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He was the finest leader we have ever known—his ideals were of the manliest

and his zeal was an inspiration to every

and zeal are always with us, urging us

to fight on, with keen and bitter mem-ories, for the cause for which he so valiantly gave his life.

At Moment of Victory.

Tribute From Lieutenant.
rwin, one of his battery lieuten-

ST. THOMAS. WINDSOR.

Hume Cronyn, General Manager.

LATE MAJ. LAWSON FELL AS VICTORY **CROWNED EFFORTS**

Fellow Officers Pay Tribute to Gallant Comrade.

Three very interesting letters from France have been received by Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lawson, 53 Bruce street, this city, concerning the death of their son, Major Wilfred E. Lawson, late O. C. 17th Battery, C. F. A., who died of wounds at No. 7 Casualty Clearing Station on the 29th of August, 1918. Col. Constantine, O. C. 5th Brigade,

"As his brigade commander, I can only say that during his time with this brigade he was all that could be desired as a battery commander. A keen, efficient officer, who never failed in his duty to his seniors, similarly he did not fail in his untiring endeavors to look after the comfort and welfare of the men directly under him. Apart from his duty, as a man and a friend, his loss is deeply felt by his brother officers and his associates of all ranks."

Capt. M. N. Omond, Canadian chaplain services, of London, Ont., writes most interestingly, giving details of his wounds, which were in the chest, abdomen and thigh:

Death Unexpected.

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"The medical officer at the dressing station found his wounds in good shape, and was very reassuring in his report. The major, though suffering a considerable amount of pain, was very cheerful. He asked me to write to you to say there was no fear regarding his leg, which the first medical officer to examine him thought to be in some danger. I was talking to him after he was placed in the ambulance to be taken on to the casualty clearing station, and he was speaking very cheerfully, as is the was speaking very cheerfully, as is the was speaking very cheering, as is the custom, of the prospect of a good trip to, and stay in "Blighty." You may imagine my surprise and sorrow the next day when I heard that he had died in the casualty clearing station. Evidently the severe shock had been too much for his system.

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Mr. Richard Jones of Doon Recommends Joon Recommends Stacking's H. IRWIN, Lieutenant. 17th Battery, Canadian Field Artillery, B. E. F. All letters received by Mr. and Mrs. Lawson breathe the same spirit of admiration for the noble character and ability of the late Major Lawson.

FOR HEART TROUBLE. "I have had Pains under my Heart for some time, and tried all sorts of remedies, have been to four different doctors, and could get no relief. I took one box of Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy and felt much better, then I got another box, and have been able to work again. Before I took your remedy I could not work for weeks at a time, because the pain was so great; now the pain is gone, and I am feeling fine, and I intend to continue the treatand I intend to continue the treat-ment for a while longer. I am so grate-ful and pleased with your remedy that I tell all my friends what good it has done me, and you can publish this let-ter if you wish.—Richard Jones, Doon,

PARTY OF RETURNED MEN ARRIVES HERE IN EARLY MORNING

All Thirty-One Are Hospital Miss Boulton Tells Union Patients.

SON REMEMBERS FATHER EDUCATION HER SUBJECT

No Mistake Made by 3-Year-Old Child of Pte. McWilliams.

A party of 3i returned soldiers of this district arrived in this city at 3:40 o'clock this morning via Grand Trunk. The men were not detrained until 7:45 o'clock. This is the first party of returned soldiers to reach this city for three menths. hree months
All the men who arrived this morning are hospital patients. Four stretcher cases were included in the party. Sey-eral of the men had a leg or arm ampu-tated.

Five Londoners.

Five Londoners were included in the party.

Pte. A. McWilliams, 197 John street, who had his leg amputated, and his left eye out. was greeted at the station by his 3-year-old son. This little lad was but 11 months old when his father left for overseas, but he did not fail to recognize his father, and just as he stepped off the train, the little lad shouted: "There's my daddy." Pte. McWilliams enlisted with the 99th Battallon and was transferred to the 142nd (London's Own) Battalion and went overseas with that unit. He has been overseas over two years, and was hit by shrapnel.

Met By Automobiles.

The members of the reception committee of the soldiers' aid commission were more than pleased the way the citizens of this city with automobiles turned out to meet the returned boys. Ald. F. E. Harley was in charge of the cars. Automobiles were also supplied to take the London men to their homes and to take the out-of-town men to the station.

The men were taken to the district depot at Princess Avenue Barracks and boarded.

