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Letters from the Front

Letters from Our Boys Who Are Fighting for Us

France, June 30, 1918.

Dear Mother:

Well, another week has passed and still kicking around as usual, waiting for meal time. You know there is only one thing that bothers me over here, and that is getting up before breakfast and working between meals. Other than that every day is like a wedding, and every third one two.

I really don't know what I intend to say to-day, but as this is the day to write, I thought it would be well to start anyway. I think we are about due for some more Canadian mail, so probably I won't bother posting this for a day or so. Live in hopes that I get one soon.

Well, I suppose everyone is real busy over there now, especially the farmers, getting in their hay and remainder of their crops.

Believe me, we are sure having beautiful weather over here. The old French farmers, and daughters included, have been pretty busy getting their hay cut. I have only seen about two mowers since I have been over here. All they seem to use is a old scythe that no other white man could handle.

I had a post card from Austin Tudor the other day. He is in the camp that we were in when we first arrived in England. He was saying that he had been in Blighty for about four months, and he expected to be going on draft any time.

Well, I think I will ring off for this time. Hoping this finds you as it leaves me at present.

Yours as ever,

ROY.

P. S.—Have heard nothing of that money yet.

R. E. W.

France, July 2, 1918.

Dear Mother:

I guess I had better finish the letter I started on Sunday. I told you that I would hold it for a day or so, and perhaps I would have a letter from you. Last night I was lucky and received your letter, dated June 4.

The first thing that I noticed was that Dad has a little more added to his letter heads. He must be right into the business strong when he always has second hand cars on hand. I think it would be quite an idea if I had one over here; it would sure save a lot of walking.

So at last you got one of the pictures. I don't think it would have mattered much if it had got lost, also the one you got. I don't think that was near as good as the ones that got lost. However, you saw one of them.

You speak of changing from a white person to a darky, and that is caused by being in Sunny France. As a matter of fact, we are not in the part they call Sunny France, but it is certainly darned warm, even though we are not there.

I am glad to hear that everything is in fine shape over there in regard to the farmers' crops, but it was too bad about the wheat. The crops are sure in splendid condition over here, and I don't think old Kaiser Bill will starve us yet for a few years anyway. Look out it isn't the other way around.

The papers certainly look good these days. Our friends the Italians have sure had a great gain at the enemy's expense. I don't know whether to start and look to the day when we will be going home or not, because it may be longer than we expect; on the other hand it may be sooner than what any of us have any idea of.

That would be kind of bad news for Dougherty's to hear, that of Nathan being drowned, and along with the

PROCLAMATION

I hereby proclaim Wednesday, August 7th as
CIVIC HOLIDAY
for the Village of Waterdown for the year 1918.

D. DAVIES,
Reeve

Waterdown, July 31, 1918.

other boy being killed over here. I guess there are no more of them in the army now, unless it is George, and I have never heard anything of him joining up.

Well, I guess I will say good-bye. Hoping to hear from you again soon.

ROY WILKINSON.

Surrey, England, July 2, 1918.

Miss Ruth McGregor,

Just a few lines hoping they will find you in the best of health as it leaves me at present.

I am writing to thank you very much for the lovely box received from you a few days ago. The contents arrived in splendid condition and was greatly enjoyed by myself and the boys in my tent who shared in the eats.

I thank you and all who took part in packing up such a lovely box very, very much for your great kindness.

I am sure whoever received a box from you, as I did, will appreciate the good and splendid work you are doing and have done for us boys over here.

Wishing you and all my good friends at Waterdown the best of happiness in your good work.

Yours sincerely,

Sgt. E. TODD.

Among the number of Letters from the Front which we have published from time to time we printed, a short time ago, one from E. Roberts in which a part of it might cause a reflection on the good name of his wife and family.

The Review has no desire to cast any reflection whatever on the good name of anyone, and it is for this reason we wish to state that if Mr. Roberts is not receiving the letters he refers to, it is because good and sufficient reasons exist why he is not, and the fault, if any, is not on the part of either the wife or the children.

