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CANADIANS IN ACTION.

Rev. Father O'Leary, Roman Cath-olic chaplain with the first Canadian contingent in South Africa, has written a graphic description of the marching and fighting of the men in South Africa, to his brother in Ottawa. The letter says: "We have just completed our terrible march of one hundred miles
—one that will rank among the greatest achievements in military history Our average for the last five days was twenty miles a day—the most of which was through a ravaged and deserted country, where even water is at a pre-To say that both men and animals dropped by the wayside gives but a faint idea of the awful ordeal we passed through. You must naturally teel anxious to know how I passed through it. Well, I only fell out twice, and that for a few hours only, thus doing my average like the youngest of the men, and with no greater fatigue.

I have not been sick, physically, a single day, but sick at heart often, alas, too often Never, never, will I foaget the terrible work we have gone through, from the day we charged the " 3x3 " " 4.50 enemy at Paardeberg, until we drove him from his laager on that memorable Monday night, or rather, Tuesday morning. The awful scenes are all vi vid in my memory. Had I the necessary talent I could easily transfer them to cauvas, rivalling Detaille at his best. Take the for ing of the swollen Modder River, or the wild charge made on Sunday, Februa y 18, just as the shades of evening were deepening. What weird, soul-stirring pictures they would make. Then, the forlorn hope turning the Boer laager in the depth of night, when our brave boys held each To 12x15 feet square at..... 20.00 other by the hand at arms' length, not to lose each other, as they stole forward on the enemy's trenches.

But what of the scenes of the field after the battle. The expressions of some of the upturned faces, some be-smeared with blood, baffle description Here a poor fellow would seem plunged in childlike slumber, Further on, the distorted features of another would easily attest the indescribable agony he had endured before the Almight relieved him of his sufferings, whilst now and then, the fierce yell seemed ready to break forth from the open eyed and open-mouthed soldier, as with clenched hands, he fell, shot through the heart.

But what of the sad and hasty burial of our dear boys They had marched and fought, shoulder to shoulder, blade beside blade, nor were their ranks broken in death. Side by side they were tenderly, lovingly laid, to sleep were tenderly, lovingly laid, to sleep in a foreign soil, their long last sleep. Peter's charch. LEWIS & PATTERSON in a foreign soil, their long last sleep.

Another trying moment was, when in the early hours we were lying al-

most within touch of the larger. Oh, Among our Dress Goods most within touch of the larger. Oh, how that hell-fire mowed down every will be found the new goods for the Spring sea. hoisted the white flag and surrendered, hoisted the white flag and surrendered, and when day broke, the Boers hoisted the white flag and surrendered, hoisted the white flag and surrendered, and the search of the leading foreign and We offer the best production of the leading foreign and son. We offer the best production of the leading foreign and the best tribute ever given to Canadomestic looms at prices as low as possible, consistent with dian worth and Canadian bravery. style and quality, and we ask our many customers to look here. While everyone of the other regiments is loud in our praise, we can well af ford to be proud of our brave boys. They are indeed worthy of it."

The Ottawa Civil Servant.

H. F. G., in Toronto Star, says: He is beautiful to behold in his spring lot on Concession street owned by E. garments, his stand - up - lie - down collar, his bright cravat, his flamboy ant waistcoat, and his trowsers turned up to show that his shoes have a genuine ten cent shide. Also he has a cane and a pair of reddish kid gloves, which he carries at least a foot in front of himself, so as to give you the impression that the cane is taking him out for a walk, rather than that he is taking the cane. It is the mode in Ottawa, if Ladies' Ready-to-wear Skirts in Alpaca...... 2.35 you want to be considered civil service, not to allow the cane to touch Ladies' Ready-to-wear Skirts in Fancy Blacks..... 2.45 the ground. It must always be held Ladies' Ready-to-wear Homespun Suitings ... \$9.50 to \$16.50 like a musket at the "present," and your general carriage must be that of a military man in mufti. Also you must be careful about your accent, and when anytody asks you the time of day, you must say, "Hawlf affter four," or whatever the case may be.

2. not good form to smoke anything tan a cigarette on the street.

cut a Stomach—Than

TUESDAY, May 1 .- Miss Jackson of Plum Hollow is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Gifford.

The funeral of the late Mr. King took place at Rockspring yesterday.

Much sympathy is felt for the family of Mr. Simeon Loverin in their sickness, they having been poisoned by eating horse radish, but we are glad

to report that they are all recovering.
Mr. Talmage Smith of Smith's Falls,
and L. Smith of Athens, have been
visiting their mother, Mrs. M. E. Smith, recently.

We are pleased to report that Mrs.
Richard Kerr is able to be out of bed

again after a severe attack of rheumatism that she has had. We hope she will soon entirely recover.

It is rumored that Mayor Reid is to

move his office from the Grand Central to the Webster block on Main st. Mrs. Thos. Hoy and two children, of Prescott, have arrived at the Buster House, where they intend spending the

The sidewalks are in a very dange ous condition on Mill street.

CRANWORTH

MONDAY, April 30 .- Fishing is the Mr. Oscar P. Blancher will conduct

the cheese factory this year. We presume he has moved his family back. He is all in readiness for a start. On Wednesday Mr John A. Looby

and Mr. Orvil Nichol of Lombardy were the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Oscar P. Blancher.

Mr. Nelson and Ernnie Jones of Frankville paid Cranworth a visit on Sunday.

The people are glad to see Mr. John Toffie around again.
Mr. W. M. Singleton of Newboro

was a guest at the cheese factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Blancher of Addison were guests of his brother, Mr. O. P. Blancher.

The farmers are busily engaged in owing their seeds.

