernacle.

"I must not use slang on cultured Boston," said the revivalist, when he went on to point in as vivid slang as was ever heard from a Boston pulpit or stage just what he would do with the man who divorced his wife for any reason except unfaithfulness. He said that the slang of yesterday was in today's dictionary. He mentioned, "nothing doing," "twenty-three for you," and "you lobster," with abandon, and cultured, high-brow Boston seemed to enjoy it.

In the morning sermon he stood on the chair. In the afternoon he climbed on top of the pulpit. In the night sermon when he scored the society woman as a luxurious idler, of no value to the community, and said he was with the Catholic church on the divorce question, he went from chair to pulpit and then paced up and down in front of the stage.

"President Wilson, in his speech of acceptance, when nominated again at St. Louis, leading Congress for passing bills regarding child labor and for other reforms. I am with Mr. Wilson in the passing of any law for alleviating human misery and suffering and for safeguarding human lives, but not one word was in his letters or in those of Mr. Hughes against the most damnable, vile, corrupt, cesspool, sewerage business that ever weighed its corpse out of the pit of hell.

"I serve notice on the Democrats and Republicans that the anti-saloon element of Americans holds the balance of power, and that we're going to see who gets to Washington four years hence."

MANITOULIN FARMERS IN DRIVE ON ANIMALS

For some time the bears and wolves have been killing sheep and cattle on the Western end of Manitoulin Island. Some farmers have lost sheep valued as high as \$75 in one season, and cattle have been worried to death in some cases. The animals are increasing in number and they are now so numerous that many of the farmers say that they cannot afford to take chances of losing their best lambs and young cattle and many go out of business.

Mr. J. Campbell, of Burpee, has been talking the matter over with his neighbors, and they have devised a scheme to exterminate the bears, wolves and foxes. They propose to assemble about 300 men armed with horns, whistles and rifles. Leaving Mills Township, with the men scattered across the Island from the north to the south shore, they are to march westward, tooting their horns and whistles, and making all the noise they can, and until they reach the peninsula at Mississauga, where the beasts will be shot. The farmers plan to cover the ground in about 3 days, camping at night and building fires all along the line to prevent the animals from getting back past them.

If the plan works out as expected the hunters will make money out of it, as the hides obtained would be worth considerable money.

"THE BATH CITY OF AMERICA"

The name of Mount Clemens, Mich. is familiar throughout America and is known in Europe. Its mineral springs have relieved a great many persons of rheumatism, neuralgia and other ailments. The hotels of Mount Clemens are open the year round, are modern and first-class and their rates are reasonable. Mount Clemens is best reached via the Grand Trunk Railway. Splendid train service. For full particulars apply to H. C. Thompson, City Agent, G.T.R., 30 Bridge St., Phone 493.

LIED TO REST.

The funeral of the late John Simpson took place yesterday from the residence of his mother Grier Street. Service was held at the house and grave in Belleville Cemetery by Rev. S. C. Moore. The bearers were immediate relatives. Many friends were at the obsequies. There were numerous contributions of flowers.

WHEN BUYING YEAST INSIST ON HAVING THIS PACKAGE



DECLINE SUBSTITUTES

MOVIES TO BE MADE IN CANADA

Dreams of Big Men Interested in This Field of Possibilities Soon to Be Realized.

STUDIO AT TRENTON

Jerry Shea Endorses Great Enterprise Which Will Produce Pictures by Xmas.

The Baldwins could never have built their shops if an optimist had not seen the possibilities of a locomotive in mist of a tea kettle. It was an optimist that rolled in the gutter of starvation and was called a fool until he had set the fingers of steel and brass together which prints this paper. And it is this same golden sun of optimism shining so brightly into the eyes of Mr. George Brownridge that he could not see failure when he first conceived the idea of a modern moving picture studio for Canada. The discouragements and apparent impossibilities in the earlier stages of development would have defeated a yellow-haired weakling, but Mr. Brownridge knew better all the time and now sees the dream of his ambition fast becoming a reality.

