

CONY AND DISTRICT

BOOTLEGGERS LEAVE AUTO 156th Officer Awarded M. C.

Deported A Dutchman was held over in Cobourg on Monday for deportation to Holland via Montreal. He had been peddling booze and stealing, just enough, he explained, to 'make an honest living.' He will be transported back to the country where gin is the national beverage.

Alleged Bootlegger Broke Bottle on Street

Kinston, Nov. 25.—About 1.30 o'clock on Wednesday morning Police Constable Leslie Clark met a man on Princess street suspected of being a bootlegger. As soon as the man got his eyes on the constable he pulled a bottle of whiskey out of his pocket and smashed it on the sidewalk, and the walk was flooded with whiskey. The man who was carrying the flask then took to his heels, leaving his automobile at the curb close by. The car is now in possession of the police.

Honor Flag with Two Crowns

One hundred and sixty thousand dollars subscribed to the 1918 Victory Loan by the district of Colborne and Cranborne, being \$69,000 above the objective, has won the governor-general's Honor Flag containing two honor crowns. Yesterday the Honor Flag was flying from the flagstaff in Victoria Park. The canvassers for this district were Messrs. F. M. Brintnell, R. J. Clarke and J. F. Wilson. At the time of going to press we have not received the report for other districts in Northumberland, but the grand total is well above the objective.—Colborne Express.

A Fatal Accident

As the result of a collision between a street car and an automobile at the corner of Second and Sidney streets, Mrs. Haines is dead in Cornwall and four other occupants of the car are patients in the hospital suffering from cuts and bruises.

Invitation to Foch

An invitation will be extended to Marshal Foch, generalissimo of the Allied armies, to visit Alexandria Bay and the Thousand Islands when he comes to America next summer. Announcement to this effect is made by the Alexandria Bay Board of Trade. It is suggested that Marshal Foch and party go to the Bay via Watertown and thence proceed down the river to Montreal. In such an itinerary Brockville would be touched by the marshal.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

Awarded Military Cross

Announcement is made officially that the Military Cross has been awarded Lieut. John Rodney McCullough, formerly of the 156th Leeds and Grenville Battalion, and prior to enlistment was agent in Brockville for the Canadian Pacific Railway. The official notice to this effect appears in the last issue of the London Gazette and the details of the exploit for which this much coveted decoration has been won by the young officer have not yet reached this country. He is the third former officer of the 156th to win this decoration, the others being the late Capt. W. N. Graham and Lieut. H. R. Kincaid, the latter of the Royal Air Force. It is presumed that the Military Cross has been granted to Lieut. McCullough for the part he played in the Canadian operations before Amiens in the course of which he was wounded. Lieut. "Red" McCullough was one of the first to offer his services as an officer when the 156th Battalion was formed in late 1915. He immediately took a qualifying course for the rank of lieutenant and on successfully completing this training became a subaltern in "A" Company, at that time commanded by the late Maj. H. H. Edwards. He went overseas with the 156th and after training in England was transferred to another Canadian infantry unit at the front. Lieut. McCullough is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McCullough, Gananoque, Gananoque Reporter.

Paper Makers' Profit

Mr. W. Norman Tilley, K.C., Toronto, son of Dr. W. E. Tilley, public school inspector, Bowmanville, has been showing up the paper makers before the Paper Control Tribunal, Ottawa. He showed that the Laurentide Co. had net earnings, after deductions for depreciation and betterments, of \$2,321,951 for the year ending last June, as compared with \$867,502 in 1914. Price Brothers' 1918 figures were \$1,974,782 as compared with \$451,287 in 1913. Spanish River Mills' net revenue was \$1,729,331 in 1918, as compared with \$879,255 in 1914.

erations, which will take place in Wellesley Hospital in the near future. His. Fred Haylock is spending a couple of weeks' leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Haylock. His. Haylock was in England with the Forestry Battalion and was invalided to Canada about a month ago and has been in hospital in Kingston.—Times.

A Tender Spot. Will someone please tell us what good those registration cards were? A number of young ladies who were obliged to tell their age would like this explained now.—Port Hope Guide.

