

THE SEA-SERPENT OF 1921

SIR SAM HUGHES IS LAID TO REST TO SOUND OF GUNS

Military Authorities and The Orange Order Share Funeral Ceremonies

THRONES PAY TRIBUTE Men of his Old Regiment March Solemnly in Procession to Grave

LINDSAY, Aug. 26.—A mourning nation paid its highest honor and its native town its last tribute to one of Canada's greatest sons when the late Sir Sam Hughes was laid to rest with full military ceremony here today. Never before had the town given itself so freely to grief over the death of a citizen and the measured tread of the troops and the muffled drum symbolized the emotions of the people.

Premier Meighen, The Canada was represented by Premier, the Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, the Hon. J. D. Reid, Minister of Railways, Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Minister of Militia, Sir Edward Kemp, and a number of military officers of high rank, while the Third Military District, sent Brigadier General W. R. M. King, C.M.G., and Lt. Col. Hodgins, D.S.O., General King had charge of the military arrangements. Grand Master H. C. Hocken, of the Orange Order, of which the General was a life-long member, took the Orange service.

The entire town was in mourning, business having been suspended by order of Mayor O'Reilly and the desire of all to pay the last farewell to the ex-Minister of Militia.

Service at the Home At the home of the late General on Glenelg street, service was conducted at 11.15 today by the Rev. Dr. S. J. Shorey, of Napanee, and Rev. Kennedy Palmer of Ottawa, representing the Orange Order. The remains were then taken to the armories on Kent street, where they lay in state until two o'clock. Throuns passed by the casket surrounded by a wreath of flowers, the tributes of the government and official bodies and of private citizens, who mourned the passing of a true friend, and gazed for the last time over the well-known features.

From mid-day until after the funeral the armories were the centre of a vast throng. The troops of the 45th Victoria and Halliburton regiment of Lindsay, a town which made such a noble record of service in the late war, and of whom the late General was so proud, were given the post of honor. Infantry detachments from the 46th Durham and Northumberland Regiment of Cobourg and Port Hope, at one time commanded by Sir Sam, four squadrons of Cavalry, a battery of 18-pr. guns, military bands from Lindsay and Kingston and officers and men in uniform and in multi represented Canada, which had defended civilization at Tyres and a hundred other battlefields of France and Flanders.

Veterans Join Mourners Veterans of the South Africa campaign and of the Northwest Rebellion joined in the demonstration of grief at the decease of the warrior.

At two o'clock the public service began and at the close the casket, covered with the Union Jack was borne by six stalwart soldiers to the gun carriage on which it was placed. The cortege was formed and moved off slowly on the two mile long journey of the General to his final resting place at Riverside cemetery. Thousands lined the streets with the funeral march and the muffled drum beat and the drill, monotonous tread of the troops and mourners, the last tribute was paid. On every hand was evidence of the universal sorrow and esteem. The whole scene resembled in its pageantry the honors paid to the warriors of old. It was, however, paid to him who throughout had sturdily fought the fight and passed through the last great conflict of all to the warrior's rest.

Orange Order Represented Orangemen were prominent in the cortege. Many hundreds paying the last respects to their esteemed brother.

As the cortege reached Riverside cemetery along the Scougog a salute of fifteen guns boomed and infantry fired a salute over the open grave. The Orange ritual was taken by Grand Master Hocken.

Riverside cemetery is one of those placid spots, so fitted by nature to be the last resting place of a man whose days were so full of energy. Interment was made in the Hughes family plot.

Quebec plans to reforest three million acres of waste land as soon as possible.



—Morris for the George Mathew Adams Service.

Getting Ready for Big Ex. 6000 Workmen on Job

TORONTO, Aug. 25.—Exhibition Park is a hive of industry, fully 4,000 workmen being engaged preparing for the 43rd "Fair," which will be known as the "National Progress Year" of the C.N.E. Each day this small city of working men is increased, and by the end of the week 6,000 to 7,000 men will be employed on the grounds.

The flower beds throughout the park have been increased in number, and the park can truly be called a small city beautiful. The grass is thick and green, without burned or bare spots, despite the hottest summer in history. The final touches of the City Parks Department are making everything "look grand." The rose garden at the Dominion street entrance is a real picture.

