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NOTE AND COMMENT

Henri Raeme, French millionaire, has been sentenced to five years imprisonment and lose property worth \$54,000, for selling goods to German perfume manufacturers.

Two hundred and fifty German officers have been found in the Russian armies and executed. It is owing to their presence, no doubt, that the Russian retreats of some weeks ago may be largely attributed, and which have since ended.

The Society of the Native Born has been formed in the United States, with the avowed object of opposing the election of any German-American or Austrian-American to public office in the future.

An exchange very truly remarks: "Canada responded nobly to the British Red Cross appeal. Ontario's expected contribution was trebled. From city, town, village, hamlet and township, from 'Old Ontario' and from 'New Ontario', from all classes creeds and colors, from men, women and children, came answer to the call of the Motherland.

The London Morning Post:—The war is a fight for civilization, and America, neutral as she is, must either be for civilization and all that civilization means or against that ideal. It is in the power of the United States as the greatest neutral nation seriously to obstruct and hamper the British war operations by raising exactly the sort of objections urged with so much acumen by the United States Ambassador.

Essex Free Press—Newspapermen throughout Canada have given freely and liberally, not only of their hard-earned dollars, but also of their most valuable asset, publicity space, for the honor and upholding of the Empire. And right here we would like to point out how little, outside of their money contributions, men in other lines of business have given from their stock in trade towards the upholding of the honor of Old England.

Mr. Man-at-home, don't think because you gave a little girl 25c for a rose you have saved the British Empire. Mr. Comfortably-off Citizen, you with an income of \$10,000 to \$20,000 a year, don't think because you put your name down to

the Patriotic Fund for \$100 a month for twelve months you can inflate your bosom and look for a Knight-hood. Yes, the Balkan situation is ominously acute—that's the reason we all ought to be doing more than ever before. Let's have more consecration, more enthusiasm, more optimism. The British Empire is slow to start, but sure to succeed. How soon depends on you.—Hon. T. W. McGarry.

Peace Sooner Than Thought

Despite all protestations of undeviating purpose to press on to victory, peace rumors persist. It becomes more and more obvious that it is going to be tremendously difficult to stop this war, although for days together the fifteen hundred miles on west and east produce no more than a report of nothing doing.

The terms of peace will have to be made, if there is a peace short of a decisive defeat of Germany, while the armies are still in the humor for years of war, and while the peoples behind the armies are in the same humor.

And yet, while all the peoples are resolute and steadfast, all the peoples are concealing, even from themselves, the facts about the increasing pressure of distress of all kinds produced by the war.

The water runs low in the deepest wells. A year ago Mr. Lloyd George was speaking of silver bullets. Now Mr. Asquith says openly that even Britain's financial position is serious. In France, with a new Cabinet of victory, they are putting up placards "Be silent; the enemy is listening."

In Germany, while there is thought to be food enough, the poor are finding it hard to get the means of buying it. In Russia there are tens of millions who have lost their all sharing the rations of other millions who already had not enough. None of all this, nor all of it together, might determine a cessation of war. But the rumors do persist that peace negotiations are going on, despite all the denials and the necessity for such denials.

Britain Will be Mistress of The Air as Well as The Seas

London, Nov. 9.—For the first time since the beginning of the war newspaper correspondents have been allowed to inspect the great new aviation centres of the British army. Today representatives of two leading Paris, one Norwegian, one Australian and two New York papers were escorted by War Office officials and visited several of the principal bases in England where every facility possible for obtaining information was placed at their disposal.

Officials wisely waited until they had something real to exhibit before inviting journalists to see it. The strides made in the last year is nothing short of marvellous, and there is little doubt that Britain to-day has near completion the most wonderful fleet of heavier than air machines in existence, not excepting France.

The first base visited was Northolt, where a few months ago there was nothing but rolling vacant land.

To-day long lines of modern hangars border the great field, and up-to-date machine shops for experiments and repairs. The personnel is more than three hundred men, only the nucleus of what is to follow in a short time. Not less than forty of the latest type of planes are in commission, all of which are used for training raw recruits drawn from the regular army under the supervision of some of the world's most famous fliers.

The training is extremely rigid. The correspondents were allowed to inspect huge factories formerly employed in turning out motor cars and trucks, now utilized for the building of aircraft. One of the new machines has a twelve-cylinder V-type motor of 200 horsepower.

Another aeroplane of high speed and remarkable climbing records was also inspected. This latter machine carries a gun of the Lewis type, which has evoked the unstinted admiration of military experts. Girls and women are largely employed in various processes of aircraft building.

Dried leaves catching fire destroyed the verandah on Mrs. P. Barclay's residence, Petrolia, on Tuesday.

Alex. Scharf has purchased the Commercial Hotel at Wyoming from R. Riddle for \$1,000, thus securing a monopoly of the hotel business in that village.

