

## MANY DEATHS IN THE CITY

Death has reaped a rich harvest in Belleville and district over the weekend, the toll being the largest this season.

### JAMES A. KELLY

On Sunday night James Arthur Kelly, passed away in his 21st year from typhoid and hemorrhage. He was the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kelly, Donald Street, College Hill, and was born in the 6th concession of Thurlow. He came to Belleville about 4 years ago. By occupation he was machinist of the Belleville Hardware Company. Later he had been employed at Marsh & Henthorn's munition works. His illness was of three weeks' duration. In religion he was a Presbyterian. He was single. Besides his grief-stricken parents two brothers and one sister survive, George, Willie and Jennie. The remains will be taken to St. Andrew's cemetery, Thurlow, for interment.

### ANDREW ARCHIBALD

Andrew Archibald passed away at his home at Corbyville. He was born at Teledoddy, Scotland, in 1837. He came to Canada at the age of 20 years. He lived most of his life at Corbyville where he followed the occupation of tanning. He was in religion a Presbyterian. For some time he had been in ill health, suffering with heart trouble. He leaves his widow, two sons, John of Cannifton, William of La Kawanua, New York and four daughters, Mrs. Scollard, Toronto, Mrs. Dundas, Batavia, N.Y., Mrs. L. T. Johns, College Hill, and Mrs. Smallhorn, Corbyville.

### W. J. HARVER

William John Harver passed away at his home in Thurlow on Sunday morning at an early hour from creeping paralysis. He was 66 years of age and by occupation a farm laborer. In religion he was a Roman Catholic.

### MRS. ANNIE E. FUDGE

Mrs. Annie Elizabeth Fudge, wife of Fred Fudge died last evening at her home on Anderson street. She was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Carter, Avondale. She was in her 36th year and was born

in Bristol, England. Four years ago she came to Canada. Besides her husband four children survive. She was a Methodist in religion. Mrs. Fudge had been ill but a week with pneumonia.

### MRS. ALFRED COOK

Mrs. Alfred Cook, 76 Geddes Street, died this afternoon after a short illness. Further particulars tomorrow.

### DANIEL SIMPSON

Word has been received here by friends of the death of Daniel Simpson, a well-known resident of Belleville at Rochester where he was visiting. The remains will be brought here.

### CHARLES B. FOSTER

After an illness of some duration with a malady of the heart, Charles B. Foster, passed away at his residence, Front and Dundas streets last evening, in the 56th year of his age.

Deceased was born in Hastings Co., and had resided in Belleville for the past twenty-three years. He was a son of the late Benjamin Foster and was prominent in building circles as a contractor. He was in religion a Methodist. Besides his widow he leaves two daughters, Mrs. P. J. Hiltz, San Diego, Calif., and Miss Helen at home, two step-sons, Clarence and Wilbur Sherry; two brothers, Dr. Thos. N. Foster, Belleville, and Henry Foster of Calgary and three sisters, Mrs. Phillips, Rednersville, Mrs. Elizabeth Davis, Calgary and Mrs. Main, Kingston.

The late Chas. B. Foster was highly esteemed and his death at a comparatively early age is deeply regretted.

## Late Martha E. Casey

Martha E. Casey, daughter of the late Wm. and Margaret Casey, passed peacefully away at the home of her niece Mrs. Hugh Bagley of Sidney on Feb. 8th, 1916. Deceased was in her 82 year and was born in the 8th concession of Thurlow, the greater part of her life has been spent in Belleville and Picton. A few weeks ago she went to visit her niece and was taken ill with a gripe and pleurisy pneumonia followed, and although not expected to recover her death was not unexpected so soon, and came as a shock to those nearest.

The funeral took place on the 10th from Sidney to Zion church, 8th concession of Thurlow of which the deceased has for many years been a member. Rev. Mr. Huffman of Plainfield and Rev. Mr. Sharpe of Sidney conducted the funeral services and interment took place in Jones' cemetery. Deceased was followed to her last resting place by many friends and several nieces and nephews who are nearest in relation, all the brothers and sisters having gone on before.

## Laid at Rest.

The funeral of the late Miss Christine Urquhart took place on Saturday afternoon, many citizens being in attendance to pay their last tribute of respect to the veteran teacher of Belleville Public Schools. The service was held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church by the Rev. A. S. Kern, M.A., who paid feeling reference to the career of the deceased. The bearers were Lt.-Col. Thos. Stewart, R. Mallory, J. A. Roy, W. C. Reid, W. McGie, and W. J. Campbell. Interment was in Belleville cemetery.

