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### Two Worthy Benefactions

1. The first of these is the Canadian Patriotic Fund which has just issued a second call for assistance. Probably on the first Sabbath of the year, the majority of the pulpits of the Dominion brought to the notice of the congregations the appeal of the President, His Royal Highness, the Governor General, for kind co-operation in the replenishment of this fund.

The appeal is made on the reasonable ground that he who cannot fight should pay. When the war began numbers of British, French and Belgian reservists hastened to join their regiments. Many of them left their homes without making provision for their families, but, depending upon those whose battles they expected to fight, to care for wives and children whom they left behind. Many brave Canadians followed them into the ranks with the same expectation and confidence. In short time, about 20,000 families were on the list of beneficiaries and \$375,000 were required every month to meet their needs. The subscriptions for a time exceeded the immediate demands. It is, however, not surprising that, with the many demands for other purposes, made by the war—the Red Cross Fund, the Belgian Relief Fund, the Machine Gun Fund, &c., the Canadian Patriotic Fund should be somewhat overlooked. It may be, also, that reports to the effect that this fund was not in some cases wisely distributed have led to a slackening of interest in it. Whatever of truth there may have been in these reports at the beginning, before the organization was fully organized and guarded, at present the evils are guarded against by personal examination in every case. Let every man at home with family or friends dependent upon him, put himself in imagination in the place of the men in the camps or in the trenches, and ask himself how he would feel respecting those whom he had left behind, if he had obeyed the nation's call, and let him do to others as he would that others would have done to him. The Canadian Patriotic Fund appeals not only to our patriotism, but, also, to our sense of justice. We believe, that when the appeal is fairly put before the people, they will respond as they have before done. Our civil and religious liberty, our belief in the sacredness of international obligations which the nation has voluntarily incurred, demand of every citizen a conscientious response to the claims and expectations of the men who are taking our places at the front, as well as of the nation whose flag is our protection against military despotism.

2. The Second Worthy Benefaction has reference to the promise of necessary and suitable employment for returned soldiers.

The Dominion Government, early in the war, appointed a Military Hospitals Commission for the purpose of affording needed medical attention to returned soldiers. Also, in October, at the call of the Premier, an Inter-provincial Conference was held in Ottawa, to plan for the providing of employment suitable to returned soldiers. As a result of deliberation a Committee for each Province was appointed, with the following objects:—

To undertake to find employment for returned soldiers who are unable to work.

To assist returned soldiers, who may be unable to take up their former employment, to secure other employment.

To provide such special technical education and trade training as will enable any seriously disabled to enter some vocation for which he is adapted.

The Government of the Province has taken up the matter, and is formulating plans for its success. A circular addressed to School Commissioners in the towns has, enquired as to the possibility of the use of school rooms or assembly halls for the purpose of technical education. The Medical Commission will take charge of every soldier, sick or disabled until he is able to return to civil life. Some have been so seriously injured that they will necessarily receive pensions. The majority, however, will sufficiently recover so as to be expected to earn their own living. The question will be, what can they best be taught?

Everyone will admit, that everything that can be done should be done, to enable such men, who have sacrificed so much, to take their

place as useful citizens wherever they may locate.

A representative has been appointed to meet at the steamers the men as they come from the front. Certain forms are then to be filled out and sent to Ottawa, to be returned to the Committees of the several Provinces in order that they may deal intelligently with every man according to his condition.

### From Various Sources

What a man is depends largely on what he does when he has nothing to do.

Japan will build at Tokio an astronomical Observatory the equal in size and completeness of anything in Europe or America.

An old fellow on his death bed, making his will, said to his lawyer, "And to each of my employees who have been with me twenty years or more, I bequeath \$10,000."

"Holy smoke! What generosity!" the lawyer exclaimed. "No, not at all," said the sick man, "you see, none of them have been with me over a year, but it will look good in the papers."

A Japanese, Dr. K. Sto, has invented what he calls a "Ship manoeuvring apparatus," by which the captain on the bridge can start the ship, steer it, regulate its speed, and stop it, without any call to the engineer. The Japan Times says the invention on trial did all that was claimed for it. It places all responsibility on the captain, prevents disputes about orders in case of accidents, and diminishes if not altogether avoids, collisions.