Widow Got \$1,600

Mrs. John Packard entered action against A. Plunkett, of Cobourg, for \$10,000 damages for the death of her husband. Mr. Packard was the keeper of the toll gate on the Cobourg road east of Port Hope and was killed by being struck with an automobile owned and driven by Mr. Plunkett. The case has been settled out of court. We understand that Mr. Plunkett paid the widow \$1,600.

A Smelting Plant

The Cordova Mines Company have built a smelting plant for the production of ferro-chromium, an important alloy used in the steel industry.

MARMORA

Miss Elsie Johnston, of Belleville, visited Mrs. Isaac Storing last week. Mr. Oliver Aychart has been appointed tax collector for Marmora and Lake.

Mr. F. S. Pearce attended a gathering of the Victory Loan workers of Hastings County in Belleville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ploughman and granddaughter, Ursula Hodge, are in Campbellton, owing to the death of Mrs. Ploughman's father.

Dr. D. Thompson has been appointed medical health officer for Rawdon Township in place of Dr. Wellman, who recently removed to Midway.

Miss Gena Warren, of Trenton, visited Mrs. Chas. Nichol a few days this week and leaves on Friday to attend Ontario Business College, Belleville.

Miss Jennie Bateman, of the public school staff, is ill with influenza at her home near Stirling. As a result, the third room of the school is closed this week.

Mr. Fred Pacey, of McGill University, a fourth year medical student, who is recovering from an attack of influenza, was a guest of Mr. R. Laycock's for a few days during the past week.

Mr. Clare Naylor, of Trenton, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Naylor, is moving his family to Marmora and will reside in the house on McGill street recently vacated by the Misses Foley.—Herald.

PICTON

Pte. Harry Doyle, Kingston, was in town over Sunday.

Mr. W. H. Goodwin, Cherry Valley, has gone to Ulica, N.Y.

Dr. Chase, of Flint, Mich., is the guest of Mrs. Z. Herrington.

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Emerson Laundry of this village was in the draft that left Belleville for Siberia on Monday morning.

There are still many cases of the "flu" in Montague and some of the victims are seriously ill.

The Belleville Creamery Co. Ltd. shipped a carload of very fine hogs from here on Tuesday.

The order-in-council extending the open season for deer to the end of November, does not apply to this part of the country.

Mr. Jas. Donaldson and family have removed from near Maynooth to Norfolk, where they will engage in farming.

We had our first fall of snow on Tuesday, but the weather still continues warm and winter appears to be quite a piece off yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Martin have removed to Yarker, where Mr. Martin has been promoted to the position of road master on the Bay of Quinte branch of the C. N. Ry.

A very fine Oxford Down ram was delivered here last week for Mr. J. K. Shephard of Bronson. The animal was imported and cost Mr. Shephard \$50.00.

Mr. Geo. Thompson, of Montague has bought the residence from Mrs. Maxwell on Bridge St. east, at present occupied by Mr. W. H. Norton, and will become a resident of Bancroft. Mr. and Mrs. Norton are removing to Toronto.—Times.

Always Serviceable.—Most pills lose their properties with age. Not so with Parole's Vegetable Pills. The pill mass is so compounded that their strength and effectiveness is preserved and the pills can be carried anywhere without fear of losing their potency. This is a quality that few pills possess. Some pills lose their power, but not so with Parole's. They will maintain their freshness and potency for a long time.

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the deputation ask for a grant of \$20,000,000, asserting that anything less would be only "a drop in the bucket."

Professor Goodman of Queen's deprecated the low salaries paid to teachers, blaming this fact for the low standard of education in some educational districts.

Obituary

DUNCAN E. FRASER.

The death of Duncan E. Fraser, of Madoc township, occurred on Thursday, October 17th, after two days' illness from paralysis and came as a shock to his many friends.

Mr. Fraser was well known and highly respected in and around Madoc, having resided on the farm all his life. He was born in 1843 and was married in 1873 to Miss Eliza Pigen, then residing at Millbridge.

