

THE latest news of the town and surrounding neighborhood given in an interesting manner.

BUSY TRENTON

OUR Daily News Letter from this thriving town furnished by The Ontario's Special Correspondent.

Social and Personal

Every reader of The Ontario is invited to contribute news of personal and social interest to this column. Let us know by phone or otherwise about the arrival and departure of friends and matters of that nature and help us to make this column bright, reliable and interesting. There is, of course, no charge except for formal announcements as of receptions, engagements, etc.

Mr. W. D. Embury, Molra street, and family are spending a few days with friends at Plainfield.

Mr. P. Harrison has been visiting the C. N. E. at Toronto.

Mr. Murray Black returned home after spending Labor Day the guest of R. Rev. McMurray, Cobourg.

Mr. Jesse Harris spent Labor Day in Picton with friends.

Mr. R. H. Foster, of Hamilton, is in the city visiting at Mrs. Wilson's, corner of Catharine and Octavia Sts.

Mr. Robt. Routledge, of Hungerford township, was in the city on Saturday and favored The Ontario with a call.

Mrs. Wm. Fitzpatrick returned home from Rochester, N.Y., having spent two weeks the guest of her son Harry Fitzpatrick.

Mrs. Arthur Cole and Mrs. Ralph Handley visited Hamilton and Toronto last week.

Bandsman Leo Gordaner, of the 155th bugle band, came up to the city on leave on Saturday.

Lieut. Frank Smith, of the 146th Battalion, Valcartier camp, is spending a few days renewing acquaintances in the city.

Pte. F. Wilson of the 155th at Barrieffield has returned to duty after spending the week-end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crabbe, of 19 Benjamin street, left on the C. P. R. for St. Paul, Minnesota, to visit their son and will return by way of Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Thorold, visiting another son and two daughters.

Mrs. J. B. Simpson, Ottawa, general secretary of the Historic Landmarks Association of Canada, is in the city today gathering data for the publications under her charge.

Little Alphonsus Black returned home after spending two months' holidays with his grandma Black, Maple Lawn, Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ellis, of St. Catharines, who have been visiting relatives and friends in the city left for home this afternoon. Mr. Ellis now holds an excellent position with the Canadian Express Co.

Mrs. (Alderman) W. J. Crawford, of Niagara Falls, Ont., who has been visiting her father, Mr. W. H. Crabe, 16 Benjamin street, motored to Brockville and returned to Toronto by way of Belleville.

Mrs. E. Diamond, of Toronto, and Mrs. E. Brown, of Belleville, were visiting their sister, Mrs. A. V. Mallin, over Sunday of last week. Mrs. Diamond and Mrs. Mallin returned to Toronto.—Campbellford Herald.

SOLD 5 MONTHS CALF FOR \$1,000

Lawson Clotford, who has the best herd of Herefords in the Dominion, showed them at Calgary, Edmonton, Brandon, Regina and Saskatoon fairs this year winning all the herd prizes and championships and first in the classes in which his herd was represented, against keen competition. He sold a 5 months' old bull calf for \$1,000 and a full grown bull for \$3,000. Such prices as these are seldom heard of in connection with cattle in this country.

DEATH OF JAMES McLAREN.

Well Known Melrose Resident Succumbs to Stroke.

James McLaren, a well-known retired agriculturist of Melrose, Ontario, died on Thursday night as a result of a stroke after a few days' illness. He was born seventy-five years ago near Melrose and lived there all his life. Three years ago he retired to the village of Melrose to spend his declining years. In religion he was a Presbyterian. A remarkable feature about the late Mr. McLaren is that he never sought municipal office while his father and his brother were in turn reeve of Tyndinaga and his son Peter is the present holder of that office. Deceased was of a cheerful disposition and had a large acquaintance of friends. Besides his widow who was a Miss Ross, he leaves three

ASHLEY STOCK FARM WINNINGS

At Toronto Exhibition.

The Ashley Stock Farm of Foxboro made the following very satisfactory list of winnings at this Toronto Exhibition this year.

3-year-old stallion, Judge Carman, 2nd—\$20.00.

1-year-old stallion, Jack Rayner, 1st—\$15.00.

1-year-old Winkle Boy, 2nd—10.00.

