Prophet Sees End of War ENTHUSIA AYRS in October

(Ellen Adair in Boston Advertiser)

London, April 29-"When will the war end ?'

We are all so tired of hearing the question !

For every one has a completely different answer, and every one can only surmise-and hope !

In London, however, we have the most popular prophet in the whole of Britain, a gentleman who takes his deduction from the stars and who rejoices in the name of"Old Moore" and in the title of astrologist.

This particular prophet does not shut his eyes and go into a day dream nor does he produce a crystal globe, nor any of the paraphernalia of the usual soothsayer.

"I am not a fortune teller," he informs you. "but an astrological diviner of future events by a science which is as exact as mathematics or geology.

"The stars never lie! And it is written in the stars that the war will end, so far as fighting is concerned in October of this year. There will then be six months' 'pourparler,' and peace will be signed in Berlin, 1918."

"And what of the Kaiser? What will happen to him?'

"He will escape to America, where he owns much property! His pursebearer has gone there before him."

"Will he never return to Berlin?" "Never! Emphatically never!" "Will the Crown Prince reign in his stead.'

Never! Emphatically never!" "Will the house of Hohenzollern disappear altogether from the world?"

"In 1922 a great effort will be made to restore the monarchy, but -here I hesitate. The writing on the stars is not so clear on the subject."

"Will there be a revolution in Germany?"

"Yes, and a red revolution, too! The people, realizing how the Prussians have duped them, will revolt and avenge their wrongs. There will be a terrible day of reckoning for the Vaterland when the truth comes home to the people, as come it will! I shrink from telling you what appears!"

There was a pause. "Old Moore" gazed reflectively into space. "Remember that the leaders of senates and armies have consulted the stars. he continued, "or they have employ ed astrologists to do so-before embarking on great undertakings. "Napoleon was a case in point.

Skeptics may call 'it superstition. But that is the wrong word!"

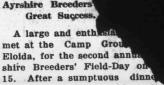
"What about the U-boat campaign?" asked someone.

'The stars tell me that the U boat is beaten," was the answer. "That fact will come home to the

German nation with fatal effect." "Old Moore" further predicted that Belgium would be rehabilitated. Turkey finally driven out of Europe by Russia, and that English women would get the vote in October, 1918

LOCAL ITEMS

Charles F. McConnell, a former resident and A. H. S. student has enlisted with the United States Marine Corps serving with CompanyC. at Mare Island California.



splendid program of addresses given by President of the club, Mr. Bass, presiding.

Mr. Stephen Secretary of the Ayrshire Breeders' Association was the first speaker. He spoke of the satisfactory progress of the Ayrshire Breeders' in the past, and was very enthusiastic about the future. Ayrshire cattle have never been more popular than at the present day. With the improvements being made they are certain to grow in greater favor than ever. Mr. Stephen pointed out that as the record made by Ayrshire cattle were very largely done under normal conditions, the splendid adaptibility to unfavorable conditions and the hardiness made them especially suitable for certain districts Mr. Stephen also spoke of the value of advertising in the disposing of surplus stock, and mentioned instances of very remunerative returns from a single advertisement.

A. C. Hardy

Mr. A. C. Hardy of Brockville gave a very interesting and inspiring address upon the possibilities of agriculture and particularly in purebred stock, and quoted instances of recent sales of Holstein and Ayrshire cattle which indicated an unlimited demand for high quality cattle.

Professor Barton Professor Barton, of Macdonald College gave a lengthy address dealing with many phases of cattle breeding. He regarded cattle breeding as an exacting science, and fitting and exhibiting one of the fine arts, as the exhibition standard the Ayrshire cattle were so minutely defined and rigidly adhered to. Professor Barton also gave an illustration of the standard of perfection

al work on judging. Mackie Henderson Win Compe tition

desired for Ayrshire as on practic-

Cattle used for demonstrating purposes were contributed by Messrs. Henderson, Hamblin, and Smith. The \$5.00 prize donated by A. C. Hardy, and the bronze trophy by the Breeders' Club for the judging competition was won by Mr. Mackie Henderson, Athens.