SEELEY'S BAY

Monday, April 30 .- Mrs. C. Float and daughter, Miss Jessie Float, left in the hands of the road commissioners last Thursday for their home at Inglawood, Chicago, A. Neal will commence the season's

operations on his brick and tile vard next week. Steam power, for the first time, will be used this season.

L The new bell for Su

their show rooms covered with galvanized iron.

The reflection of the big fire at Ottawa was plainly seen here. The open division held by Amity Division S. of T, last Monday evening was a decided success. The division room was tilled to its utmost limit. A fine programme was given which was well received, and a pleasant time was

spent by all present. Mr. A. Jackson has purchased the C. Collinson.

A Difficuit Problem.

An interesting suit over life insur ance has been before the courts at Tor-onto. Oscar Shaver of Brampton died of blood poisoning. He was insured in the Independent Order of Foresters for \$2,000 payable to a young lady, Miss Thompson, to whom he was enance has been before the courts at Tor-onto. Oscar Shaver of Brampton died Miss Thompson, to whom he was engaged. Before dying, he made a will bequeathing this insurance money to his brothers and sisters. His executor and brother, H. H. Shaver, asked the and invalidated the beneficiary certificate held in the I. O. F. and that he and his sisters were entitled to the money instead of the said Miss Thomp-There had been an attempt to change the certificate by petition to the I.O.F. but the order said that intention had not been carried out. The will was made only a few days before death. The I.O.F. was ready and the following letter from one of his willing to pay the sum to whoever the was entitled to it. After a careful consideration of the case, the court has decided to give effect to the wishes of the deceased as expressed in

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The municipal council met in special day evening last. All the members Clerk reported that he had examin-Brockville and had been offered same if you have a local or personal item F.O.B. at Brockville for \$75. On motion, clerk was instructed to accept offer and make arrangements for trans-

by the Ottawa and Hull fire.

On motion, Mr. Rappell was authortrees attended to at once at the lowest rate possible.

to make the best arrangements possible.

The Clerk volunteered to be at the fire hall on Friday afternoon to receive contributions of clothing or bedding in aid of the sufferers by the Ottawa and

Abolition of Toll-Gates.

arrived here on Thursday last and is that the offer of the company is now in his mug the wheels are going round.

by-law providing for 40 per cent of the where am I at?—Ex.

A considerable number of the rate payers of Athens strongly favor the removal of the gates, but, are they willing that the village should contribute 60 per cent of the cost? That is the question. The submission of a money by-law costs considerable and the council should be fully assured that

will not raise enough stuff to keep the concern going.

There will be no place for the tramp in Ontario hereafter. The experiment was made last fall of a round-up of the professional tramps and putting them in gaol over winter, and the experi ment was so successful in lessening the number of offences that the Attorney-General has decided to order the adop tion of a similar policy every spring and fall.

"This is to give you notice that I and Miss Jemima Arahands.

People often ask if we charge for an item of local news or a personal mensession on call of the reeve, on Mon- tion. We never charge for any news items. If our columns are used to Present. Minutes read and approved. publish matter that is to benefit the advertiser we want a share of the proed the road-roller belonging to town of fits, but news is what we are after and

C. C. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, demonstrates portation of same to Athens.

On motion, the sum of \$50.00 was placed to the order of the reeve to be forwarded to the relief of the sufferers

Agriculture for Ontario, demonstrates most effectively the value of the agricultural and dairying interests of the province in the following table: Per capita, the fisheries yield \$4, the mines \$5, forests \$16, and agriculture \$120. showing that the latter is immeasurably ized to engage Jos. W. Kerr to take the most important. Gold is valuable, charge of the sprayer belonging to the but the entire world's gold production, village and arrange to have all fruit \$280,000,000, is only equal to the returns realized from farm produce in The crushing of the stone now piled doubt very important, returning about \$30,000,000 annually; yet our cows return very near as much in value as the output of Canadian minerals of all sorts.

"Sing a song of swelled head, fellow full of gin, coming home at 4 a.m. Hull fire. See item in another column his wife won't let him in. His feet are full of tanglefoot, his head is full of wheels; the keyhole runs around the What is the uncil of Athens going knob; he a funny feeling feels. He the proposed purchase of road? We understand upon the ground: all the time within being placed in position to day (Saturday).

The canal is free of ice.

Gilbert Bros. are having the roof of favored securing the removal of the buy a dozen drinks, and various other gates memorialized their council to take thoughts, he thinks and thinks and action and as a result their decision in thinks. But when the morning cometh, the matter has been clearly declared, and coueth soon at that, he looks aviz. : they will submit for approval a round and murmurs, "Great Snakes !

Mr. McLeod, of Leith, Ont., walked into the store of a local druggist in Owen Sound at which he has purchas-

had people for being bad, for us truthfully to say that we than others.

Bhoumatism Made Misery-South Ameri-

the council should be fully assured that there is a reasonably strong feeling in favor of it before incurring the expenditure.

Some of the stockholders in the Perth canning factory want to wind up the business. The Expositor says the chief trouble is that the farmers will not raise enough, stuff to keep the

"AS GOOD AS DEAD." Heart Disease that Baffied the Cleverest

Physicians Gives up the Fight—Dr. Ag-new's Cure for the Heart Wins Again. It isn't a bit of boast to say that Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart works A Yorkshire vicar recently received miracles every day. A Toronto lady, living on Queen street west, was given by her doctor "'til morning at most to live," and when the life cord seemed

bella Brearley are coming to your just about to snap this great remedy church on Saturday afternoon to under-was suggested as a last resort—and go the operation of matrimony at your it saved the life -stopped the pain in-Please to be prompt, as the side of 30 minutes, and to-day she is The reflection from the great fire at cab is hired by the hour. Forewarned enjoying excellent health, free from all heart suffe.ing. Sold by J. P. Lamb.

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