Two years ago Mr. Brownridge was a salesman for a picture exchange. He knew from his acquaintance with the film market that there was a great opportunity and a golden harvest for the man who would establish a studio in Canada, which would get not only a share of the \$7,000,000 sent annually to the United States for film, but also get a superior product from some of the brainiest men and women in the world—the Canadian writers.

Canada is the land of virgin thought and virgin scenes so far as the moving picture business is concerned. Money was required, and a lot of it, to develop this project. One after another of the wealthy men Mr. Brownridge approached turned a deaf ear. "It would never go," "there is not sufficient market," and a thousand other discouragements were offered, until one big theatrical man, Mr. Jerry Shea, saw the logic of such a proposition and agreed to finance a large part of the undertaking.

A company under the name of the Canadian National Features, Limited was formed under the Joint Stock Companies Act of the Province of Ontario with an authorized capital of \$500,000. Sufficient capital was quickly subscribed for building the studio, and a large concession was given by the town of Trenton, Ont., to have this studio located there.

The building is now in a well-advanced stage of construction. Camera men, directors, actors and workers in the manufacture of film have been engaged. A great number of surprisingly good scenarios from Canadian writers have been secured and more are being advertised for. Mr. Brownridge, who is now the general manager, says that the Canadian-made moving picture films will be a reality and will be shown in Canada before Christmas.

The Canadian National Features will be the trade mark of "Made in Canada" films.—Sunday World.

Miller's Worm Powders act so thoroughly that stomachic and intestinal worms are literally ground up and pass from the child without being noticed and without inconvenience to the sufferer. They are painless and perfect in action, and at all times will be found a healthy medicine, strengthening the infantile stomach and maintaining it in vigorous operation, so that, besides being an effective vermifuge, they are tonic and half-giving in their effect.

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LIBERALS HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Belleville Branch of Hastings Liberal Club Elected Officers.

The Belleville branch of the Hastings Liberal Club held its annual meeting and election of officers at the club rooms last night. There was a large attendance of the leading Liberals of the city and great enthusiasm prevailed.

Owing to the absence of the president, Mr. E. J. Butler, on account of illness, the chair was taken by the honorary president, Mr. F. E. O'Flynn.

The election of officers resulted as follows:— Honorary presidents—Messrs. Thos. Ritchie, D. V. Sinclair and E. J. Butler.

President—W. S. Smith. Vice-President and Chairman of the Executive—F. E. O'Flynn. Vice-Pres.—Mack Robertson, Dr. E. O. Platt, Gordon Peterson, J. O. Herby.

Fin. Sec'y.—J. H. Carr. Rec. Sec'y.—Jos. Templeton. Treasurer—Chas. Whelan. Chairmen of Polling Sub-division— 1. Foster Ward—J. Penny. 2. Samson—D. Gallagher. 3. Samson—Ira Thompson. 4. Ketcheson—S. Bongard. 5. Ketcheson—A. F. Sherman. 6. Baldwin—F. M. Barrett. 7. Baldwin—W. D. M. Shorey. 8. Bleecker—Blake Ives. 9. Bleecker—Geo. Madden. 10. Coleman—Don Bleecker. 11. Coleman—Harry Phillips. 12. Murney—Myers Gilbert. 13. Murney—Wm. Dumaine. 14. Murney—L. C. Yeomans.

After the election of officers, Mr. F. E. O'Flynn, Mr. D. V. Sinclair, Mr. Mack Robertson and others briefly addressed the meeting.

The following resolutions were submitted and carried unanimously. Moved by Joseph Templeton, seconded by J. H. Carr: "That this club place on record its sorrow at the loss the club has sustained by the death of Mr. A. Wallace, its appreciation of his faithful and splendid service in the by-gone years and its sympathy for his wife, daughter and other members of the family, and that Messrs. F. E. O'Flynn and J. O. Herby be a committee to draft a letter of sympathy to Mrs. Wallace and her family."