The Germans, just before the war began, spent about fifteen millions of dollars on the Kiel Canal, which has proved of little service to them, except to hold their ships. The Canal is cut through rotten, slimy, peat, which keeps falling from the sides, and the bottom is so soft that if a ship should steam through it at full speed, the stern wave would stir up mud which it would take a year and several millions of money to remove.

A candidate for Parliamentary honours was addressing a crowd of rather rough men, when one of them in disparagement cried out, "Eh! Jack, I remember a time when you went about carrying a pack on your back." "You are right," replied the candidate, "and I remember a time when I hadn't even a pack to carry on my back." The disparagement had the contrary effect. The candidate was elected.

Several of the recent cartoons are very suggestive. One from "Life," New York, shows a young man seated in a public park with a little dog tied by his side. Another young man comes along and says, "Nice little dog you have?"

The owner says, "Splendid little dog. Quiet and Domestic. No military spirit in him. Simply can't imagine the little fellow getting into any sort of a scrap."

"What do you call him?"

"Uncle Sam."

A song from the trenches, sung by the Welsh soldiers.

"Now old Von Kluck, he had a lot of men,

Ee-aye-ee-aye-oh!

And every man he had a little gun,

Ee-aye-ee-aye-oh!

With a ping ping here,

And a ping ping there,

And here a ping, and there a ping,

ping-ping everywhere,

It's old Von Kluck, he had a lot of men,

Ee-aye-ee-aye-oh!"

A new family pet has been added to the number. We have heard of dogs, cats, canaries, parrots, white mice, goldfish, snakes, and other pets. But, whoever before heard of grasshopper pets? Yet, they tell us in some American cities, not in Kansas, there are on sale cages, gaudy with gold and black and green, dedicated to grasshoppers, who are expected to pay for the honor conferred upon them by their music all day long.

### ONLY 21 BELOW ZERO IN CALGARY

Winnipeg, Jan. 5.—Last night brought the coldest weather of the winter here, and at most points in the Prairie Provinces. Twenty-one below is officially reported at Calgary. Regina reports the worst storm in years raged all night.

### NO CONSCRIPTION IN CANADA

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—General Hughes last night denied that he intended to adopt the Derby recruiting scheme for Canada. "I have no such intentions," said General Hughes, "our own scheme is good enough for Canada and is getting splendid results."

From all parts of Canada word comes that Christmas trade this year has been excellent and that in many cases records have been surpassed.

## HYMENEAL

### CAMERON—REED

A quiet but very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burpee Marshall, Lingan Road, Sydney, C. B., on Wednesday the 29th inst, at 8.00 p. m., when their niece, Miss Sophie Reed of Newfoundland became the bride of Mr. H. H. Cameron of New Glasgow. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Campbell of St. Mark's Church. The bride entered the parlor leaning on the arm of her uncle, to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, rendered by Miss Elsie Le Drew. The bride wore a handsome gown of blue silk trimmed with white fur and carried a bouquet of carnations and maiden hair fern. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of relatives and friends of both parties. Among the out of town guests was Mrs. Annie Cameron, mother of the groom, who came from New Glasgow for the occasion.

The presents were numerous and costly. The groom's present to the bride being a set of Black Wolf furs. The happy couple will leave on Friday for New Glasgow where they will reside in future.

### PATTERSON—PHINNEY

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday morning, Jan. 5, 1916, at the residence of Mr. Phineas Phinney, Granville, N. S., when his daughter, Annie Mildred, was united in marriage to Lloyd C. Patterson of Margareville, N. S. Rev. G. C. Warren performed the impressive ceremony in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends. The bride who entered the room on her father's arm to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march played by Mrs. A. E. Phinney, was charmingly attired in white lace trimmed in pink mace and wore a bridal veil. Her travelling suit was green broadcloth made in military style. After the wedding breakfast was served the bridal couple left for their home in Margareville.

The bride received numerous gifts as tokens of esteem in which she is held. The good wishes of many friends go with the happy couple.