All that was mortal of the late Mrs. James Ketcheson, Sidney, was laid to rest on Saturday afternoon in the Belleville cemetery. Rev. Dr. Blagrove of Christ church conducted an impressive service in the presence of many friends. The bearers were Lt.-Col. W. G. Ketcheson, Howard Ketcheson, Chas. Ketcheson, Blake Ketcheson, Harry Ketcheson and Harry Boyce.

## Laid to Rest.

The funeral of the late Margaret Latta, of Thurlow was held Friday from the residence of her son, Mr. William Latta, to Victoria Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Wilson of Cannifton officiated. The bearers were Messrs. A. McCammon, P. Mott, W. Latta, A. Latta, D. Shorey, and F. Swain.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that the firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE, FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A.D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, (Seal) Notary Public

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## Thanks Canadian Express Company

A letter has been received today at the headquarters of the Canadian Express Company, through the European Traffic Department, London, England, from Lieut.-Col. D. W. B. Spry, A. A. & Q.M.G., Canadian Training Division, dated Ghent, Jan. 9th, '16 which reads as follows:

"I have pleasure in complimenting all concerned at the very satisfactory manner in which Canadian Express parcels for Canadian troops at this station have been handled. It may be stated that at 10 o.m. on Christmas Day every parcel received up to that time had been delivered to the unit to which addressed belonged. I take this opportunity of complimenting your representatives at Folkestone for the very courteous way in which they met the suggestions made by the Canadian Military authorities and for the splendid co-operation which they gave to our plans."

## John Street Jots

In speaking on the subject of Patriotism yesterday morning Rev. Mr. Currie chose as his text 2nd Sam. 10:12 "Be of good courage and let us play the men for our people." Patriotism like love and courage is an invisible entity but manifest itself variously. Referring to the patriotic spirit of the congregation he made mention of its roll of honor, the Belgian Relief, and Red Cross Funds, the various other activities of the women, the public services of the church and the homes and families from which men and women have gone as giving expression to it. But "they also serve who only stand and wait." And the men with the desire but rejected because physically unfit and who do harder work because of the many departed; and the women who have sent their sons and perished do men's work because they are absent; and the tollers who till and sow in the face of adverse hell conditions to feed the multitude—all are in the line of patriots. This is a time for Christian sympathy and co-operation in all possible ways and toward all people. The subject of the evening was "The Power of Self-Surrender."

The Sunday School sleigh-ride and supper is planned for tomorrow, Tuesday evening. Parents and friends are also invited to come at eight o'clock and enjoy with the S. S. an illustrated talk to be given by Mr. R. J. Graham in the S. S. Hall. No admission fee.

Rev. T. J. Thompson, minister of Glebe Church, Ottawa and formerly minister of John St. Church, who has recently returned from Cairo, will give an account of his year abroad, in the church on the evening of Feb. 17th. The "Major" has many friends in the city who will welcome the intimation of his coming.

The Mission Band meeting will be held on Wednesday at 4.15 p.m. at the home of Mrs. H. Hill 145 Front street.

The third stanza of the National Anthem is growing in popular use—"Our loved Dominion bless. With peace and happiness From shore to shore."

And let our empire be United, loyal, free True to herself and True For ever more."

## Gifts Gratefully

Dear Mrs. Laxier,

I have so many letters to write that this will have to be but a short note of thanks for the parcel which was delivered to me in the trenches. Unfortunately, Rex is not here to enjoy it with me; he was sent to hospital some two months ago with rheumatism in his feet and has not come back yet. The good things were appreciated very much by myself and the boys in my platoon. Everyone is being very good to us and sending us lots of good things to eat and lots of woolies to wear.

The weather here has been frightful—rain, and more rain—but not very cold, and I never saw such mud, both variety and quantity.

Things have been pretty quiet around here, but we got our first whiff of German gas the other morning. You will no doubt read of it in the papers. We are not allowed to talk much of things like that.

I must close now, with many thanks and best wishes,

Yours Sincerely,  
L. A. Sewell.

Bramshott, Jan. 12, 1916.

To the B. W. P. & R. C. A.

Dear Friend—Received with many thanks your kind and welcome present. Most of the boys in this regiment have received theirs also. We are all in the best of health and wish your association a very happy New Year.

Yours truly,  
P. Jones, 8th C.M.R., C.E.F.

