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#### **Busy Trenton News**

(From our Own Correspondent)

Treaton, March 28 -Miss Ida M. ed the funeral of the late Mrs. Jac 

Montreal to spend Easter.

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Lieut. Ham is an English-

72nd year and will be interred tery. Much regret and kind sympathy Mt. Evergreen cemetery on Sathas been shown to Mr. and Mrs Mr. George McCombe left for James Shurfe in their irreparable control to spend Easter. Colonel Pierre, who arrived Wedmesday left for Ottawa today
The military authorities are still
may here hunting up the slackers.

Trenton, April 1-Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sutcliffe with their family have his morning for Ottawa where he will spend Easter.
Mr. Charence Maybee left for Victoria Ave., having wintered at the Killarney Inn, on Dundas street. lingston where he will attach himelf for military duties.

A very happy Easter to all Trent-her visit with relatives at Miss Peggy Hogan returned from

nians, may all your hopes be re-newed with much joy and peace which passeth all understanding.

Hope today

Mr. G. B. McComb of Montreal

returned to the Chemical Works to Glerious sunshine favoured us the day whole long day, everything looked pefectly beautiful and peaceful. Triends and relatives of the Business was as usual at the Joshua Shurrie, Esq., who was burhemical works from the view of the led on Sunday at Mount Evergreen cemetery. The brethren of Lodge 38

Mr. A. C. C. MacIntyre, of the A.F. and A.M. were in great numbure Club left for Ottawa today bers to pay their last token of resumily for Easter Miss B. Cutt left for Hamilton to- visited with Miss Norman and Miss Verna Ruth McKim over Easter at Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Willet-Stabb of the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rocanville Sask., arrived here today Deviney.

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Miss Isobel M. Farncomb is spend

Lieut. George P. Ham, resident of ing Easter with friends at Niagara Dupre Clubist also attached to the Falls, N.Y. Mr. J. R. Mulligan was in Pictor over the week-end.

The Easter parade was very no

through local waters this ticeable for church goers
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Mr. and Mrs. James N. Hackett, of seen much active service in Belgium and France where he was severely Hastings were in town Sunday wounded.

It is still a crying shame there are no suitable houses here for the married gentleman to entertain the wives and families. Where are the builders we heard so much of last year.

The mritary authorities are still the mritary authorities are still busy here and spending much time at the chemical works. Well over the chemical works. Well over the chemical works have been with a sunday.

Mr. R. B. Maulson was in Peterborough on Sunday.

Many munitioneers welcome the reinstatement of the Huffman bus service viz Belleville and Trenton which resumed its runnings today.

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Do it now your King and Country meed you. Go, my lads, it's your duty. Miss Helen Higgins was in Belleville Good Friday visiting friends. Mr. and Mrs. Herberts. McDonald aufold to Picton, where they will remain over the holiday.

No Easter excursions meat disappointment to many home-seekers who are at the chemical works.

Several sliffs and cances also one meter bus, ware seen navigating the Flight Lieut George, Graves of Kingston stayed over here, enroute his trip west on Thursday.

Miss Dafoe left for Colborne to-day. immediate friends. After the ceremony, breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, Belle-Holmes, Picton, was in town this morning en route for Toronto.

Capt. W. Kent McKnee, Munition Guard O.C., Trenton, autoed to the form of a very substantial check Miss Peggy Horgan left for Port from his colleagues and friend

Miss Peggy Horgan left for Port from his colleagues and friends at Hope where she will be the guest of her parents over Easter holidays.

Colds are quite prevalent here.
Dr. Harold M. Johnson, of the Chemical Works, left for Kingston this morning. this morning.

Many old Trenton friends attend- Trenton.

# Picked Up **Around Town**

Aibert Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson, Donald St. East, died Thursday night at the age of two years and eight moza. The little one came to Relieville with his mother on March 19th from England, father a member of the 34th battery having returned from the front last June, where a lost a portion of his hand.