Miss Blanche Weeks, a nurse in training at the Sarnia hospital, died of typhoid fever contracted while nursing a patient suffering from the same ailment.

As a vermifuge there is nothing so potent as Mother Graves' Worm exterminator, and it can be given to the most delicate child without fear of injury to the constitution.

The great thing in the world is not so much to seek happiness as to earn peace and self-respect.

WANT COLUMN.

A good violin for sale. Reason for selling—have two. Will sell cheap. Apply to V. Dodds.

STRAY COW—Strayed from lot 18, con. 6, on Saturday last, a dry cow. Anyone knowing of her whereabouts please notify Gordon Hollingsworth.

SEVERAL dwelling house properties and two business properties in Watford and several farms in this vicinity for sale. Apply to W. E. FITZGERALD, Barrister & Solicitor.

CARD OF THANKS—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gregory wish to thank all those who showed kindness to them during the illness and expressed sympathy at the time of the death of the late Mr. Isaiah Ellis.

WORN OUT HORSES and fallen animals of any kind bought—LETT BROS., fur ranchers, lot 18, con. 13, Brooke; Rural phone 4821. Watford P. O. Phone messages at our expense. Svl12

SALE REGISTER.

Saturday, Nov. 13th at Roche House, Watford, at 3 p.m., 50 acre farm. See ad.

Wednesday, Nov. 17th, Richard Williamson, con. 5, Warwick. See ad.

Saturday, Nov. 13th, Hollingsworth & McMannus, at Inwood. 40 stockers. See ad.

Friday, Nov. 12th, Rich. Moore Jr., con. 3, Warwick. See ad.

Heater Discovered

Inside Large Log

Stratford, Nov. 9.—A remarkable story comes from Illice township, a few miles north of Stratford. Messrs. Fawm and Cooper, while rabbit hunting on John Schneider's farm, were attracted to a large hollow basswood log by the barking of their hound. The result was the discovery of a nearly full-grown heifer wedged tightly in the interior of the log, and not visible until the nimrods had cut a hole. The animal was missed six weeks ago, and had been given up for lost. Though terribly emaciated, the heifer will live.

MARRIED.

At the Manse, Camlachie, on Thursday, Oct. 28th, 1915, by the Rev. R. Simpson, Mr. Clark Ross, of Bosanquet, to Edna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rogers, of Plympton.

DIED.

In Selkirk, Man., on Thursday, Nov. 4th, 1915, Walter Hay, aged 34 years, 8 months, 16 days.

In Ithaca, Mich., on Sunday, Nov. 7th, 1915, Jennie, beloved wife of William Wiloughby.

In Warwick, on Wednesday, Nov. 3rd, 1915, Isaiah Ellis, aged 69 years, 11 months, 7 days.

In Warwick, on Saturday, Nov. 6, 1915, Joseph Stewart, aged 87 years, 4 months, 1 day.

In Adelaide, on Nov. 1st, Mary Parker, beloved wife of the late Thomas Skinner, in her 61st year.

In Petrolia, on Saturday, October 30th, 1915, James Hartigan.

In Caradoc Tp. on Oct. 29th, Thomas Sullivan, of the 4th concession, one of the old pioneers, aged over 90 years.

Klondike, Bosanquet, Monday, October 23, 1915, Mrs. Jane Gamble, aged 90 years.

WANTED

1,000 LIVE DUCKS

Highest price paid. Dressed Ducks also wanted.

TURKEYS

We want your Turkeys—alive or dressed. Market is unsettled at present. Instead of canvassing we are waiting for the top market. We GUARANTEE the Highest Price and will pay EXTRA for goods delivered at our warehouse. Do not commit yourself to any buyer before getting our prices.

GEESE

Highest price paid.

Chickens and Fowl

We want 4,000 for the balance of this month to fill our orders. EXTRA price paid for delivery.

STAPLEFORD & SON

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The best that can be grown. Who is our agent in your town? BROWN BROTHERS COMPANY Nurserymen, Limited.

Brown's Nurseries, Welland Co., Ont. s19

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WE have supplemented our large stock of Mantles with a special purchase of COATS and SUITS for quick-fire selling. An Opportunity to buy Stylish Garments at drastic reductions is Knocking at your Door. SALE COMMENCES SATURDAY A. M. AT NINE O'CLOCK



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SPECIALS FOR NOVEMBER

- 14 Pr. Women's Patent Leather Button, Cloth top \$3.00
11 Pr. Women's Dongola Button Shoes \$2.50
9 Pr. Girls' Box Calf Button School Shoes \$1.25
13 Pr. Child's Dongola Button, Cloth top \$1.25
22 Pr. Women's Calf Shoes \$2.00
19 Pr. Women's Gunmetal Button \$3.00
83 Pr. Women's Warm Felt Slippers \$1.25
13 Pr. Women's Velvet Slippers \$1.25
11 Pr. Child's Felt Slippers, one strap 65c
22 Pr. Men's Gunmetal Blucher \$3.50
7 Pr. Men's Gunmetal Blucher, rubber heel and sole \$4.50
13 Pr. Men's Patent Balmorals \$4.50
9 Pr. Men's Felt Slippers \$1.00
11 Pr. Men's Tan Kid Slippers
39 Pr. Men's Work Shoes (special) \$2.75
17 Pr. Men's Kip Boots \$5.50

A FULL ASSORTMENT IN ALL SHAPES IN RUBBERS RUBBER BOOTS AND OUR SHOES AT OLD PRICES

P. DODDS & SON WATFORD'S BUSY STORE

ARKONA

Sergeant James Riggs of the 70th Battalion spent Sunday with his mother.