EVERYTHING SPRINGING UP Down the midway, in front of the grand stand, and all over the park the workmen are busy erecting temporary buildings, putting up dining tents, installing equipment and all the rest of the paraphernalia which goes to make up the Exhibition.

The scenery in front of the Grand Stand represents "The Canada of Yesterday and Tomorrow." It is designed to awaken the individual to a sense of present-day responsibilities. The 1921 spectacle, "Over Here," will be produced with the environment of primeval forest, and vistas of mountain and ocean grandeur, the Rockies and the foothills forming the centre of the impressive setting. Halifax harbor is shown on the east, and the grain fields to the west. The scenery is 800 feet long and 50 feet high, comprising the most magnificent scenic effort in Exhibition annals.

350 NEW SIGNS There are seventy-five posts throughout the grounds, on which are hung 350 large signs, pointing the way to every building, street and attraction. All signs are detachable.

YOUNG CANADA DAY A special feature is being made of "Young Canada Day," Tuesday, Aug. 30, being set aside for this, and over 400,000 tickets have been sent out to school children within a radius of 150 miles of Toronto. Adults will be admitted, but the management expects them to remain away from the Grand Stand and other such attractions, so as to give the youngsters a chance.

TREAT FOR KIDDIES Dr. George Locke, of the Public Library, has located a tent near the York Rioneers' Hut, in which stories will be told to children three or four times a day along Imperial and Canadian lines, inculcating the British spirit.

A strenuous effort is being made to develop Canadian-made goods. Over each such display there is a special sign, reading: "Keep your fellow-Canadians employed by buying Canadian products and manufacturing articles."

Eight different countries are represented in various exhibits. The Government of Bermuda has an official display. Other countries are United States, France, Great Britain, Holland, Italy, Sweden and Belgium.

WAR PHOTOGRAPHS APLENTY There is the biggest collection of war photographs ever put on exhibition anywhere in the world in the old soldiers' hut near the Dominion street entrance.

There are paintings in the Art Gallery from all over the world. The Boy Scouts of both Canada and the United States are preparing a camp for some 3,000.

Only soldiers from the Christie St. Hospital and members of the Amputations Association will have reserved seats, or a section, during the official opening. All others—even those receiving official invitation, must take their chances in the crowd.

REST HOUSE FOR BABIES A permanent baby rest has been established, and this will be a blessing to tired mothers. There are also permanent hospital quarters this year.

The electrical effects at the Dufferin street entrance are exceedingly attractive. The whole live stock section has broken all records for entries.

Falls Ten Feet on Face Then Falls 10 Feet More Local Man is Badly Hurt A dislocation of the left hip and other serious injuries were sustained by Mr. W. E. Parks, contractor, 209 Front street, at eight o'clock this morning when the ladder on which he was standing slipped.

Mr. Parks was engaged at the home of Mr. Robert Templeton, John street, doing some repairs to the kitchen. He was standing on a ladder on the roof of the woodshed next to the kitchen, when the bottom of the ladder slipped, Mr. Parks falling to the roof of the shed ten feet below. He struck on his face and rolled to the edge of the roof and fell another ten feet to the ground below. He was struck on the forehead which was badly bruised and the left hip was injured.

Mr. Chas. Barnhart, who is employed by Mr. Parks, was on the roof of the kitchen and hearing the fall, had to crawl in through a window to get down a portion of the

FOUR FARMERS INSTAL HYDRO

Erected Pole and Strung Cable Themselves—Now Lights are "On"

A FINE PERFORMANCE

News Personal Items from Wellington and the Vicinity

WELLINGTON, Aug. 25.—Four farmers residing along the Lake Striker Road, west of Wellington, J. Striker, J. H. Davidson, D. N. Murray and W. A. McCoy, took on a big job a few months ago that is likely to give them the highest satisfaction, now the job is complete.

They wanted electric lights in their homes, and electrical power for use on the farms. After making arrangements with the Hydro Electric Power Co., they set to work themselves and built the line complete from Mr. McCoy's, in the corporation, to Mr. McCoy's, including the three others mentioned. They did all the labor themselves, erected the poles, put up the cables. This is said to be the first rural Hydro line in Prince Edward County, and Mr. S. B. Iler, electrical engineer of the Hydro Electric Power Co., Toronto, expressed great satisfaction at the work these four farmers have done in installing this line.