-The funeral of the late Alfred Newton Prest took place yester day from the family residence, or lerchimer street, the Rev. Scott, a Eaptist paster from To-ronto, conducting the service. Messrs. Riggs and Stapley con-ducted the Sons of England service, the obsequies being under the direction of the S.O.E. Interment was in Belleville ceme-tery, the bearers being Messrs, F. Slater, F. Pope, E. Stapley, G. Frost, C. W. Carter and W. E. Armitage. Many floral tributes and a large turnout of friends bore silent testimony to the eseem in which the deceased had

The funeral of the late Catherine Kerterston wife of Mr Elias Kerterston, of Peterboro, formerly of West Huntingdon, took place yesterdty on arrival of the G.T.R. train here from Peterborough. The remains were taken to Belleville cemetery, the bearers being friends of the family. The Rev. S. Kerf officiated

The Police had a call last night to East Bridge Street, where a man was reported to have been folowing a woman. The po-tearched the east end but did find any trace of the man.

Clement. took place from her late home. Cannifton. The bearers were Messrs. Charles Callery. W. C. Farley, R. Badgley, W. Badgley, G. Hearns, T. Farnham

On Thursday night, Belleville Lodge, No. 81, 1.O.O.F. was honored by a fraternal visit from the Grand Officers of the Encampment branch of the order. The Grand Patriarch, John McCorbie, Chatham, the Grand Scribe Past Chatham, the Grand Scribe, Past Grand Patriarch John A. Macdonald, Toronto, the Grand Treasur-er, Past Grand Patriarch, E. C. er, Past Grand Patriarch, E. C. Garbutt, Picton, and Past Grand Patriarchs L. B. Cooper and R. H. Ketcheson of this city were present. The Grand Patriarch announced that they were on a tour of the province, paying fraternal visits and trying to stimulate interest in the work of the higher branch of Odd Fellowship. ture were delivered by the Grand Lodge officers, Bro. A. G. Davey

Engineers of the Board of Railway Commissioners, the C. N. R. and C. P. Ry. were in the city Thursday looking over some re-cent flood areas.

the city yesterday worshipped at Bridge Street Church for Good Friday observation. Rev. D. C. Ramsay of John Street Presby-terian Church preached on the Good Friday theme to a large con-

-Mr. W. H. Mabee, Franck St. was Mr. W. H. Maboe, Franck St. was the speaker of the evening last night at an entertainment at Crofton under the auspices of the Crofton Red Cross society. Mr. Maboe spoke on the work of the Red Cross society in, connection with the war. Mr. Nelson Parliament, M. P. P. presided as chairman. An excellent miscellaneous program was enjoyed collaneous program was enjoyed by all. Tickets were sold for a beautiful hand-painted centre-piece and Mrs. John Bovay was the winner. Mr. Mabee presented the most successful ticket seller (who had disposed of 397 tickets) with a handsome toilet set. Proceeds totalled \$116.70

These last few days have been the wettest in the records of the express companies. It is impossible to form a fair idea of the amount

of liquors brought into Belleville in these dying days of importation Express carts are loaded down, while offices in the city and at the depot are crowded with cases and kegs. It is said one whole booze trail pulled through Belleville on Thursday night on its way to its several destinations.

In police court today the case is being heard of Mr. Prosper Frechette of having liquor in a place other than his usual place of residence. Liquor was found in a place formerly occupied continuously by the defendant. The defendant sets up the claim that this was his place of residence. Mr. W. C. Mikel, K. C. is defending and Mr. Wm. Carnew is prosecuting on behalf of Chief Newton, who laid the charge. The trial opened at eleven o'clock and was resumed at 2.30 p.m.

Impressive services were held o Good Friday at Christ Church. Rev. Dr. Blagrave officiated at eight o'clock service. From twelve to three o'clock three hours' service was held by Dr. Blagrave, assisted by Rev. Canon Forneri. At five o'clock Litan was said. All these services wer more largely attended than usual in the evening the Rev. Dr Blagrave held a service at St. George's, bidding farewell to this Congregation.