Rev. Mr. Mouell, of Montreal, P. Q. occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church last Sunday.

Miss Maude Atkins who has been visiting Miss Lena Johnson, returned to her home in Leamington last week.

Just received a shipment of new fancy neckwear, frilling, feather boas, mufflers, ties, etc. A beautiful assortment.—Fuller Bros.

Remember the fowl dinner and concert to be held in the Baptist church, Nov. 17th. The Forest Concert Co. will furnish the program. For particulars see large posters.

ARKONA'S HONOR ROLL

- Bombardier W. C. Woollett, British Reservist
Lance Corp. R. N. Fair, 1st battalion, killed in action.
Pte. B. S. Flack, 18th battalion.
Pte. Geo. Puttick, 33rd battalion.
Pte. W. H. Clarke, 18th battalion.
Sapper Fred Brown, Divisional Engineers.
Pte. Geo. Kells, 34th battalion.
Corp. Wm. Torrington, 33rd battalion.
Pte. V. W. Williams, 33rd battalion.
Pte. Tom Ormond, 33rd battalion.
Pte. Tom Suthers, 33rd battalion.
Pte. H. H. Fair, 38th battalion.
Driver Henry Riggs, 29th battery.
Sergeant James Riggs, 70th battalion.
Sergeant E. M. Bates, 70th battalion.

CHILDHOOD AILMENTS

Constipation and indigestion; colic; worms, colds and simple fevers, and all the other minor ills of little ones can be promptly cured by Baby's Own Tablets through their action in regulating the stomach and bowels.

Williams-Brown

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown, Watford, was the scene of a happy event Wednesday, Nov. 3rd, when their third daughter, Rosa M., became the bride of Harry V. Williams, a prosperous farmer of Warwick.

The arch under which the ceremony was performed was of autumn leaves and smilax. Chrysanthemums were the principal floral decorations. At 6 o'clock the bride entered the parlor on the arm of her father, to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by her sister, Mrs. George Edgar, of Brooke.

She was attired in an ivory silk poplin dress, trimmed with shadow lace and carried a large bouquet of bridal roses and smilax.

Rev. W. Murton Shore, of Warwick Village, performed the ceremony. Only the immediate relatives and friends were present. The presents were numerous and costly.

The bride's travelling suit was navy blue serge, with velvet hat and rich Persian Lamb fur. In the evening they motored to their new home on the main road, Warwick, followed by the best wishes of their friends.

COOK—LAMB

A quiet wedding took place in St. George's Anglican church, South Battleford, Sask., on Saturday, Oct. 30th, when Miss Margaret Janet Lamb, eldest daughter of Mr. Wm. Lamb, of Watford, was united in marriage with Mr. Norman Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cook, of Watford.

After the ceremony the young couple were motored to North Battleford where they took the train for Saskatoon, Watrous and Regina. On their return they will reside on the groom's farm near Wilkie, Sask.

KERWOOD.

Mrs. Law, Petrolia, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Blain.

Mr. John Richardson, Watford, called on old friends recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wooley, Stratford, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. L. F. Mills.

Mrs. John Richardson, of Petrolia, spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. G. Langford.

Miss Maggie and Miss Myrtle Heigh-ton, Sarnia, returned home after spending a few days at the home of Mr. Jas. Galbraith.

Mesdames Woods, Eastabrook, De Gex and Brunt, attended the Woman's Institute Convention in London, and report an excellent time.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald and daughter Mabel, and Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, from Carleton Place, motored and spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Wm. McLaughlin.

The patriotic circle met at the home of Mrs. Waddell and have ready to forward to Red Cross society—1 quilt, 11 pair socks, 70 rolls of bandages, 26 hospital shirts, 100 mouth wipes, 50 face cloths, 1 large roll of old linen, \$13.85 in cash. Next meeting will be held at Mrs. Wm. Hull's, Nov. 27th.

Adam Dubeau, one of the biggest farmers of Perth, has just finished threshing 400 acres of wheat and from it he got 19,000 bushels. On the whole this crop is slightly over 42 bushels to the acre, while on some fields the average was well over the 50 bushel mark. He also had 100 acres of oats from which he threshed 6,000 bushels.

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