A number of the men were granted leave of absence and allowed to return to their homes.

Those Who Returned.

The following are the names of the nen who returned this morning: A. Cove, 850 Robert street, London, A. McWilliams, 197 John street, Lon-

N. Nicholis, 320 Maitland street, London.
F. Ball, 788 Lorne avenue, London.
H. McGee, Windsor avenue, London.
Capt. E. Elkiott, Glencoe; Capt. E.
Hills, Goderich; Capt. L. B. Lang,
Windsor; E. Fisher, 42 Elliott street,
Windsor; M. Carr, St. Marys; H. Caverhill, R. R. 1, Heerton; J. Bonburry,
Caledonia; A. Mett, Linwood; W. Morgan,
English street, Strathroy; A. Fergus Soion, Hespeler; A. Morgan,
Mount Forest; E. Brennan, Clinton; L.
McKean, Hespeler; Pte. Harrison,
Hamilton; Pte. Shore, Glanworth; Pte.
Knight, Tiverton; E. Hardy, Sarnia; J.
Haynes, Ingersoli; R. Armstrong, Wailaceburg; W. Hamm, Blyth; J. Alnes,
St. Thomas; Pte. Harris, Sarnia; J.
Shiver, Wyoming.
No addresses given—E. H. R. Thornson, R. Martin, R. Williams, J. Enelslack, J. Nolan. H. Irwin, one of his battery lieutenants, writes as follows:
E. F. C., Officers Rest House and Mess,
France, Sept. 12, 1918.

Dear Mrs. Lawson,—In the death of Major Lawson, you mourn a loss which we, his officers, N. C. O.'s and men, share. The short three and a half months during which he commanded our battery, welded undying friendships, keen admiration and unshakable loy-

BYRON SCHOOL FAIR **DREW LARGE CROWD**

Excellent Exhibits by Boys and Girls.

In Byron yesterday by the pupils of S. S. No. 5. Westminster. That the fair was equal to any county fair in the district was the unanimous opinion. The school association, of which Miss Gladys Waite is president and Miss Josephine Fitzgerald is secretary-treasurer, had charge of the exhibition. The committees are composed of the scholars, who assume their responsibilities and conduct the business as carefully as their elders would.

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All Dressed Up.

The exhibits in all the classes were splendid, and the judges had a hard task to choose the winners. The embryo stockmen had their best animals "all dressed up for the occasion," for the lads know full well that when all other points are fairly equal, the calf which shows the best grooming will stand a good chance of attracting the prize ribbon. Those who had no calves to show brought their pigs, rabbits or poultry, each exhibitor quite satisfied that he would carry off the honors of the day. yet in both the Amiens and Arras batties, he accomplished wonderful tasks—
which bespoke ability, coolness and confidence in himself and his men.
Such was the leader we honored and
lost. Such is the luck of the game.
But you, his fond mother, of whom I
have heard him speak so often, can be
assured that his admirable personality
and zeal are always with us urging us

brothers, and to show what good housewives they could be, brought samnousewives they could be, brought samples of their cooking and needlework of all kinds. Fruits, vegetables and grains also had a large space in the exhibitors' section of the school and grounds.

Good Prizes Offered.

All the animais and the poultry were judged in the yard, where pens had been prepared, while the school house had been transformed into a regular crystal palace. About \$60 in prizes was carried off by the young patriots. Fifteen dollars of the prize money was donated by the school board, and special prizes to the value of \$40 were given by the residents of the vicinity. The entry money also went towards the prizes. Following is a list of the special sprize winners:

An Aberdeen Angus calf owned by Archie Kaine won the silver cup donated by J. H. Cassady for the best calf born later than March 15 of this year. Calves owned by Jack Sharpe and Oscar Wickerson took second and third in this class.

A Durham calf owned by Oscar Wickerson, an Aberdeen Angus owned by Archie Kaine, and a Holstein owned by Jack Sharpe carried off the prizes in the class of calves bern since January 1, 1918.

Gerald Shaw carried off the special He was hit just as we had finished our shoot, which enabled our victorious infantry to penetrate the famous Woton line. We were jubilant with the glory of it all. He had ordered up the teams to move his guns forward—and later, in his during respects the had been been as to the control of th Good Prizes Offered. his dying moments, the spirit of victory was with him in his delirium, and he shouted firing orders to his guns, while the doctors and nurses fought in vain to save his life, in a Canadian clearing station, 30 miles behind the lines.

Manage To Obtain

of Suit at Cleaner's.