Every resident of this city should be prowd of the fine credit of their city as shown by the following extract from this week's issue of the financial Post; Old-time bidding was in evidence last week in connection with Belleville's issue of \$50,000, 6 per cent., 10-year patriotic bonds. No fewer than sixteen offers were received which constitutes a record for several months past. What was even more interesting about

the bidding, however, was the fact that there were four duplicates among the tenders, this being a most unique feature. The character of the bidding was also noteworthy as there was only a spread of \$700 between the first and the last tender. The first and the last tender. The bonds were not awarded. Follow-ing is the list:—Housser. Wood & Co. 96.38; Wood, Gundy & Co. 96.18; Harris, Forbes & Co. 96.18 96.18: Harris, Follows
W. L. McKinnon & Co. 96.02;
Morrow & Jellett 96.02; John
Stark & Co. 95.92; Mulholland.
Bird & Graham 95.87; Oxford
Securities Corporation 95.84; G. A. Stimson & Co. 95,55; Brent Noxon & Co. 95,55; Canada Bond Corporation 95.50; L. C. Yeomans 95.47; McNeil & Young 95.41; A. E. Ames & Co. 95.26; W. A. Mackenzie & Co. 95.26; Goldman

& Co. 95:00 Messrs Robert Empson and Sons and David Scott and Sons this week shipped large numbers of hogs and calves. Hogs were at the record price of \$28.00 per cwt

Ex-Chancellor Nathaniel Burwash of Victoria University. Toronto, died on Saturday night. He was 79 years of age and once occupied a Belleville Methodisct pulpit.

Mrs, Joseph Craddock, a former Belleville lady who has been living in Toronto for some years, died yesterday morning in t city. Besides her husband leaves a family. Two sons left

Mr. S. J. Wedden this morning took over the duties of caretaker of Queen Alexandra school in succession to Mr. Richard King who has resigned.

The funeral of the late Mrs Man-ley Weese took place from her late residence, Massassaga to Massassaga church where Rev. Mr Gaul officiated. Interment was in Belleville cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. Jas. Simmons, J. Flalliday, J. Robinson, J. Walker, S. Robinson and F. Lent.

Belleville police court had a sad look this morning. For the first time in years, the only prisoners were two boys, sixteen and seven-teen the one a returned soldier and the other the son of a soldier fighting in France. Both were charged with being drunk and both admitted the offence charged The one lad had got his liquor from a boy who had access to his father's store of booze and together they drank the juice of the Written for The Ontario By Chas

New York, on Sunday, March 31, and it was with a huge sigh of relief arrived here last night in charge of daughters and son, and were the Pacific that the American people taken to her old home in Sidney, heard of the downfall of the Romanjust west of the city limits. She was in her 92nd year and lived most of her life in Sidney.

Charles Melville McKim, infant down to the Lenine-Trotzky regime,

Charles Melville McKim, infant son of Mr. and Mrs Charles Edward McKim, residing at the corner of Front and Bridge Streets, died early this morning after a few days' illness from pneumonia. The child was six months old.

The footbridge is again in use, having been opened for traffic last evening. Messrs White and Bell have hurried up the work. Today they are engaged in tightening the cables.

Ministries that came into being, even down to the Lenine-Trotzky regime, that was under suspicion from our allies in Europe.

But over here we hoped against hope that Russia would not fall, when all things presaged a different ending to our faith. Not when we read of the Brest-Litovok peace treaty with Germany, that surrendered everything to the common enemy and put in German's hand a power-ful weapon to use against the Allied armies in the West, did we abandon hope. We were willing to forgive

A citizen has shown us a receipt for a ton of nut coal purchased on Dec. 29th last and delivered at the home of his son in Toronto by the Elias Rogers Co. The amount of the receipt is \$8.35. At the same late he claims, coal was selling at a much higher rate in Belleville, after allowing for differences of freight. The Ontario does not recall what coal was such man kindness and forgiveness.

particular time, but we would remind our readers that there is a Dominion regulation forbidding net profits to coal dealers of more than 50 cents a ton. Complaints of extortionate prices for coal should be forwarded to the Fuel Controllers' department at Ottawa and investigation demanded.

Mr. William James Sine of Sid-ney and Miss Edith Maud Tunmon, of Huntingdon were quietly wedded this afternoon at Hollo-way St. Church parsonage by the Rev. J. N. Clarry, B.A. The young

until the early morn to the strains of the Jack Strathdee orchestra of Toronto. There was a very of Toronto. There was a large attendance. The rooms were racefully decorated for the morning of Anna Simpson, widow of function. The officers in charge the late Alexander Massie, after an analysis of several months.