Carried unanimously with a silent standing vote. Moved by Rev. W. D. P. Wilson, seconded by Mr. Gordon Peterson: "That the Hastings Liberal Club place on record its appreciation of the splendid services of Mr. W. Rowell Esq., K.C., the leader of the Liberals in the Ontario Legislature in the great questions of Reform which have arisen in our Legislature. Our admiration for his splendid efforts on behalf of Recruiting and of the Red Cross and Patriotic Associations, of his untiring efforts in the interest of the soldiers at the front, the maimed, wounded and worn-out soldiers who have returned. Our hope is that he may be long spared to serve his country and that very soon he will represent the Crown as Premier of this great Province with a good majority behind him."

Moved by W. S. Smith, seconded by Dr. Platt: "That this Club place on record, at its annual meeting, its continued admiration and fidelity to the Right Honourable Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his associates their approval of his loyal support of the Government in all proper steps in connection with the present contest, and their congratulations that he has passed his seventy-fifth milestone on life's journey, and their hope that the closing of his life may be filled with happiness by the victory of our armies abroad, and the passing of the control of this great Dominion into the hands of the great Liberal Party."—Carried unanimously and with cheers.

POINT ANNE ITEMS.

The Sunshine Knitting Circle met at the home of Mrs. Pineegan, Thursday evening, twenty-five members were present.

Mrs. W. Terry has returned home after a pleasant visit in Deseronto. Miss Myrtle McDonald spent the week-end with her friend Miss Beatrice in Deseronto.

The funeral of the late David Laughlin took place on Thursday and was largely attended.

Mr. Geo. Laughlin has returned to Queen's University after attending the funeral of his father.

Mrs. Ellis of Marmoras is a guest of her parents, Mrs. F. Arthur. Mrs. W. R. McDonald is spending a few weeks with her daughter Mrs. McConnell of Cardova Mines.

Miss Lena Huck who has been in Belleville for the past few months has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Farlow spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. P. Palmer.

THE BLESSING OF A HEALTHY BODY

Has Not Had An Hour's Sickness Since Taking "FRUIT-A-TIVES".



MR. MARRIOTT, 78 Lees Ave., Ottawa, Ont., August 9th, 1915.

"I think it my duty to tell you what 'Fruit-a-tives' has done for me. Three years ago, I began to feel run-down and tired, and suffered very much from Liver and Kidney Trouble. Having read of 'Fruit-a-tives', I thought I would try them. The result was surprising. During the 83 years past, I have taken them regularly and would not change for anything. I have not had an hour's sickness since I commenced using 'Fruit-a-tives', and I know now what I haven't known for a good many years—that is, the blessing of a healthy body and clear thinking brain."

WALTER J. MARRIOTT.

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CHRIS. LEWIS RETURNS HOME

Belleville Boy Invalided Home—Was With Motor Transport.

Christopher Lewis, a Belleville boy whose home is on Lewis Street, returned from England today at 1.40 by C.P.R. He left Belleville nearly two years ago and has been engaged with the motor transport department. He has been invalided home because of rheumatism. He looks the picture of health.

Corporal Lewis was greeted at the station by a large number of citizens and relatives and by the entire staff of the Electric Company, with whom he was formerly employed.

A procession of decorated cars was formed which passed through the main streets to the Lewis residence on Lewis Street.

150 SOLDIERS LEFT TODAY

Joined Comrades This Afternoon at Cobourg Barracks.

One hundred and fifty soldiers of the 335th battalion under command of Captain Dickson, climbed aboard a coach of the G.T.R. this morning in front of the Barracks, (canning factory) and were removed to Cobourg for winter quarters. The departure took place quietly about 11 o'clock.



LIEUT.-COL. CHAS. ACKERMAN, Officer in Command 247th Battalion.

Major Charles Ackerman has been given command of the 247th battalion of Peterborough with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. The former of Lieut.-Colonel. Lt. Col. Johnson has resigned. Lt.-Col. Ackerman, it will be remembered went overseas with the First Canadian Contingent and was wounded very severely at Langemark.

The 247th has been granted the privilege of recruiting in Peterboro, Durham and Northumberland, Prince Edward, Hastings, and Lennox and Addington.

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