We are thankful for our imperishable remembrance of Major Lawson. It is a vivid inspiration to us that even in death he fought a glorious victory, and in the class of calves born since January 1, 1918.
Gerald Shaw carried off the special prize donated by David McEwen for the best sheep with a Southdown. It also won the first in its special class.
Archie Bryce had the best Lincoln, and Tom Griffiths owned the best Shropshire.
Gordon Logan exhibited the best pigs, and the prize for grains was carried home by James Dunn for a stalk of corn thirteen feet high. I beg you to accept from us more than our heartfelt sympathy—our honor and praise for giving up, for humanity's sake, such a noble and valiant son.

How Do Civilians

VUICE OF THE PEOPLE

Yours very sincerely.

THE SUGAR QUESTION. To the Editor of The Advertiser: In reply to "A Lambeth Bee Owner," we, as the other two apiarists referred to, wish to say that we are not worry ing in the least about sugar for our bees for winter, as we followed the

SERVICE, SACRIFICE, TWO THINGS NEEDED IN DOMINION TODAY

Mothers' Club.

Urges That the Children Be Taught Real Domestic Science When Young.

"Service and sacrifice are the two things that count most at this period. It is up to the women, wives and mothers of Canada to lay these at the feet of their country." This was just one of the inspiring statements made by Miss Constance Boulton, school trustee of Toronto, at a meeting of the Union Mothers' Club in the Ryerson school on Friday evening. Her subject was education and reconstruction after the war.

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"United and concerted action will alone solve the gigantic problems that Canada will have to face at the end of the war, and is already facing. Education is the one thing that will count. We should begin reconstruction right now if we are to accomplish anything worth while for our country," said Miss Boulton.

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Conditions in Toronto.

"When I was elected a trustee on the school board in Toronto last January, the first thing that I resolved to present, and did present, to the board was that in every school throughout Toronto, domestic science and manual training should be taught. Thousands of our young boys and girls have been leaving school at a very young age and accepting positions in factories and as cash girls in the large departmental stores. Not any one of them has learned a single practical thing, the kind of things that a woman who looks forward to the sacred things of wife and motherhood, should know, or things absolutely essential to housekeeping and homemaking. Some of the homes which the children come from are not worthy of that name, and so unless domestic science and manual training are taught in all schools we cannot expect children to grow up in the world as professional home-makers and housekeepers.

Real Domestic Science.

"What I mean by domestic science," said Miss Boulton, "is not teaching the art of making wonderful salads with glorious colorings on top, and such like but how to prepare a wholesome meal, boil a potato and broil a chop. This large room idea, with its rows of little gas plates, is all right, and answers the purpose very well, but why not have just a model little house with a diningroom, sitting-room, bedroom, and let the children be taught how to manage an average home and do the work thoroughly and methodically. What is needed in the schools is a greater practical and vocational training, in addition to the academical training, in addition to the academical training. We have to prepare this generation for the future, and it is only through this sort of schooling that this can be done in the proper way.

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Great is the Harvest.

"The harvest that will be reaped through a thorough education for every child will be immeasurable." declared the speaker. "We should strive to follow our mother country, England, which is known as the 'land of homes.' It is compulsory there that every child shall attend school until he or she reaches the age of 15, and continuation classes until 18. In Canada the children, many of them, are little men and women at 14. When our men, who have gone in hundreds of thousands, left Canada, they left us to uphold Canada's ideals, truth, honor and liberty and the new democracy, and when peace is declared we do not want them to return and see that we have failed to live up to these marks, and have been slipshod and hap-

democracy, and when peace is declared we do not want them to return and see that we have failed to live up to these marks, and have been slipshod and haphazard, but to return and find that through the various women's organizations throughout Canada, of which we cannot speak too highly, we have been taught to be thrifty and conserving.

"All women have the vote now," said wiss Boulton, "whether they want to use it or not, but I consider it as a sacred badge of citizenship. If it is not used, they are not fulfilling responsibilities to their country. Self should be put behind. The sacrifice of the boys at the front demands sacrifice and service from us. Would you let a land in the indicate of the sacrifice of the boys at the front demands sacrifice and service from us. Would you let a land the knowing that you would help carry on the battle?" challenged Miss Boulton. "Macterlink rightly named this the 'heroic age.' There is no greater profession than that of the teacher. She plays a great part in the lives of our children. Why should her salary be questioned? (Applause.) For several years she comes into close contact with them, and in no small way influences their lives. One thing of the present time which we all admire." said Miss Boulton then paid a tribute to the splendid work being done by the mother's clubs."

