

LETTER FROM GUNNER DICK WRIGHT

Dear Horace:- Since coming in, this is only the second attempt I have made at a letter. It seems to require considerable effort, both physically and mentally. The doctor said this morning it would be three or four days yet before I would be in shape to travel. The wound is similar to an appendicitis operation, but as the doctor described it just six times as serious because the bowels were cut in six places. I know now a little of what it means to be 99 per cent. dead, and just hanging on with the other one. Have not told them at home how near I was to gone, but there is little need for worry now as careful feeding and nothing to do will bring me around in time. It will of course take months to get a Canadian leave out of it or perhaps the war may be over before I'm in fighting shape again. My arm is a little stiff and weak, the wound is healed perfectly. The one in my small one in my abdomen, this last one just nicely broke the skin. This is my first experience at hospitals, but it seems hard to imagine a place where I could get better treatment. The orderlies do all they can for your comfort and never seem to tire of the innumerable details of a day. The sisters are Canadian and very careful and efficient. One in this ward is a Hamilton girl, the other somewhere in West. The sister on night duty is not talkative, so I don't know where she comes from. The doctor who operated and under whose care I am is a Captain Macbeth from Regina. He is a very clever surgeon, although he looks a couple or three years younger than I do. Here I have come in contact with the Chaplain Service and one cannot speak too highly of the men. They write home for people and supply us with material, have a friendly word for the thousands who go down through and a prayer for the seriously wounded. One of the Padres is from Port Arthur and was well acquainted with Rev. A. P. McDonald he has been exceptionally kind to me and has always come in every evening and had a short talk and a prayer. The Service are doing a grand work here and many thousands will be benefited. Another thing I feel I owe my life to the Red Cross Association. I have been on a diet ever since the 1st and if it hadn't been for the Red Cross, I wouldn't have had it. And not only do I mean this for myself because there are thousands more like me. It's nearly supper time and I'm tired.

CHUTE—HERRIES

At high noon on Wednesday, October 30th, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Herries, was the scene of a very pretty wedding when their only daughter, Thressa Maude, was united in marriage to Wilfrid H. Chute, son of Mr. and Mrs. Enaley Chute, of Grovesend. Miss Ida Haggan, cousin of the groom, rendered Sirebogg's Song without words and Wagner's Bridal Choruses while the bride descended to the drawing room on the arm of her father daintily gowned in white and carrying white bridal roses. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Andrew Smith, of Pt. Burwell, beneath an arch of evergreens, tastefully decorated with white ribbons, bridal knot and large wedding bell. Lunch was very ably and daintily served by H. Willoughby of Amer and the Misses Gertrude Garnham and Clare Bate of Guysboro and Mabel and Gertrude Woodworth of Lakeview, acted as waiters. Among those present from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. William Merrit, of West Lorne; Mr. and Mrs. John Heries, of Glenocolin; Mr. and Mrs. John Eaton of Springfield. The many useful and costly gifts presented bore testimony of the high esteem in which the bride is held among her many friends. The happy couple left on an extended motor trip amid showers of confetti and good wishes, the bride very becomingly dressed in taupe with fox fur. Mr. and Mrs. Chute will on their return take up their residence at Grovesend.

ed too, so I'll close. I'll send my address as soon as I get one. Love to Lyla and the girls. Your loving brother, Dick.

Monday, November 18th., 1918—Clearing Sale of 21 Head of Cattle, 20 Hogs, 3 Horses, 75 Fowl, Implements, Grain, 10 ton Hay, Corn, 7 passenger, 6 cylinder Studerbocker car, nearly new, and House Furniture. Also the farm of 100 acres, south half lot 13 con. 4, Malahide, 3 1/2 miles south and 1/2 mile east of Dunboynv. Full particulars next week. Lindsay & Pound, Auctioneers.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Of Abram Wagner, Deceased

Pursuant to Sec. 56 of Chapter 121, R. S. O. 1914, notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Abram Wagner, late of the Town of Aylmer, in the County of Elgin, yeoman, who died on or about the ninth day of October, A. D. 1918, are, on or before the first day of December, A. D. 1918, to send by post, pre-paid, to Junius Bradley, of the said town of Aylmer, the Administrator, of the said deceased, their christian names and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, and that after the day last aforesaid the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to such claims of which notice shall have been given as above required, and the said Administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof, to any person or persons sons of whose claim or claims notice shall not then have been received by him at the time of such distribution. Dated at Aylmer this 1st day of November, A. D. 1918. Junius Bradley, Administrator, by Miller and Backus his Solicitors. November 28th.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of James Mitchell, Senior, late of the Township of South Dorchester, in the County of Elgin, Yeoman, deceased

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 56 of the Trustee Act, being Chapter 121, Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1914, that all creditors and other persons having any claims whatsoever upon or against the estate or property of James Mitchell, Senior, late of the Township of South Dorchester, in the County of Elgin, Yeoman, who died on or about the Fifteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, are on or before the Fifth day of December, A. D. 1918, to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned Solicitor, for the Executors of the last Will and Testament of the said James Mitchell, Senior, deceased, at his office, Brown House Block, Aylmer, Ontario, a statement in writing of their names and addresses, and full particulars of claims with vouchers, and the nature and value of all securities, if any, held by them. And notice is hereby further given that after the said last mentioned date, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been received as above required, and the said Executors will not be liable or responsible to any person of whose claim notice shall not have been received as aforesaid at the time of such distribution for the assets of the Estate or any part thereof so distributed. Dated at Aylmer this fifth day of November, A. D. 1918. A. E. HAINES, Solicitor for the Executors, Daniel McIntyre and James Mitchell, Junior. November 28th.

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LETTING THE PUBLIC KNOW SHOE FACTS

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