3-year-old filly, Lady McMartin, 2nd—\$20.00.

2-year-old filly, Ella Bleecker, 1st—\$20.00.

2-year-old filly, Aunt Fanny, 2nd—\$15.00.

1-year-old filly, Clara Gay, 1st—\$15.00.

Brood mare foal, Phillywinkle, 1st—40.00.

Brood mare foal, Bessie Longwell, 3rd—20.00.

Foals of 1916, 1st, 10.80; 2nd, \$15.00—\$15.00.

Readers.

Brood mare, Emma Fraser, 2nd—

\$155.00.
Foal of 1916, 2nd—10.00.
Total—\$215.00.
Best string of 5—gold medal.
4th Sept., 1916. H. Ashley, Mgr.

JACK BARRYMORE IN HIS BIGGEST THRILLER.

Famous Players Star Plays Would Be Thief in "The Lost Bridegroom."

If he had been a regular "twenty-thirty" hero, Jack Barrymore would have said, "Hold! If you strike that woman you do it at your peril, Red Mike!" But being Bertie Joyce in the Famous Players Film Company's "The Lost Bridegroom," which is the Paramount Picture at Griffins Opera House tomorrow and Thursday evenings, Barrymore simply swung for the thug's jaw as he attempted to hit Dorothy Hardin, and started a battle which ended very suddenly on a floor eighteen steps below. There Joyce lay stunned by the fall down the whole flight of stairs.

"The Lost Bridegroom" is one of the funniest and by far the most thrilling film in which even Jack Barrymore has ever appeared. The

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT PICTON

Two Stores and Pool Room Destroyed by Fire.

Picton was this morning visited by a destructive fire that almost completely burned out the contents of the grocery store belonging to Albert Powers, Pope Bros' confectionary store next door and the Harris pool-room located over these two stores. As we go to press only meagre details are to hand as to the actual losses but that of Mr. Power's will be heavy and it is only partially covered by insurance.

Internal parasites in the shape of worms in the stomach and bowels of children sap their vitality and retard physical development. They keep the child in a constant state of unrest and, if not attended to, endanger life. The child can be spared much suffering and the mother much anxiety by the best worm remedy that can be got, Miller's Worm Powder, which are sure death to worms in any shape.

LARGE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

The High and Public Schools of Belleville reopened this morning for the fall term. In all classes there was a full attendance of pupils.

ABSENTEES ARRESTED.

Four absentees from Valcartier and Barrieffield were housed at the police cells last night. This morning they were taken away under a military escort.

RITCHIE'S

Dressmaking Dept.

Re-opened Today For The Autumn Season

THIS will be welcome news to the scores of Ladies who have been anxiously awaiting the opening of Ritchie's Dressmaking Parlors for the Autumn Season. Miss Murphy, who has charge of this department has just returned from several of the Leading Style Centres and has all the latest style tendencies at her command. If you are planning on a New Suit, Coat, Dress or Skirt made to your order and strictly up-to-the-minute and exclusive in every detail why come in and get Miss Murphy's Ideas she will help you select a style and choose the materials. Dressmaking Parlors 2nd Floors.

New Fall Suits

Beautiful new garments in the newest and best style tendencies are now to be seen in our Ready-to-Wear section and in the show windows. You will find here models exclusive to the Ritchie Store, Belleville, and if you are planning on a new Suit this Autumn season, see ours first as to the prices, they range from

\$15 to \$45

SILKS! SILKS! SILKS!

In All The Much Wanted Qualities and Patterns

If it's new Silks you are in search of you will not go wanting long when you see our magnificent assemblage of all the much wanted qualities and patterns. Hundreds of yards of the very newest are here for your early choosing and among the collection we mention particularly these—

Messaline Silks in all the season's leading shades, 36ins. wide, prices at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 yard.
Black Messaline and Paillette Silks, 36ins. and 40ins. wide, from \$1.00 to \$2.50 yard.
Charmeuse Silk in fashions most favored shades, \$1.75 and \$2.00 yard.
The New Fancy Plaids and Striped Silks, 36ins. and 40ins. wide priced from 75c to \$2.50 yard.
Habutal Silk in white and black, 36ins. wide at 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and 1.25 yard.
New Satin Striped Marquisettes in purple, peach blow, dark grey, brown, rose and black, 40ins. wide, \$2.00 yd.
Black Velvet Chiffon, from 50c to \$3.00 yard.