# SINCLAIR'S Silks ! Silks ! Silks !

Every fashion authority predicts that Silks will be the most popular Dress Fabrics for the Season of 1916. Firmly believing this to be true we have for the coming season purchased Silks never before in the history of our store, and we now invite your inspection of the most beautiful collection of Dress, Suit, Waist and Fancy Silks that we have ever shown. Here are some of the many lines that will interest you:

## Guaranteed Satin Duchesse at \$12.

This is a Swiss made Dress Silk, every yard of which has our name printed on it in letters of gold as a guarantee to the buyer. This silk we have sold for years and hundreds of women know its wearing qualities, and notwithstanding the war tax, we sell this yard wide silk at the old price, only \$12.50 yard.

## 36-Inch Paillette at \$1.00 yd

At this price there is no Silk that compares with our yard wide Paillette, and we show this in every fashionable shade, from light evening shades to the most serviceable dark colors for general wear. This dress silk is one of our big values for only \$1.00 per yard.

## Shan-tung Silks only 39c yard

While Shan-tung Silks have increased in price more than any other Silk during the past six months, still we are prepared to offer for the spring season nearly 2,000 yards of 34-inch Natural Shan-tung Silk, sold in most stores at 50c per yard, our price only 39c per yard.

## Crepe Ondine at \$1.25 per yard.

Here is one of the most popular dress materials for the spring season, and for this reason we show it in no less than sixteen of the most fashionable shades for spring and summer wear. Crepe Ondine is a beautiful Silk Goods, 42 ins. wide and sells for \$1.25 per yard.

## New Taffeta Silks

Yard wide Taffeta Silks will be found very much in favor for the coming season, and we show them in the most reliable makes in a full range of Blacks and Colors, at every price from \$1.00 to \$2.50 per yard.

## Silk Crepes in Many Weaves

For real dainty dresses Silk Crepes will be in great demand, and there is not a fashionable weave or color but may be found in our splendid collection. If you want a real pretty dress ask to see our Silk Crepe from \$1.00 to \$2.50 yard.

## Yard Wide Habutai Silks

For ladies' waists and summer dresses here is one of the big sellers, for Habutai Jap Silk is a wash silk, and we are selling quantities of waists made of this silk. We will guarantee every yard of this silk, and we sell it from 50c to \$1.00 per yd.

# SINCLAIRS IF IT'S SILK WE HAVE IT SINCLAIRS

## BIG FIRE AT CAMPBELLFORD

CAMPBELLFORD, Feb. 13.—Fire broke out at 6.30 this morning in the Northumberland Paper and Electric Company's building here, practically destroying the whole plant. The weather being six degrees below zero, it was hard to fight the flames successfully, as the blaze spread with amazing rapidity. It is impossible as yet to arrive at the amount of damage done, but it is supposed to be pretty well covered by insurance.

## Why the Grant Was Opposed

To the Editor of The Ontario:—Dear Sir—I have been repeatedly asked, since the County Council Session, why I did not vote for the large grants made by that body to Regimental Funds. My reason is contained in the following circular which I read in County Council.

Department of Militia and Defence Ottawa, Sept. 1915. From the Adjutant-General Canadian Militia.

To Solicitation of Subscriptions by Units for the C.E.F.

Sir—It has been brought to the attention of headquarters that units organized for Overseas service are soliciting subscriptions from the public for the purchase of articles of equipment, band instruments, etc., and the creation of a Regimental Fund, and it has been reported that some units have charged an admission fee to witness parades, etc. for such purposes. The practice above referred to, does not commend itself, and no subscriptions will be permitted, except with the express permission obtained beforehand from the Militia Council.

Units of the Overseas Forces are supplied by the Department with everything necessary for their equipment, and it should not be necessary to appeal to the public for assistance.

I have to honor to be, Sir, Your obedient servant

W. E. Hodgins, Brigadier-General, Adjutant-General.

Notwithstanding that the foregoing circular was repeatedly read in open council, and in spite of the well-known fact that very large demands will be made upon the County this year for Patriotic and Red Cross Funds, several thousands of dollars were voted for Regimental Funds of which there can be no audit, and against which the Militia Department warns us.

Truly yours,  
N. Vermilyea.

## BRIDGE STREET ANNIVERSARY

Eloquent and Inspiring Sermon By Rev. W. R. Young of Toronto

"Life is a jest and all things show it. I thought so once, but now I know it!"

With this couplet from the grave-stone of the English poet, John Gay, Rev. Dr. W. R. Young pastor of Broadway Tabernacle, Toronto, prepared a remarkably interesting and impressive sermon at Bridge Street Methodist Church last night.

It was the occasion of Bridge St.'s anniversary and Dr. Young was the special preacher.