They had the pleasure of turning on the lights last week. There is sufficient electric current for farm use, as well as house lighting. The four are to be congratulated by their neighbors also for what they have done.

The visit of Miss E. Maria Bishop, an English friend minister, was an event that may have great results to the Society of Friends in Prince Edward County. Miss Bishop has done fine Christian service in other lands. Mrs. Lavina Dorland met her at Brumans, Syria, many years ago. She has been visiting small meetings of friends in Philadelphia and Baltimore during the past year or more; and has been on a visit to her brother, Mr. C. E. Bishop, Belleville, during the past week or two.

Miss Bishop expressed a desire to visit Friends at Bloomfield and Wellington. It was arranged that a united meeting for worship should be held at Bloomfield, (Hicksville) on Sunday morning. This was well attended by members from the three branches of Friends. Four or five local Friends had vocal service as well as Miss Bishop.

The Sunday evening meeting at Wellington was also well attended and included Friends from Bloomfield. Miss Bishop spoke here on Prayer.

James Wild attended the united Friends meeting at Bloomfield on Sunday morning, and in the afternoon he preached at the Methodist Church at Bowmans and at Mount Pleasant in the evening.

The Friends Sunday School had their picnic on Tuesday by boat to the Sandbanks.

Personal News The weather conditions are good for the great number of visitors who are on holiday here. Many of these express their appreciation.

Miss Nettie Cronk is visiting some of her friends and relatives in the vicinity of Brighton.

Irma Bonter is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lorna Brickman, at Victoria.

Miss Olga Webster crossed the Lake from Rochester, N.Y., on Saturday and reached home in the evening. She looks well, and she expresses great satisfaction in her conditions of employment at Rochester.

Mrs. Howard Arkett, of Bloomfield, visited her sister, Mrs. E. E. Taylor, during the week and attended the Westlake monthly meeting of Friends here on Thursday night.

Mrs. Lulu Arkett, Hobson, who now lives near Picton, gave birth to a fine baby boy a month ago.

The auction sale of Mr. Hortop's furniture proved satisfactory to him on Saturday. A great crowd attended the sale, and there was good furniture sold.

Mrs. E. E. Taylor is preparing to leave here shortly. She is disposing of some of her furniture. Robert Campbell and family have moved into the house bought from E. E. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen White, from Bloomfield, visited Mrs. C. Morden and one or two other friends on Saturday.

Mrs. Friday and her daughter Marjorie, from North Dakota, are visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hinkle. Mrs. Friday is Melvin Cronk's daughter, and it is seven or eight years since she was in Wellington. Her sister Mollie, who is a nurse at Yorkville, N.Y., is here also this month.

The members of the Anglican Church Sunday School had to postpone their picnic from Thursday last, owing to the heavy downpour of rain.

Where to Begin. (Detroit Free Press) The man who yearns for liberty must learn that self-government begins where charity does.

Rising Early. (Philadelphia Bulletin) Even the skillful aeronaut may have trouble getting up in the morning.

SAM HUGHES FIRST DONNED UNIFORM WHEN HE JOINED ARGYLE REGT. HERE; CITY FLAG AT HALF MAST IN HIS HONOR

THE first time that the late Sir Sam Hughes wore the King's uniform was at the Grand Trunk Station in Belleville when as a youth he appeared with the Argyle Light Infantry as a member of that unit to greet His Royal Highness, Prince Arthur, of Connaught, who was passing through with the Rifle Brigade, a British unit of regulars then stationed in Canada.

Many a time had the ex-Minister of Militia told this to his friends in Belleville. Nowhere had he warmer friends than in this city, where he first became connected with the battalion, known as the Fifteenth. He was always ready for an opportunity to visit Belleville, where he was remembered with the warmest feelings by his old associates in the military.

But the late Sir Sam Hughes is known here for another reason. He started out into life in this city as a teacher in the old No. 2 school on Octavia Street. He also instructed the young in the Market School over

fifty years ago. Many citizens in their sixties recall pleasant memories of their young teacher in those days.