Plain and Corded Velvets

Plain Colored Velvets in the leading shades, 60c to \$1.25 yd.
Black Silk Velvet, 40ins. wide at \$5.00 yard.
White Corded Velvet at 75c, 95c, \$1.00 and \$1.35 yard.
Colored Corded Velvets, specially priced at 75c yard.

See Windows To-Night

The RITCHIE Company Limited

See Windows To-Night

AUTUMN DRESS GOODS

In a Preliminary Showing For The Re-opening of Our Dressmaking Department

Large shipments of new Autumn Dress Goods have just been placed in stock and your early inspection is invited. Here are a few of the new arrivals:—

All Wool Serges in the leading colors, 40ins. to 54ins. wide at 50c to \$2.75 yard.
All Wool Plaids, 54ins. wide \$2.00 yard.
Shepherd Checks, 60c, 75c, \$1.00 up to \$5.00 yard.
Crepe Ondines in the best shades, \$1.35 yard.
Silk Poplins, 42ins. wide at \$2.00 yard.
Gabardines in all the leading colors, \$1.25 to \$2.75 yard.
Coatings, Heavy Tweeds & Blanket Cloths, \$1.50 to \$2.75 yd.
Silk & Wool Patterns, all shades including black, \$10.00 to \$15.00 length.
36in. Crepe De Chines in pink, rose, yellow and ivory \$1. yd.
"Kabe" Crepes in all the leading shades 36ins. at \$1.35 yd.
40ins. Crepe De Chene in pink, heliotrope, navy, maize, Copenhagen and ivory at \$1.50 to \$1.75 yard.
Black Crepe De Chene at \$1.50 & \$1.75 yd. 40in. at \$2.50 yd.
Georgette Crepe in the best shades, 40ins. wide at \$1.50 yd.

Miss Alma Warren, formerly of Trenton but now of Marmora, spent yesterday in town with her sister, Mrs. Jack Simpson, and left today for Belleville.

Mrs. Ida J. Hyde and Miss Alice Hyde, of Rochester, are the guests for a couple of weeks of the Misses McPhail, North Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman, who have been visiting Trenton friends leave today for Toronto. Mr. Freeman is manager of the Bell Telephone office in Nanpae.

Mr. Harold Gunner, night operator at the C. N. R. station, Cobourg, visited relatives in town yesterday.

More than they could carry, was what caused some little excitement on Dundas street yesterday. Two men, Mutt and Jeff in appearance, who must be trying to get all they can while it's going, were a little the worse of that stuff and in trying to direct their horse towards Brighton strayed in the alleyway next to the Centrebe apartments. Here they hadn't room to turn around. The spectators seeing the two on the stage not capable of handling themselves went in search of the constable who happened to be a very busy man. On his appearance he found the taller of the two had fallen and hurt his face slightly. However the three got in the rig and went for a drive.

Yesterday was the last half holiday for the season. A beautiful day it was and few there were who didn't take advantage of the last half holiday. The visitors at Twelve O'Clock Point, Weller's Bay and Presque Isle were many from Trenton.

Mr. Russell Harding, of Peterborough, spent yesterday in town. Since Roumania's entrance into the war a person had to be in a hurry or the Toronto papers would be gone before they got there.

Miss Bessie Breeze, of Brighton, is visiting her friend Miss Mabey for a few days.

Mrs. McCall, head dressmaker for Barry & Co., returned last night after spending a few days in Toronto. While away Mrs. McCall looked over the leading styles for Fall.

Wild duck hunters are busy getting their guns ready for the initial shoot. A mile north of here the season opens on Sept. 1st, while south of that the season opens 15 days later. From the looks of the windows in the stores, handling ammunition, the hunters will be able to get ample supplies.

Mr. Campbell, of the Trenton Marble Works, has put a new pavement around the edge of his premises and intends having a level green in the near future.

Miss Nellie Chase is spending the week-end in Belleville, the guests of the Misses O'Connor.