Service was conducted by his pastor, Rev. Merrick, on Sunday, October 20th, at the Methodist church, Hazzard's corners, where the deceased attended.

He leaves to mourn the loss of a loving husband and father, a wife, two sons, Bert of West Huntingdon, and Irvine at home, and four daughters, Mrs. A. Norman and Mrs. A. Gordianer, of Tweed, Mrs. A. Jones of Madoc township, and Mrs. A. Jones of Crookston; also 20 grandchildren.

Of a family of 14 children, only five sisters remain: Mrs. Cummins, of Campbellford; aged 97 years; Mrs. Smith, of St. Ols, aged 95; Mrs. Roberts, of Madoc, aged 93; Mrs. Reid, of Tamworth, and Mrs. Delyea, of Queensboro.

The floral tributes were beautiful. The bearers were relatives of the deceased.—Madoc Review.

Two Paths Closed to Irish Home Rule

Can't Subject Ulster Counties Against Their Will.

London, Nov. 25.—David Lloyd George and Andrew Bonar Law have issued a long election address to the country. For the most part it follows the lines of speeches made recently by the two political leaders in outlining plans for preference to the colonies. It says, however, that until the country has returned to normal industrial conditions it would be premature to prescribe a fiscal policy intended for permanence.

"We must endeavor," the address says, "to reduce the war debt in such manner as to inflict the least injury to industry and credit. The military institutions of the country must necessarily be dependent upon the needs of the Empire, its prospective requirements and the necessities of the League for the Preservation of Peace.

"It will be the duty of the new Government to remove all existing inequalities of law as between men and women and create a second chamber based upon direct contact with the people. There can be no political peace in the kingdom of Empire while the Irish question remains unsettled. Therefore, all practical paths toward a settlement must be explored. There are two paths, however, which are closed, namely, one leading to the complete severance of Ireland from the Empire, and the other to the forcible subjection of the six Ulster counties to a Home Rule Parliament against their will."

Attack Wilson in Final Hours U. S. Congress

Next Session Will Open in Ten Days. IT BEGAN LAST DECEMBER Congressmen Will Then Turn Their Thoughts From War to Peace.

Washington, Nov. 25.—President Wilson's action in taking over control and operation of marine cable systems and express agencies were vigorously criticized in the senate by Republican senators who said it was part of a plan to establish permanent government ownership.

The speakers were Senator Watson, of Indiana, Kellogg, of Michigan, and Sherman, of Illinois, and in the course of the debate the president was criticized for the decision to go to Europe and George Creel, chairman of the committee on public information, who, it has been reported, is to accompany the president, also was attacked.

Senator Watson denounced the president's action in taking over cable lines as a breach of faith and charged that their control was inspired by a desire for government censorship of despatches during the peace conference so that the representatives of the European nations at the peace table may not know what is being said in the American congress about the conference.

In the midst of the debate Senator Lewis, of Illinois, the Democratic whip, sought to reply to the Republican senators, but did not get recognition. He did, however, offer a resolution which would put congress on record as favoring government ownership of railroads and telegraph and telephone lines.

Federal Aid For Technical Educ.

Dominion Association Will Urge Ottawa to Assist.

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—The Dominion Educational Association will appoint a delegation to wait upon the Government, to ask for federal aid in forwarding the technical and vocational school movement. This was decided at the session of the conference. They will ask of the Government and Parliament of Canada immediate co-operative steps of a nationally comprehensive character in respect to technical and vocational education.