Local and District News Gananoque will celebrate Dominion Day-Monday, July 2nd.

Mr. Alf Scott lost a valuable horse last week through sickness

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smith, of Carthage, N. Y., were last week guests at Mr. and Mrs. Jet Hawkins.

Mr. James Lervear and Miss Celia Smith, of Brockville, were guests over Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Jet Hawkins.

Reeve M. B. Holmes and Reeve A. Ferguson are in Brockville attending the session of the Counties Council which opens to-day.

The campaign day of the W. M. S. of the Methodist church will be Tuesday of next week.

Intercessionary service will be held in Christ's church Wednesday evening.



THOMAS TROTTER ath took place at Portland, day of Mrs. Thomas Trot the villages most highly residents, following a ralysis suffered on Frilast. Mrs. Trotter had always

at vicinity and was be She was a very active c demise comes as a severe shock to her many friends.

Surviving are five. daughters and one son, Mrs. Charles McGee, Brockville; Mrs. Clayton Sly, Mrs. George Bvington. Portland; Mrs. Fred Burns, Watertown, N. Y., Mrs. Jas. Stanton, Winnipeg, and Charles Trotter at home. In religion the deceased was an

Anglican. The funeral will take place on

Thursday morning at ten o'clock. The new verandas and sleeping

porch on Mr. Jos. Thompson's cottage at Charleston Lake are being completed. The improving of property at the lake is a good sign. Every year sees additions to cottages and new ones going up. The road between Athens and Charleston is a feature that detracts from the value of the summer resort, and every means ought to be used to have this highway fit for travel. At the present time it disgraces this part of the country.



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HENRY D. ROWSOM

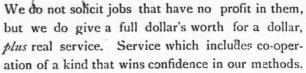
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Robert Swayne, student at the Belleville Institute for the Deaf and | Mrs. Beach on Monday night. Blind, is home on vacation at the Rectory here. He has passed the Entrance Examination to High Schools, and will take a year of High School work at Belleville.

On Tuesday Mr. Lorne Cummings, of Lyn, motored out to Athens bringing Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Scruten and daughter Gladys of Calgary, to call on Mrs. Helen E. Cornell. Mrs. Scruten was a daughter of the late James Cummings. Mr. Scruten had been attending the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church to which he was a delegate.

The catechumen class of the Methodist church, of which Miss Belle Wiltse is the leader, will hold their annual picnic in the afternoon of Saturday next. All the members of the class are requested to meet at the home of their leader at 2 o'clock sharp and then will all go together to the woods. Swings will be arranged; refreshments served; and a jolly time is assured.

To defray expense of reshingling the roof of the Presbyterian church and one or two other special items of expenditure, it has been decided not to hold a supper or social as was at first arranged. A subscription list has been opened ; three or four generous promises have been received and the congregation will be canvased during the next few days. Donations from others will be thankfully received.

Dr. Nash and Mrs. Nash and Dr McLaughlin were guests of Mr. and

Mr. Wallace Johnson, of Carleton Place, spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Flossie Chathem, of Montreal is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thompson

Mr. and Mrs. Marilles Stevens. Plum Hollow, left Monday for Edmonton, Alta., where they will spend the summer

Rising Sun Lodge No. 85 A.F. and A.M will attend divine service in Christs church (Anglican) on Sunday June 24 which is St. John, the Baptist's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Slack, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beach motored to Brockville Tuesday morning to attend the marriage of their niece, Caroline Billings to Mr. E. B. Crandall of Patterson, N. Y

At a meeting of the Quarterly Board of the Methodist church, Mr. Walter C. Smith was appointed recording steward in place of Mr. Wilson Wiltse, resigned, who has rendered a number of years of devoted service to the church.

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