He chose for his evening text those well known words of St. Paul—"I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith."

Dr. Young drew a contrast between the ideas of life as expressed by St. Paul and the poet, John Gay.

The theme of the sermon was divided between the development of two main thoughts—Life is brief, and Life is what we make it.

"Life is brief." This is a commonplace, said Dr. Young, but it is not more commonplace than it is true.

"Time is short." This is a dreary, a trite lesson that no one cares to learn. But is that the way to look at it?

Life is brief, time is short, then, hear in this the clarion call to duty.

Life is brief, but it was long enough for Shakespeare to write his wonderful dramas, long enough for Milton to tell how Paradise was lost and how it could be regained, long enough for Gray to compose his "Elegy" long enough for Chatham, Wolfe, Gladstone, and Disraeli to give a world-wide empire to England, long enough for Luther to bring about the Reformation, long enough for Wesley to give to England a new religion, long enough for Paul to plant the standard of Christianity in pagan Rome, long enough for Christ to ro-

claim peace between man and his God. Life is what we make it. There are three elements that go to make up or influence life—heredity, environment, and personal effort. The greatest of these was personal effort. In the course of his pastoral work he was constantly meeting with young men and women who were cast down, because of the influence of environment such for instance as a drunken father. All such influences could be conquered and over come by personal effort.

The speaker gave here an effective illustration from the life of Helen Keller, and her remarkable accomplishments though she had been blind deaf and dumb from childhood.

Life is what we make it in relation to Eternity. Eternity is not a popular word now.

Yesterday in this city, in this country, some life went out. At such a time there is one word to cheer. That word is, Immortality. If life is the seed-time and eternity the harvest then life is both real and earnest. God help us to so order our lives as to be pleasing in His sight.

The music during the day was especially appropriate and very capably rendered by an augmented choir.

In the evening Mrs. Wilmut sang a beautifully rendered solo.

## Brave Act of Oshawa Boy

Word reached Oshawa this week of the daring deed accomplished by Milton Oster, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Oster, Court Street, Oshawa, who enlisted with the 2nd Contingent and is in the Twentieth Battalion. Milton with several other privates and their Captain were on their way for rations when the Captain was struck by a stray bullet, and wounded. He fell over a steep precipice. Milton saw what happened and at the risk of his own life, went after his Captain and saved him.

In writing home Milton says the boys are in bad need of socks. He says they get their feet so wet in the trenches that they have to take their socks off to dry and the rats run away with them. When they come out of the trenches their feet are so cold they wrap them up in bags. He writes that they need socks and more socks all the time.—Vindicator.

## GOODS FOR OVERSEAS

AT WALLBRIDGE & CLARKE'S

Suitable goods for sending overseas in small compact packages at reasonable prices:

Cakes	Plum Puddings
Biscuits	Raisins
Dates	Figs
Peaches	Strawberries
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Milk Powder	Tea Tablets
Coffee in Powder	Chocolate
Nuts	Lemons
Spaghetti and Tomato	Sausages
Ox Tongue	Baked Beans
Sardines	Salmon
Lobster	Sliced Beef
Cigars	Cigarettes

Spearmint Gum

21 five cent packages 75c.

Any of the above goods properly packed without extra charge. Wallbridge & Clarke's packages reach the Front in good order every time.

## Police Blotter

A purse was found by Mrs. Coughlin who handed it to the police. It was proven to belong to Mrs. W. J. Barber.

Mrs. Flagler, Bleecker Ave., found some money which she gave to the police. It is believed to belong to Miss M. Conklin of Rossmore.

A George Street resident sent in an alarm on Saturday night saying that a suspicious looking person was loitering around. The police found no trace of him.

One tramp was given shelter last night.

## Belleville Rifle Club.

The following scores were made on Friday night:  
H. Day 100  
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J. C. Wills 98  
G. D. Gratton 97  
A. R. Symons 96  
W. J. Andrews 96  
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A lecture was g- the officers and b- by Q.M.S. Harmer- motion taken up of file.

A lecture was Williams

The 80th had die- mon.

The ladies of St- are giving a conce- for all ranks of S- Supper will be s- parish house. A co- been extended to C.O.'s and men. O- been pleased to pe- ing to remain un-

Lt.-Col. Adams- Picton today

Lieut. Cole of M- city.

Capt. Dr. Harpe- East is in town to

Lieut. Garnett L- old Belleville boy- newing acquaintan- brother of Lieut. F- was awarded the

Lt.-Col. Hamilton- a patriotic meeti- house at 8.30 tom- ing, will arrive in- this afternoon. He

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