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Miss Bertha Smith, child welfare law well as a sick baby clinic.

Professor Dearness and C. B. Edwards tendered a vote of thanks for the excellent address given by Miss Boulton, Mr. Edwards remarking that he thought no one could compare with Mrs. Pankhurst in expressing the views of women, but that he had to admit that Miss Boulton equaled Mrs. Pankhurst.

Miss Edna Guy sang in fine contralto voice "A String of Pearls," and Mr.

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LEFT HOME JOKING, WITHIN SHORT TIME LAY DEAD IN RUINS

plosion This Morning.

Stephen Snider, who met his death this morning in the big explosion at the Mitchell gasworks in East London, was the son of Mrs. Eliza Snider of 550 Horton street. He is survived by his mother, offe sister, Mrs. Hodge of this city, and seven brothers, Sam, Tom and Edward of London, Frank of Toronto, Walter of Alberta, and Will and Ben, overseas. Ben is at present wounded and in a hospital in France. Stephen Snider was at one time a member of the 142nd Battalion, but was discharged on account of rheumatism. Since that time he has been working for the London Bill Posting Agency and the Mitchell gas works, charging acetylene tanks. The latter work he did in his spare time.

He left his home this morning in the the control free properties of the carbon at 3 o'clock. A program has been arranged for noon-time meetings in the various shops of the city, these meetings to be conducted, while the men are at lunch or directly afterwork he did in his spare time.

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He left his home this morning in the best of spirits, joking with the rest of the family about the fact that he was the only unmarried member. But a short time afterwards the family received word of his sudden death. His mother, although not in a serious condition, has been greatly shocked by his death. Snider was a member of British Oak Lodge of the S. O. E., and the funeral will be conducted by the lodge. The time of the funeral has not yet been set.

The inquest in connection with the death of Stephen Snider opened this morning at 12 o'clock at the undertaking parlors of Smith, Son & Clarke under the direction of Coroner A. Maclaren, who was called to the scene of the explosion on Rectory street, in which Mr. Snider lost his life.

The jury viewed the remains and heard the evidence of identification. An adjournment was made until Thursday

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black, Price \$2.00 pair Another Cosy Slipper, made of soft felt, ribbon trimmed at top, fancy stitching and pompom at toe, in cardinal, brown or black. Price\$1.25 pair Quilted Silk Slipper, fleece lined with soft insole, finished with dainty silk rosette at toe, in rose, Copenhagen, also black. Price...... \$1.00 pair Dainty Slipper of quilted satin, white fur trimming around top, in purple, rose, pink or sky Price \$1.95 pair

Pretty Slipper of quilted satin, Juliet style, with white fur trimming at front, in sky, Quilted Satin Slipper with cuff at top, finished with pom-pom at toe, in heliotrope, Copenhagen or black. Price \$1.25 pair

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evening, 8 o'clock, at the police station, gymnasium classes as well. when evidence will be heard as to the cause of the explosion. The following citizens compose the coroner's jury: James Dean (foreman), Joseph Good, Percy Ashton. Benjamin Tripp, Theodore Thomas, Hugh Wilkins, R. B. Ross, Marshall Miller and Walter H. Blggs. GEDICATIVE FOR PURDEN.

HEAVIEST PROGRAM IN HISTORY OF "Y" HAS BEEN PREPARED in Canada, consequently regulations

Stephen Snider Victim of Ex- Sunday Meetings To Be Feature of Season.

The local Y. M. C. A. expects shortly

men are at lunch or directly afterwards.

Gym is Ready.

A thorough overhauling of the gymnasium equipment has been undertaken and repairs made, so that on Monday next, a good start may be made in the physical department. The Canadian Standard efficiency tests groups will begin their regular work on October 15 for boys from 15 to 17 years of age; on October 16 for boys from 12 to 15, and on October 18 for those from 17 to 21 years of age. The boys, entering upon this work, receive on allround training, physically, mentally, religiously and socially.

Supper Provided.

When the boys meet a war-time supper is given, for which the small sum of 15 cents is charged. Many of these groups are associated with city churches. Several boys from the Collegiate Institute bring their lunch to the "Y" each day, and on certain days are given the privileges of shower baths and swimming pool. Arrangements are now being made to give these mans are now being made to give the provided to the boys at the front by sending them pictures from home. The Kodaks and Brownies are easy to operate and good pictures can be procured at little expense.

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Snapshots From Home



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