

BELLEVILLE BOYS AGAIN IN ACTION

Corporal Chas Gibson, and Milton Vandervoort Wounded

The Belleville boys are again in action and two well known local men have been wounded.

Col. Ponton received the following cable this morning from George Maclaren Brown, European Manager, Canadian Pacific Railway, London.

Colonel Ponton.
Belleville.
June eighteenth Dick well, but having very hard week in trenches, resting; Corporal Gibson and Private Vandervoort wounded.

Maclaren Brown.

PRESENTATION TO OFFICERS' MESS FUND OF 39TH BATTALION

Citizen's Bid Farewell to Col. Preston and His Staff-Addresses-List of Honors

A farewell gathering of officers of the 39th Battalion and a number of citizens was held last evening in the officers' mess of the armories. The meeting was not a long one, but it was touching. Representative townsman said goodbye to Lt-Col. J. A. Preston and his staff after their long sojourn in Belleville since the organization of the overseas battalion. Six hundred dollars was presented to the officers' mess of the 39th by the citizens. Most of the officers were present and among those in civilian dress were officers of the Fifteenth Light. The occasion also marked a farewell and presentation by the 15th officers to their three comrades, Capt. Hudson, Lieut. Allen and Lieut. McCorkell of the 39th.

he because of lack of feeling but for depth on the people's part. Recruiting is necessary. The men won't do it until we stir the moribund. He expected another gathering next week for recruiting purposes. "God bless you and take you into his keeping." "I can only say we are going to the front with every confidence," said Lt-Col. Smart, who was asked to speak. "Where one falls, there should be 20 to take his place. I wish to thank you in every possible way for your kindness to us. Col. Smart led the officers in three hearty cheers for the citizens of Belleville.

PRESENTATION TO 15th OFFICERS

Lt-Col. L. W. Marsh was called upon to preside at a farewell to the three 15th officers, Belleville has 11 officers on local and foreign service and 216 men enlisted. The three departing officers are Capt. Hudson, Lieut. Allen and Lieut. McCorkell. "They are taking every best wish with them. We ask them to take something for their personal mess. We know you will carry out on the firing line the traditions of British soldiers. Take the good wishes of the officers of your regiment." Capt. Percy Ketcheson thereupon presented gifts of gold to the three officers, who replied in short speeches. The gathering broke up with the National Anthem after all had joined hands and sang "Auld Lang Syne".

39th BATTALION MESS PRESENTATION FUND.

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Colonel Marsh	5.00
Captain Allen	5.00
Captain Cook	5.00
Samuel Curry	5.00
Rev. R. C. Blagrove	3.00
H. E. Ketcheson	5.00
Dr. MacColl	3.00
J. F. Willis	10.00
Colonel Ponton	5.00
F. Quirk	5.00
S. Robertson	5.00
S. Gorman	10.00
Sir Mackenzie Bowell	25.00
Colonel Stewart	2.50
Hon. H. Corby	100.00
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George Wallbridge	5.00
J. E. Walpole	10.00
Mr. Anderson	5.00
John Downey	5.00
A. Gillen	2.00
S. W. Reid	3.00
E. Dickens	5.00
J. V. Doyle	5.00
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Mayor W. H. Packer	5.00
John Mackie	5.00
W. C. Mikel	5.00

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Gospel Temperance Service in the Park a Success

The Gospel Temperance Service, held under the auspices of the Royal Templars in Victoria Park was successful. The meeting opened by singing the hymn, "Yield not to Temptation," and the reading of Psalm by Mr. A. W. Vermilyea.

Mr. T. J. leading in prayer. B. O. Frederick occupied the chair and in his remarks said that he enlisted in the ranks of the Temperance workers while yet a young man, he had been surrounded by "Temptation" but had chosen the narrow path, and as a young man he had taken the Christ-like and had enlisted for good service and had been engaged in activities for the overthrow of the "Gigantic Evil" of "Wine and Beer".

A. W. Vermilyea was the speaker of the afternoon, he referred to his boyhood days when he became a Christian and a Temperance worker. His association with the Temperance Societies of those early days and the closing of the bar rooms in the Township of St. John and other municipalities, and took Luke 16, 41-42 as the scripture text of the afternoon. When he was come near, he beheld the city and wept over it.

Mr. Vermilyea divided his subject in three parts: "The Light of Creation," "The Light of Conscience," and "The Light of the Glorious Gospel of the Son of God," pointing out the necessity of repentance, conversion, regeneration and sanctification. Mr. Vermilyea is almost 80 years of age but preached with the old time power and energy, characteristic of the days of the bygone. Testimonies were given by T. Willis, E. Skeoch, W. G. Key and W. J. Embury, and the service closed with the Benediction.