Even at that time he showed many of the qualities that made him later the most outstanding figure in Canadian military life and one of the most pleasant of companions.

The general was nothing if not an advocate of the strenuous life. When news of his death was announced, a citizen recalled how in the Belleville days of his career, Sir Sam had walked to Madoc village in order to get there to keep an appointment.

He was one around whom anecdotes collect and many a pleasant story of his days here is told by those who knew him.

It is not known yet whether any military men from the city will attend the obsequies at Lindsay tomorrow.

The flag on the City Hall is at half mast today in tribute to the memory of the late Sir Sam Hughes as a one time resident of the city. The last visit of the deceased general to Belleville was in June, 1920, when he turned the first sod of the site of the Soldiers' Memorial Home. The former Minister of Militia was then in very indifferent health and the great change which had taken place in him was apparent to the casual observer. But the ringing voice of the old time Sir Sam was still heard in the same triumphant and victorious note in spite of his bodily frailty. His fatherly interest in the defenders of their country was still the absorbing passion of the ex-minister.

Belleville men who fought in the war remember the occasion of the Lieutenant-General's visit to the front. Mr. Edward Liddle, now Secretary of the G.W.V.A. here, was one day detailed to direct the General's car just behind the line. The General said to him: "Get in the car, boy," and then the Minister of Militia questioned him as to his home. Learning that he was from Belleville, he said: "I once taught school there," showing what an impression his boyhood days here had upon his life.

arranged to picnic at Huyke's Point on Thursday, 25th.

Mr. William Alvey, of Colborne, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bonter last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Platt with Clara and Will and their mother, had a trip to the Lake-on-the-Mountain on Sunday. They visited Glenora, Cherry Valley and Milford.

Mrs. John Morgan, of Toronto is visiting her sister, Mrs. Melvin Cronk.

Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle and two children from Simcoe and Mrs. Chisholm and son from Harrow, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Vandervoort.

W. W. Fitzgerald and family had a fine motor trip to Kingston on Sunday and enjoyed the run on the Provincial Highway.

Mr. E. Vandusen, of New York, has been renewing old acquaintances in the neighborhood.

Mrs. Florence McGregor, Toronto, has been visiting her brother, Mr. H. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. John Towns and Mr. and Mrs. F. Huff motored to Hamilton on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Benson and daughters, Windsor, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coulter.

Mrs. H. Kemp, Trenton, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Stafford and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fox spent Tuesday with friends in Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fox, Northport, and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Giles spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Stafford.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Giles spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Earl Calnan's. Hon. Nelson Parliament is on a business trip in Toronto.

MASSASSAGA Mr. and Mrs. Beer and son, of Brandon, Man., and sister, Belleville, took tea one evening last week at Mr. J. Anderson's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Moore are entertaining company from St. Catharines.

Mr. W. Jose and Miss Hart, of Winnipeg, Man., and mother, Mrs. Wm. Jose spent Monday evening last at the home of Mrs. H. G. Huff.

Miss Olga Ackerman spent the past week with her brother, Mr. W. Ackerman, Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hough, of Demorestville, were the guests of her sister and brother, Miss Lydia and Mr. Fred Juby.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas and family have moved to their new home at Stirling.

Dr. Way and her brother of Detroit, Mich., spent the past week with their cousin, Mrs. B. Osborne.

Miss McCauley, of Collingwood, is spending her vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Kora Ackerman motored to Zion's Hill on Sunday where they spent the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer.

Miss Ella Robertson has been entertaining company the past week.

Mr. Moore Beckwith, of Mountain View, spent Sunday with his friend, Mr. Arnold Valdeau.

Miss Thelma Moore, and Miss McCauley took tea on Saturday evening at the home of Mr. McKewen.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Seeler, Picton, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. H. Jose.

Mrs. J. Wallbridge is spending a month with her niece, Mrs. F. Morton, Hillier.

Mrs. Vermilyea left on Monday to visit friends at Peterboro and Bonnaville.

2 CHARGED WITH THEFT Police Alleged Arrested Men Took Skiff Worth Fifty Charged with the theft of a row-boat, the property of Mr. G. Sprague of Mountain View, David VanWort and a man named Palmater were arrested at Point Anne today by Provincial Officer Albert H. Ward and taken before Mr. W. W. Anderson, J. P., who remanded them to Picton jail for a week. The skiff is said to be worth about fifty dollars.