## OBITUARY

### MRS. THOMAS HARRIS

There passed away at Annapolis Royal, Saturday morning, Jan. 8th, Mary Eliza, widow of Thomas Harris of Upper Canada, Kings County, and daughter of the late Woodworth Eaton. Deceased was born at Granville Centre, April 15th, 1834.

On November 14th, 1877, she married Thomas Harris, who predeceased her ten years, when she removed to Granville Centre, and later to Annapolis. Mrs. Harris had been in failing health for the past few years. She suffered a shock of paralysis two weeks ago, from which she never rallied, and passed quietly away beyond the veil.

In early life she gave her heart to the Saviour, and united with the Baptist Church at Granville Centre. After her marriage she transferred her membership to the Upper Canada Church where she remained a consistent member until her death. Throughout all these years she adorned the profession she had made by her quiet and exemplary living. She was a member of the Women's Missionary Aid Society at Granville Centre, and was greatly interested in Mission work, to which she had contributed liberally.

She was the eldest of a family of eight. The surviving members are, Mrs. Henry Calnek, and Burton Eaton, Granville Centre; Wm. T. Eaton, Port Orange, Florida; and Prof. A. J. Eaton, Knowlton, Quebec. She is also survived by two step-children, Mrs. John Kinsman, and Joseph C. Harris of Canada.

The funeral service was held at the Baptist Church at Granville Centre, Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Lew Wallace of Annapolis, who spoke in a beautiful and impressive manner from the words, "There remaineth therefore a rest to the people of God."

The remains were interred in the family lot beside parents, sister, and brothers.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Foster of Upper Granville extend their sincere thanks for kindness and sympathy received during the illness and death of their son, Pte. Alfred O. Foster of the 64th Battalion, Overseas.

Also to his comrades in arms and friends in Halifax, for the beautiful floral offerings and letters of condolence.

Upper Granville, January 8th, 1916. (Halifax papers please copy)

### CARD OF THANKS

Please allow us in this way to thank our friends and neighbours for their kindness and sympathy to us in our sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Trimper, Clementsvale.

Mr. and Mrs. David C. Layte, Lawrencetown.

## St. James Parish Church Notes

The services next Sunday, (2nd Sunday after the Epiphany) will be: Bridgetown—8 a. m. (Holy Communion) 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. St. Mary's, Belleisle—2.30 p. m. Monthly Service of Intercession on behalf of the war, followed by a Congregational meeting.

### WEEK DAYS

Bridgetown—Friday next, 3 p. m. Annual meeting of the Mite Society. 4.30 Weekly service of Intercession on behalf of the war. 7.30 to 8.30, Bible class followed by choir practice. Monday next: The annual business meeting of the Rector, Wardens, Vestry and Parishioners at 7.30. All week day services and meetings will be held in the schoolroom.

## Methodist Church Circuit Notes

Prayer meetings—Wednesday evening at 7.30. Epworth League Friday evening at 7.30.

Services Sunday, Jan. 16:—Bridgetown—Sunday school and Bible study at 10 a. m. Public worship 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Other services:—Dalhousie—11 a. m. Granville 3 p. m. Bentville 7 p. m.

Special services in the Granville church every evening this week except Saturday.

## Bridgetown United Baptist Church

Bridgetown United Baptist Church annual business meeting on Wednesday at 7.30 p. m.

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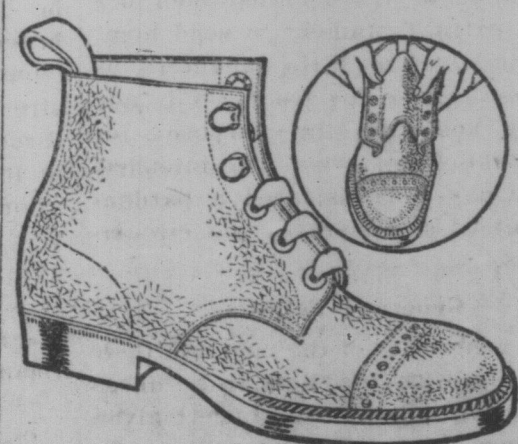
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