East Hastings Institute Picnic

Anyone who was fortunate enough to be among the crowd in Mr. S. Moults' grove, held, on Wednesday, June 16, spent one of the most enjoyable days he will have this summer. It was the occasion of the Farmers' and Women's Institute Annual Basket Picnic and about 500 people took advantage of it. The grove is convenient to the Shannonville road and is in many respects well suited as a picnic ground.

The first event of importance on the day was the dinner, and everyone present seemed willing and capable of taking part. Immediately after dinner the Annual Meetings of the Farmers' and Women's Institutes were held and the officers for 1915-16 elected.

Then followed an afternoon of sports, the most important being a football match between Melrose and the Farmers' Club. The football score was a tie—2-2, while Melrose won at baseball by a score of 16-9. Mr. E. P. Chapman, district agent of the Excelsior Life Insurance Co., provided a capable and interesting refreshment booth under the management of the Halston Women's Institute was well patronized.

At the close of the sports a joint meeting was held, presided at by Mr. Elisha Maynes, President of the Farmer's Institute. He first called upon Mr. Jno. Elliott, manager of the Standard Bank, Belleville, who expressed pleasure at being present and referred briefly to the present prospects in general in Canada. He believed this year would be one of unusual profit to the farmers of this county and stated the bank deposits this year were larger than those of a year ago. He referred to our contribution to the Empire, not only necessary supplies but also our contingents of boys and girls, and taking their places on the battle fields of Europe. The bravery shown by our troops in action was mentioned and an appeal made to all young men to enlist at liberty to go to enlist for service.

Mr. Martin, representing the Department of Agriculture at Stirling, said, he had heard much of the East Hastings Women's Institute and on coming here his anticipations had been more than realized. The Women's Institute was at first a doubtful experiment, but was now considered an interesting educational development in Ontario in recent years. He referred to the evidence of neglected opportunities one sees in driving through the country in the way of farming, and stated, in fact, which could in many cases be remedied. He also referred to the proposed change in Institute work by which a new society known as a Board of Farmers' Institutes will amalgamate the Agriculture Organizations in the riding and the Farmers' Institute will cease to exist. This change takes place in 1916.

Short addresses were delivered by Mr. Alex. Moore and Mrs. P. Shannon President of the Women's Institute and the meeting closed with the National Anthem.

The new executives are:— Women's Institute—President, Mrs. P. Shannon; Vice-Pres., Miss E. Porter; Secretary—Miss Alice M. Long. Farmers' Institute—President, Elisha Mayne; Vice-Pres., Clarence Long Secretary, Sc. S. Tucker.

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Staff Sergeant Lorne Green Remembered

By Military and Civilian Friends

That Lorne F. Green, Quartermaster Sergeant of "C" Company of the 39th Battalion has been the wish of his hosts of friends in Belleville was demonstrated in no uncertain manner in the sergeants' mess room of the armories last night at an impromptu smoker. Staff Sergeant Green is a former 15th and 39th staff officer and attended the Coronation of His Majesty in 1911 as one of the three representatives of the Fifteenth Regiment. Last evening's farewell smoker was arranged by military and civilian friends of Staff Sergeant Green.

Mr. George Dullmage, an old business associate of the Q.M.S., occupied the chair in grand style and called attention to the overthrow of the "Gigantic Evil" of "Wine and Beer" and Mr. E. Mouch, Sergt. Boyd who attended the Coronation along with Sergt. Green expressed his pleasure in asking Mr. Mouch to present the Q.M.S. to his own hometown.

This presentation over, the gathering sang "He's a Jolly Good Fellow" and burst into cheers. Sergt. Green was happy in his response, expressing his wish that he is so honored. He went to visit other messes, probably in German regiments. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for this token.

Lt-Col. Marsh expressed his pleasure in again attending the sergeants' mess. It was gratifying to see this token of appreciation to Sergt. Green. It is a pleasure to his officers and Q.M.S. to see the honor bestowed. The Fifteenth has two officers with the first contingent, two in the second in the ranks, three in the third, two belonging to the base camp, Lt. Downey and Lieut. McCargar, and Major Barragar and Major Brown on duty in this division. The roll of sergeants on service is large. All the men are looked upon as being responsible.

It is not that the officers and N.C.O.'s who have not gone do not want to go. We want to go. Many things keep them home, physical disability, and other hindrances. But when the time comes, I would like to see the young men around town enroll with some regiment and take their share when the time comes.

"I wish Sergeant Green, a safe and happy return to his own hometown." Orderly Room Sergeant C. W. Meath of the 39th Battalion, rendered a monologue "Hard Times in Texas." "I am proud to be a friend of Q.M. Sergt. Green."

Others taking part in the program were Capt. Green of "C" Co., F. Burke, Sergt. Chas. Ostrom, B. Taubher, Sergt. Major John A. R. Sergt. Major Howard Sharpe, H. B. Stock and others.

During the evening refreshments were served and the evening was brought to a close by "Auld Lang Syne," "The National Anthem" and cheers for the staff sergeant.