POLICE HAD RIGHT MAN Springfield Man Confronted to Woodstock Cop he was Guilty

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Aug. 26.—Charles R. Veale, of Springfield, in jail charged with firing the house and barns of Eli Barnim, at Springfield, following a four-hour grilling by High Constable Fred Hill, confessed that on the night of August 4th he set fire to the house on the farm of Eli Barnim. The constable heard the confession in company with W. Bell, of South Norwich.

THIRD OF HILLIER Mr. and Mrs. Clark Clapp were at Picton on Tuesday.

Miss Louella Terwilliger and Miss Hilda Jinks spent Monday evening with Miss Beatrice Reilly.

Mrs. Tim. Pridmore, Cole Creek, and Mrs. Joe Foster, of Battelford, Sask., spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Benway.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Trunmour spent Wednesday evening with friends at Wellington.

Mrs. Arthur Fritz, of Hillier had an operation at Picton-Hospital on Monday the 15th for appendicitis, and Master Vernon Clapp had an operation at Picton Hospital on his throat on Tuesday.

Mrs. Stanley Young, of Lake Shore, spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harvey.

Mrs. Nellie Carter has returned to Trenton after spending some time with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Leavens and her sister, Mrs. Billie Zuleft, of Coneseon Lake.

Mrs. Flossie McPaul spent Sunday with Miss Geraldine Benway.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Demille spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Demille, Lake Shore.

Two threshing machines are on the street, Messrs. Way and Murphy, and Dorland and Pettigill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Benway spent Sunday with Mrs. Wood and Kenneth, of Cole Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huff and Muriel spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Huff, of Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Palmer spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. Byron Palmer, Pleasant Bay.

Mr. Jack Reilly spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boyle, of Salem.

Mr. Charlie Bailey, of Gilead, called on Sunday at Mr. Will Foster's, Cole Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Leavens motored to Trenton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benway and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rote were at Belleville on Sunday, at Mr. Jim Cole's.

"PUT AND TAKE" COSTLY Eight Put \$10 into City Funds and Footroom Man \$50.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 26.—Eight men caught in a "put-and-take" game by Winnipeg police last night put from \$10 to \$15 each in fines into the city treasury today. The Manager of the poolroom in which the raid took place put \$50. This is the first raid pulled off by Winnipeg police since the "put-and-take" top was placed on the market.

ENLARGE DEPOT TO MAKE ROOM FOR EXPRESS CO. Billing and Sorting Warehouse Being Erected at Can. National Station HANDLE PARCELS DIRECT Present Quarters Will be Taken Over Shortly by Dominion Express

At the Canadian National Depot a billing and sorting warehouse is to be erected immediately for the Canadian National Express Company. The structure will be an extension of the present express room and will be 23 feet by 46 feet in size. The consolidated companies of the Canadian National will use the new building, while the present quarters will be taken over by the Dominion Express Co.

When the warehouse is completed express will be handled direct, none being taken into the local uptown office and then transferred to the express room at the depot as is the practice today. This will speed up the service and will result in more careful handling of express as parcels will be handled only once.

A surface scale is to be installed in the floor, the weighting to be done by the deductive method, which eliminates the weighing of parcels separately and saves time in the operation.

The warehouse will be heated by hot water system.

The enlarged quarters will relieve the present congestion.

Work has already begun on the foundation of the new building.

MOTORISTS ASKING AID WERE CALLED BANDITS Brantford Folks and Police Both Had Case of "Wind up" Previous to Inquiry

BRANTFORD, Ont., Aug. 26.—That the alleged hold-ups reported on the Burford and Paris roads were nothing more than motorists attempting to secure aid for their disabled cars, is the discovery which has resulted from the police investigation of the reports.

Regarding the attempted hold-up on the Burford Road, High County Constable Kedd reported today that an investigation had shown that it had been without foundation. A car had become stalled a short distance this side of Burford, and the action in signalling a car to stop and render aid was thought to constitute a hold-up. The car was taken to a city garage and repaired there.