Your Home Town

Patronize home where your interests are and help maintain and support these interests, your interests, your neighbor's interests. Get that selfishness out of your heart that is envious of every success; that wants to pull down every interest that seems to reach beyond yours and in reality an advantage to it and the town. Neither imagine when a few shekles accumulate in your wallet you must necessarily go out of town to spend them, thinking it would never do to distribute a little cash to your home merchants, since you can stand them off for six months or a year. Mistaken idea. They'll appreciate the cash, and give you just as good bargains as any merchant in neighboring towns or cities that may get your money. Encourage home dealers or manufacturers in everything, not only by your patronage, but by words of encouragement and commendation. This is the way to build up a town and make business lively; and be sure you patronize your own paper when you see it stands by your interests, lauds every legitimate enterprise and waits to you the world's doings, transactions, picturing advantages, holding out inducements, and in a thousand ways building up your interests. If it deserves not your hearty and liberal support, pray, who does? It is a mighty poor rule that won't work both ways. Stand by your town and support all its interests.

Vote of Thanks

From the Patriotic League to the Citizens of Waterdown

In the absence of our President, Mrs. W. A. Ryckman, of the Local Patriotic League, it has fallen my very pleasant duty to thank, on behalf of the Patriotic League, all whom have aided to the success of our Fourth Patriotic Garden Party.

We wish the following to accept our sincere thanks for the able and unselfish manner in which they aided to the success on July 17th:

The Salvation Army Band, of Hamilton; Miss Garson, Miss McCaig and Mr. McKim, of Hamilton.

Robert Griffin, Chairman of Grounds, assisted by the following: Messrs. Slater and Copp, Chas. Drummond, Wm. Drummond, Thos. Little, George Horning, Arthur Newell, Jas. Markle, J. C. Langford, Dr. McGregor, Arthur Lovejoy, A. Davidson, C. P. McGregor, Jno. Mitchell, G. B. Stock, Thos. Allen, R. Spence, Jno. Griffin, Ed. Slater, Jas. Thompson, M. Kitching, Chas. Galvin.

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Committee on Collection—Mrs. S. H. Gallagher, Mrs. R. Griffin, Miss Lena McGregor, Miss Simpson.

Committee in charge of "Queen of Carnival"—Harry Prudham, Chairman; Miss R. V. Church, Miss M. Featherston, Miss I. Langford, Miss L. Davidson, E. J. Sparks, A. Davidson, M. Kitching.

Finance Committee—J. C. Langford, Chairman; Dr. Hopper, Jno. Mitchell, J. V. Markle, J. F. Vance.

Tea Booth—Miss Halliburton, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Morden, Mrs. E. Buchan, Mrs. J. Prudham, Mrs. W. Langton, Mrs. J. Robertson, Mrs. McFerran and Mrs. C. Galvin.

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Flower Booth—Mrs. Wedderburn, Mrs. F. Cairns and Mrs. W. Horning.

Gate Keepers—Miss Ray, Miss Roybolt, Miss Slater, Miss Eager, Miss Henry, Miss L. Davidson, Miss Richards, J. C. Langford, J. C. Medlar, J. V. Markle, John Mitchell.

We also wish to thank the young ladies of the Carnival Contest, the contest which added to the success of the Garden Party. The sum realized from this contest was \$974.00, and thanks are due the following candidates: Miss Schoan, Miss G. Davidson, Miss Freed, Miss Henderson, Miss Alton and Miss Featherstone.

The latest returns show a total of \$2,369.00. Of this, when the expense have been paid, there will be at least \$1,700.00 for the League work for 1918 and 1919.

MRS. J. C. LANGFORD,
Vice-President.

No doubt there are other names which should be included in the above list, and if such should be the case, the omission has been entirely unintentional on the part of the Patriotic League, as the Leagues' vote of thanks is extended to everyone who in any way whatever helped in making the garden party a success.

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