Rev. Dr. Buchanan suggested that

TRENTON

TRENTON, Nov. 22.—Mr. H. L. Dragan left today noon for Toronto for a very largely attended meeting of the Board of Trade was held at the town hall this evening, standing room only being available for late comers. The President, Mr. George Collins, opened the meeting at 8 o'clock and with him on the platform were Messrs. P. J. O'Rourke, the secretary, T. F. Rixon, C. N. Barclay and G. McComb of the British Chemical Co. and many others. The president announced that the object of the meeting was to consider the means to be taken to replace as far as possible the business of the British Chemical Co. which is now winding up here, the war being over and informed the citizens that in the course of a week or two their work would be finished and all their men paid off, also that representatives of several wealthy corporations, domestic and foreign, had already been in touch with the Imperial Munitions Board negotiating for the purchase of the plant and site and that parties were coming to Trenton during the week to investigate conditions. etc. It is confidently expected that the acid plant at least will resume operations under new owners. As the British Chemical Co was using 6,000 horse power from the Hydro System, that amount or a large part of it will be available for new factories locating here. The question of appointing an Industrial Commissioner for Trenton was brought up and favorably endorsed but on account of the present shortage of electric power and the uncertainty of obtaining what may be required for new industries, it was resolved that this office be left in abeyance for the present until assurance was obtained that needed power could be depended on. A committee was decided on at once to wait upon the Hydro Commission to urge the immediate building of power houses on the 10 dams between Trenton and Healey's Falls so that additional power could be secured at an early date. The president expressed the pleasure as well as the citizens of Trenton generally had experienced during the term of Mr. Barclay's management of the B. C. Co. and expressed the hope that Mr. Barclay would remain as general manager of the new organization, taking over the munitions plant and site.

Mr. H. Romley-Williams took leave of his many friends today at the Dupre Club prior to severing his connection with the British Chemical Co., Limited.

Miss Helen Higginz left today at noon for Toronto.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Maloney will leave town Saturday for New York City, where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Geddes left for Toronto today.

The ladies of the British Chemical Co., Limited staff were entertained to afternoon tea today, Mr. H. Romley-Williams acted as host, while Misses J. K. MacDonald and Marie Daley attended to the buffet. A very enjoyable time was spent by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Fortune left today for Toronto for a few days' visit.

Mr. N. V. C. Narrotatson left for Chicago today noon.

Mr. Harold Fales left for Queen's University today.

Remember the boys at Christmas. Conserve food.

Miss Pearl Dorritt left for Montreal today noon.

Mr. Harold Baker has returned home to Napanee today.

Some Grocers Plan to Close at Seven

Think Little Loss Entailed Saturday Night.

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—Seven o'clock closing on Saturday nights is being adopted by a number of local grocers who find that the necessity does not exist for them remaining open later than this hour.

The decision is an outcome of the influenza epidemic. During that period, the public became educated to doing its shopping early, and the habit then formed is continuing to a considerable degree, especially with reference to grocery stores and butcher shops.

Since the early closing restrictions were removed by the health authorities, the grocers have found that while they are free to remain open until 9 o'clock, there is no necessity for doing so, the bulk of the shopping being completed long before that hour. Consequently, a number have decided to revert to the seven o'clock closing, which they say will inconvenience no one and benefit many.

In addition to giving themselves and their employees the extra two hours, the grocers also point out that the action will conserve light and fuel.—Journal.

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MFG. OPTICIAN

Among the Missing (By Edgar A. Guest)

What happened to one seems to know. None lives today to tell his story. Alone for truth, he strikes a blow. Alone, he lost both life and glory. Somewhere in Freedom's holy cause He bravely stood where shells were hissing. With neither help nor friend's applause, And now his name's "among the missing."

Alone, he served his country's need—Kept faith with God and fellow men.

There is no tongue to tell his deed; His fame is lost to voice and pen. Yet this we know: what'er the test, True valor by a man is shown And he is always at his best When he must fight for truth alone.

"Among the missing?" Who can guess? The splendors that are lost to fame The courage and the manliness That death and dark oblivion claim? Far from his friends, in danger's hour, This missing soldier made his fight And to the fullest of his power Stood single-handed for the right.

I like to think in distant days, When all the deeds of men are known, The first to hear the Master's praise Will be the men who fought alone. Those that in danger's hour were true, Died nobly, yet by fame were missed, And kept the faith, though lost to view. Will lead eternal glory's list.

Warts will remove the prettiest hands unguishly. Clear the excruciations away by using Holloway's Corn Cure, which acts thoroughly and painlessly.

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