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A NEW PRIVILEGE**Finance Minister Announces that all Victory Bonds may be Registered**

The following announcement has been made from Ottawa:—The finance Minister of Canada has issued a new instruction in connection with the Victory Bonds, which will be of much benefit and importance to many small investors. He has decided to grant the privilege of the registration of all bonds, that is to say, that bonds of all denominations, including the \$50 bond, may be registered as to principal and as to principal and interest.

In previous loans the privilege of registration was necessarily confined to bonds of the larger denomination, such as \$1,000 bonds or more. Bonds of lower denominations were issued as bearer bonds, with coupons attached, and while carrying equal benefits as to principal and interest were liable to become lost by the owners. Under the privilege now given by the Finance Minister, the buyer of any bond (whatever the denomination), may have it registered, in which case the interest will be paid by cheque, and the bond, if lost, may be replaced after proper evidence has been shown.

It is believed that this privilege will be greatly appreciated by many thousands of small investors, who will thus be assured of the absolute safety of their investment even against fire or carelessness or any other accidental cause of loss. This improvement in the issue will involve extra work upon the Department of Finance, but Sir Thomas White considers that its benefits will more than offset the labor involved.

The Soldier's Vote

The soldiers' vote, so far as Ontario is concerned, is likely to be an important factor in the coming election. In 1911 the total vote in this Province was 355,738, the smallest in a dozen years. In 1914, the largest vote on record was polled, when 462,450 ballots were cast.

The force recruited in Ontario up to the present is nearly 200,000 men, and every one of these, whether or not he has reached the age of twenty-

one years, will have the right to vote under the new Franchise Act. It is easily seen, then, that nearly half the votes cast in Ontario will be by the soldiers.

WARWICK COUNCIL

The Council met Monday, the 19th Nov., as per adjournment. Members all present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

Brodie—Percy, that we go into a Court of Revision on the Catt Drain Bylaw, with the Reeve in the chair.—Carried.

Higgins—Parker, that as there are no appeals on the Catt Drain the by-law be read the third time and finally passed and the court of revision be closed.—Carried.

The following accounts were passed:—
John McCormick, tile furnished, \$ 6 30
Corn Growers' Association, grant, 30 00
W. W. Edwards, 2 sheep and two lambs killed by dogs, 60 00
Ben Gregory, lamb killed by dogs, 10 00
A. Kent, services sheep inspector, 1 00
H. Mansfield, wren, inspector, 5 00
Geo. Prince, wren, on Ladell drain, 307 00
George Rivers, gravel furnished, 80 35
Russell Clark, allowance on Beacom drain, 25 00
Jno. W. Blain, allowance on Beacom drain, 176 00
Jno. W. Blain, work, Beacom dr., 400 00
N. Herbert, tickets for D. Ratigan and Elkins Shaw to House of Refuge, 1 75
W. James, 3 lambs killed by dogs, 54 00
A. Bryce, gravel furnished, 68 55
B. Morningstar, " 7 90
O. Gilmer, " 6 45
Ed. Robertson, damage to buggy and self and Mrs. Robertson, 30 00
Ed. Robertson, sheep inspector, 5 00
Parker—Percy, that the Reeve and Mr. Higgins examine the Cook Drain about the complaint of Robert Laws with power to act or report on same.—Carried.

Higgins—Percy, that this Council take no action with regard to Thos. Gavigan's road work or any other work in Ed. Caughlin's road beat returned undone in 1917.—Lost.

Yeas—Higgins and Percy; nays—Hobbs, Brodie and Parker.

Brodie—Parker, in amendment, that this Council take no action in regard to Thos. Gavigan's road work or any other returned undone by Ed. Caughlin in 1917 without legal advice.—Carried.

The Council then adjourned to meet on Saturday, December 15th, at 10 o'clock a.m., for general business.

N. HERBERT, Clerk.

DIED

In Sarnia, on Monday, Nov. 19th, 1917, Norman Roy Williamson, son of Murray Williamson, aged 25 years, 8 months.

In Bridgen, on Friday, Nov. 9th, Mr. Hugh Nichol of Plympton township.

At Grand Bend, on Thursday, Nov. 8th, 1917, Mrs. Philomena Granville.

In Brooke, on Saturday, November 3, 1917, Eliza Annett, beloved wife of Wm. Dolbear.

In Mosa, on Thursday, November 8th, 1917, Donald A. Ferguson. Aged 74 years, 9 months, 12 days.

SWEATER COATS SPECIALLY PRICED AT SWIFT'S

Men's Heavy Sweater Coats, greys only, sizes 40, 42, 44—\$1.75; Men's Brown and Fawn 42 only, a big heavy coat \$3.00; Men's fine extra heavy coats \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$6.50—all colors.

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FOR SALE—Dwelling house and lot on Watford street. Will be sold cheap. The house is suitable for moving and will be sold off the lot if desired. Apply to MRS. W. FOWLER, Box 7, Watford. n9-3

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CARD OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ruth desire to express their deep appreciation of the kindness and sympathy shown the family at the time of their recent bereavement.

BORN

In Watford, on Tuesday, Oct. 30th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Russel Robinson, a son.

In Watford, on Saturday, Nov. 17th, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Spalding a son.

In Watford, on Monday, Nov. 19th 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Russel Williams, a daughter.

In Watford, on Sunday, Nov. 11, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Jackson, a son.

MARRIED

In Detroit on Saturday, November 3rd, Dr. Gordon S. Macalpine, formerly of Petrolia, to Miss Jessie E. McKenzie, of Desriot.

At the Methodist Parsonage, on Saturday, Nov. 10, 1917, by the Rev. A. E. Moorhouse, Mr. Clarence C. Levitt, of Watford, to Georgina B., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Evans, of Bosanquet.

Why You Should Buy Victory Bonds

First, because you are a Canadian. Your country is at war. Our neighbors were attacked by the vandals, of Germany. Canada joined civilization going to the rescue. If you do not want to help in the work of the good Samaritan you are not a Canadian.

Second, if you have money to invest it is your duty and should be your pleasure to bear cheerfully your share in your cost of the war.

Third, Victory Bonds are as safe an investment as anything in the world! After the war they may quite probably sell at an advance, and since you buy them at par that advance would represent additional profit.

Fourth, they are tax exempt. Fifth, as a tax-exempt bond yielding 5½ per cent., they return a handsome interest.

The Victory Bond is a weapon for the stay-at-home and a wonderful weapon.

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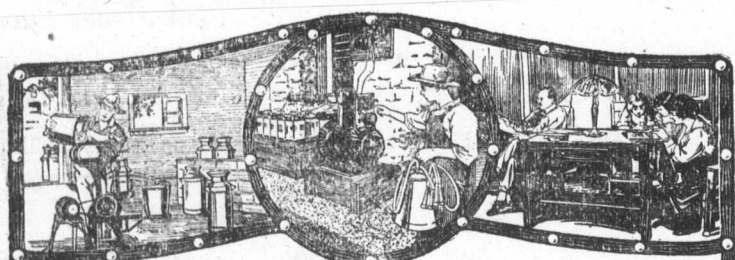
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