THE TRIGGER

Belleville Guns Won Challenge Flag of Trent Valley League

Belleville trap shooters last week at Peterborough carried off the challenge flag. Belleville gunners making the five highest scores were entitled to the pennant, Peterborough a second; Cobourg third, and Stirling fourth. The silver spoon presented by the Dupont Powder Co. for the highest individual score was won by Mr. Harry Day of Belleville. The watch presented by the Dominion Cartridge Co. for the second highest score was tied for by Mr. R. Stafford of Belleville and Mr. C. Mills of Peterborough in the event of Mr. Stafford winning out by one bird. Two boxes of cigars were also presented by one of the Peterborough members for the two highest scores. The next league shoot is to be held at Stirling about July 22nd.

Belleville men scored as follows:
H. Day 48
R. Stafford 46
M. Sprague 44
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J. Woodley 43
E. Turley 42
A. Mott 41
E. Harris 40
Stirling men scored as follows:
M. Cook 37
T. Wootton 39
F. Anderson 30
B. Whitty 26
A. Sprague 25

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Farewell Words to 39th Soldiers

On Sunday night in the Salvation Army Citadel a farewell service was held in honor of the members of the 39th Battalion who are expected to leave Belleville very shortly. The songs and music were very appropriate for the occasion. And among the large congregation present there were a good number of the military men. Captain Ruston's figure is well known to a great number of the men, and his cheery word and smile have been greatly appreciated. He has, with the help of his own soldiers, done a great deal to make the boys feel at home, and has added to their happiness and spiritual welfare while in the city.

After a very powerful and apt address which was listened to with keenness sixteen men and women volunteered for service in the King of King's service, a large percentage of them soldiers boys. The captain offered to post free of charge a copy of the War Cry each week to any member of the 39th who would like one. Captain chose as his text, I John, 14:1-4.

"I have written unto you young men because you are strong." I John 11:14.

"Only the weaklings are likely to be attracted by a faith that offers refuge and rest."

"We have emphasized too long the dependent and passive aspects of the religious life. We have said that men must feel weak and helpless, weary and undone, or they could not find this new way of life. As a result we have practically debarred those to whom life meant more than rest."

"We are common to all who labour and only a fool imagines that he is sufficient for every exigency. But neither the aching limbs nor the puzzled brain justify any true man in being supine before the burden or the struggle. He does not welcome a faith that bids him give up and allow a greater power to do all things for him. If religion means simply falling on the arms of the Infinite it cannot mean rising in strength or growing in moral powers. If it means only dependence it cannot mean development. You can never be a man so long as you are satisfied to play a baby's part. If faith means fleeing from the world, from its cares and conflicts it does but make

Cowards of us all.

If it means hiding from foes and from duties it robs us of our own hearts. "Too many saints live like scared rabbits palpitating behind theological bushes, while the world goes surging by. Instead of such faith ever saving the world, it is but sapping strength from it."

"If we go on preaching rest from labor, refuge from the battle of life, and release from punishment for wrong as the cardinal gifts of religion we are working a process of neglecting the cowards and weaklings and leaving the brave and strong."

"We divide men and array the best life of the world under the banners of irreligion. But to think of the religious life as one of wealth and cowardly resting is to misrepresent it wholly. That is simply to accept the wish of the lazy hypocrite as our standard. He who believes in a divine order in the universe grows in the faith that life's work is worth doing and its battles worth fighting. Living means not the chance to sigh and slumber, but to serve with all that works eternal good. The rest that religion offers is that which come from learning to work in harmony with the laws of the universe. It substitutes the economy of working with God, for the wasted effort of fighting against the infinite.

The Peace of Religion

is not that slothful calm, but that of harmony with truth and right with eternal purposes of good. "Religion offers man a chance of worthy work. It calls for the best in us, for it is an invitation to take up the greatest task in the world to roll side by side with the Most High in the labor of bringing man to glory and perfection."

"Men who love the fray will heed its call, for it rallies the souls of men against the greatest foes, we know, the foes of greed and lust, the foes that lie entrenched in our own interests and our own hearts. It calls for high courage.

"If saints fear not hard blows. If you are a fighter just try living wholly for the truth for a while. "It is time to forsake and forget the pious crutches and sentimental couches, time for men of faith to see that the Lord is waging a great fight and needs them just as the King and Country need them now. Clean, upright, honest, righteous men, strong men in principle.

The great leaders have pressed before, counting not their own lives dear, if men might find life, might be lifted from bonds and given their rights.

The true saints follow, the man of strength rejoices to serve."

Bancroft Cases Before the Judge

The case of the alleged Turks from Bancroft, accused of collecting money under false names was yesterday enlarged until June 29th.

Girls' Dainty Frocks

On sale all this week very much below their regular value. Some new arrivals for girls at 4 to 14 years are very pretty indeed and the prices away down low, ranging in price from 50c to \$1.49. To mothers this should be welcome news, and it will well repay you to see this grand display.

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