A disgraceful scene was witnessed by some few citizens today when four of the "don't-care" style, two of each sex, who had imbibed too freely commenced to give some stunts in a wagon driven by a horse which could stand more nourishment itself. This is not an uncommon scene on our streets and one would wonder where those who have authority keep themselves, when this kind of thing is going on. To make one or two examples is all that would be necessary.

Mrs. Blakely and Mr. Arthur Blakely have returned after a month's sojourn to Duluth by water. Taking the boat at Collingwood they cruised Lake Huron and Georgian Bay thence through Sault Ste. Marie locks and across Lake Superior, having delightful weather all the time away. At the commencement of the journey Arthur went as far as Toronto with Rev. M. Foster on the motorcycle.

A temperance meeting was held at King Street Church Thursday night, but was only fairly attended. Had it been better advertised there would certainly have been a large attendance on account of the popularity of its nature.

One of the heaviest downpours of rain this season occurred at Wooler yesterday afternoon. The thunder and lightning were very severe. But Trenton got very little regardless of the fact that farmers all around say that unless they got some very soon the fall potato crop will be a failure.

Miss Mabey of J. Sutcliffe & Sons

A gang of men under the supervision of Mr. Robt. Sanson commenced work on a new block of pavement on the west side of Ridgeway street. This street needed something to improve its appearance and no doubt the nail has been hit on the head this time.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Branscombe of Picton are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Foster, Byron Street.

Messrs. Harvey Daley and Leo Vassan motored to Toronto Saturday morning.

Mrs. Minnie Allore left yesterday on two weeks' vacation for Toronto and Niagara Falls where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. Conrad is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sam James, Front St.

Mrs. L. Sanday left yesterday to spend the holiday at the Exhibition.

Mr. "Gen." Lamore of Cobourg is in town over the holiday.

Mr. Walter Gainsforth is taking in the Exhibition.

Mr. S. A. German is spending the holiday with his father and mother just out of Brighton.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Binden and Mrs. Gothard left Monday morning for Monday morning in their auto for Ottawa and points east.

Mrs. Dave Ferguson is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gunmer, Division Street.

Mrs. Tompkins and Mrs. Roland Hill are among the Toronto Exhibitionists today.

Milk has taken a jump, 8c a quart from Sept. 4th. Potatoes kept their price at 50c a peck at the market Saturday and dairy butter which was very scarce sold at 35c, creamery at 38c, eggs 28c doz. All vegetables were slightly lower in price than a week ago.

Mr. Brummel of East Trenton who has gained fame for himself as a boat builder has just completed a new type of boat for carrying freight. This boat from outside appearance looks like a huge scow. It is to be run by two twenty-horse power gasoline engines and two propellers and has a capacity of 500 barrels of apples. This is what the boat has been built for. It has been rumored that it was built for navigation purposes on the Trent Valley Canal and indeed would be a capital style of boat for this work because of the shallow water it can navigate in.

The C.P.R. have a gravel train drawing gravel from the pit on the north end of the mountain to the branch track to their freight shed. The unusually high water has washed the foundation of track here away.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burnside and son Clarence spent the day in Port Hope.

Miss Cullen of the Sutcliffe staff left yesterday to spend two weeks' vacation at her home in the city.

Miss M. Hazard has returned after a pleasant holiday with friends in Belleville, Campbellford and points north.

LAI D TO REST.

The funeral of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sherry took place on Saturday afternoon to the Belleville cemetery. There was a large concourse of sorrowing friends present. The following is a list of the flowers received:

Sheaf of lilies—Laura Lidistr.

Sheaf with babe—Father and mother.

Sheaves—Mr. and Mrs. Kiser, Mrs. N. J. Falconer, Marie Herity, May Conner, Mrs. A. E. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Bennett.

Sheaf of Sweet Peas—Mrs. C. Sinfield.

Bouquets—Eva Phillips, Mrs. W. Sherry, Mrs. Wessels, Mrs. Glen, Bessie, Cecil and Royal Sinfield, Mr. and Mrs. Sinfield, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Campbell, Mrs. G. Babcock.

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HUTCHINGS—In Belleville on Sept 1 Minnie Robinson, beloved wife of Monier William Hutchings in her 43rd year.

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