#### The Soviet

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day they are engaged in tightening the cables.

The importance of the footbridge has never been more felt than it has been in the past two weeks. Perhaps the majority of the pedestrian traffic to and from west Belleville passes over this suspension structure.

The importance of the footbridge much for we remembered that the Russian people had emerged at once from a cavern into the clear light of day, and that it would take some time for them to adjust themselves to the new light.

It was natural that they should do strange things. Not when, what the western cowboy call the "milling pages." began did we see danger.

does not recall what coal was selling for in Belleville at that particular time, but we would reparty, of how it had climbed into in high places in the new ministry

Some young men attending dances in the city got a scare last night when it was rumored that Dominion police officers were in town to round up offenders under the Military Service Act. Some sent home for their exemption cards and some, young married in high places in the new ministry and trusted the sanity of the common people.

Washington, it seems does not lose faith now. We trust that the appealing message from the White House may find root in the oddly assorted gathering at Moscow. If it fails, we can have the satisfaction

sent home for their exemption cards and some young married of knowing that this country went of knowing that this country went to the extremes to live up to its deals. We are making many sacrifices, in deeds as well as in professions, to keep the democratic record visit of the Dominion officers really occurred. Harry Robinson, who is alleged to be an absentee from Kingston without leave, is being held here awaiting an escent from that city.

#### Obituary

MRS. MARY BERRY

wedded this afternoon at Holloway St. Church parsonage by the Rev. J. N. Clarry, B.A. The young couple were unattended. They will reside in Sidney.

The Brothe-hood of Locomotive Piremen. Challenge Lodge, No. 66 held a most successful dance last evening in the Johnstone Academy. This Easter Monday event is an annual affair and last night's function was fully as successful as any in the past. The spacious ball-room looked its best. The spacious ball-room looked its best home of a large and devoted family. There survives to mourn her loss of a cherished mother Mrs. Adam Moran, Lindsay Ont. Mrs. M. J. Moran, Mrs. F. C. Kashaity and John of Canandaignee N. Y. Mrs. Martin Wims, Belleville, Mrs. W. H. Shroeder, Pateros Wash, and Richtle and the early morn to the strains of the Jack. Strathdee orchestra

THE LATE MRS. MASSIE

function. The officers in charge of the affair were W. H. Bottum, Pres. H. L. Chown. Sec. H. F. Scantlebury. Honorary Sec. Mesdames F. J. McAlpine, F. V. Buckley, S. McGuire, H. A. Thompson and C. V. F. Meagher, patronesses and Messrs O. W. Rolph, W. V. Hogan, J. A. Diamond, F. J. McAlpine, Gr. R. R. Splain and Gr. R. R. C. Cronk. 1875.

The "wet" offensive at Belleville still continues with kegs and cases of intoxicants being hauled through the streets for local delivery.

1875.

The late Mrs. Massie was a life-presbyterian Church. She leaves to mourn her loss four sons, James, of town; Alexander, of Oyen, Alta; George, of Alexander, of Oyen, Alta; George, of Alexander, of Oyen, Alta; George, of Grand Forks, B. C.; Charles of Nokomis Sask.; and three daughters Mrs. W. N. Davidson, of Brighton; Mrs. J. F. Atkinhon, of Rome, N.Y. and Mrs. E. T. Morton, of town.

The funeral took place from the residence of Mr. E. T. Morton on Saturday afternoon, service being con-Denver Colorado.

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Tesidente of Mr. E. T. Morton on Saturday afternoon, service being conducted at the home by Rev. A. R. McIntosh, assisted by Rev. A. R. Sanderson, and the remains were are happening every day before our eyes! Let us pray that we may adjust our focus soon enough so that we may behold them without distormand the city we may behold the city we may be completed the city we may behold the city we may be completed the city we

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Through Chief Newton prosecuted resulted in a conviction and a fine of \$200 and costs against a citizen assuring that body of the sympathy assuring that body of the sympathy of the had been taken seriously

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ionable shades, suitable for Suits and Dresses, 40 inches wide, at \$2.50 to \$2.75. Hirashike Silk in the lead-

ing shades, 33 in. wide at \$1.50 yd. Taffeta Silk in Black and

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