

# NEWS OF NORFOLK

Aftermath of Simcoe Fire is Aired in Police Court Circles

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(From our own Correspondent) Simcoe, Feb. 22.—Up to the present there is no authoritative information available as to the intention of the company in the matter of rebuilding the Simcoe Lithographing plant. The insurance has not yet been adjusted in connection with the fire.

And Now a Woman But there is another sequel to the Litho conflagration. On the memorable night of the 7th inst., attention was drawn to a lady in a cutter who was stopped up when attempting to drive over a working line of hose. Next day there was general comment about town regarding the fact that a woman could attend a fire in a state of intoxication. The police got busy, and subsequently Magistrate Guntton received an information against Mamie Becker, a local lady apparently well known, charging her with being intoxicated in a public place, or something to that effect. Mamie was summoned to walk the carpet, but was ill when the hour of her debut arrived. The young woman is expected to bow to the magistrate on the 26th inst.

The Mill Grinds Slow Hal Ryan was in October, 1915, summoned to appear before Magistrate Jackson for selling cigars to minors. He treated the formal invitation with contempt, and as a rejoinder a warrant for contempt was issued. Hal has been playing hide and seek, principally hide, ever since but Chief Canning took good care of the parchment and recently landed his man. Ryan was to have had an opportunity to explain matters on Tuesday, but the Crown was busy. He is out on his own recognition at present to appear on Saturday.

Andrew Ostrander died here yesterday at his home on Talbot street, in his 84th year. The body will be taken to the home of his son Elmer, at Courtland, and interment will take place at Guysboro on Friday.

Angus M. Monroe has just completed his fifth year on the staff of the British-Canadian, and is putting in full time every day. J. H. McKnight, C.E., D.L.S., who for some five years past has been engaged in topographical work in northern Saskatchewan and Manitoba, has enlisted for overseas with a railway construction battalion. Mr. McKnight is a son of Andrew McKnight, and about a year ago married Miss Beatrice Edmonds, daughter of Inspector R. Edmonds. Two of Mrs. McKnight's brothers are already at the front.

Mr. Chas. Crosby will begin next week to saw the best lot of logs brought to his local mill for many years. The yard at present represents about quarter a million of lumber. There is also a full yard of good timber at Pick's mill.

The boys are having a series of local hockey matches. The Beavers of the Baptist church found the nets ten times on Monday evening, while the mitt and shoemakers got in 4.

We have just been handed a note stating that last night Trinity's team went down before the former losers, Score, 12-8. Sherk is credited with the star work for the winners, and Thompson for the losers. The lineup:

Shoemakers—Lefler, goal; Pench, La Fortune, defence; Hopner, left wing; Whitehead, right wing; Edmonson, rover; Sherk, centre. Anglicans—Cook, goal; Thompson and Messcar, defence; C. Puzey, left wing; H. Puzey, right wing; Clarke, rover; Smith, centre.

Yesterday afternoon, Mr. Stickney of Woodhouse, lost control of his steed while driving down Norfolk street in a cutter. The animal eluded into the cutter of Mr. Kniffen of Walsh, as the latter's team swung off Peel into Norfolk street, driven by Miss Marjorie McCall. The Kniffen ponies were cut loose and dashing up Norfolk St. were caught at Lynn Park.

A horse resembling the Stickney animal was seen in trouble again about midnight some distance north of the town.

NEUTRAL SHIPS SUNK. By Courier Leased Wire. Paris, Feb. 22.—Official announcement was made today of the sinking on February 21 of the Dutch Steamship Ambon, 3,598 tons gross, and of a British trawler. The sinking of the Ambon, a Norwegian steamship Alice, 709 tons, and of the Russian Steamer Sigrd, 2,194 tons, also was announced.

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### Corset Covers at Sale Prices



\$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00 and . . . . . 75c

Ladies' Corset Covers, lace trimmed, full style, finished with pearl, sizes 34 to 46, reg. 35c., sale price . . . . . 29c

Corset Covers, 50c Ladies' Corset Covers, good quality of cotton, trimmed with lace and embroidery, well made, regular 65c., sale price . . . . . 50c

Corset Covers at \$3.00 to 75c. Ladies' Corset Covers, some with short sleeves, dainty styles, full range of sizes, good quality, Nainsook and Cotton, special sale price \$3.00, . . . . . 75c



Ladies' Cotton Drawers at Sale Prices, 39c Ladies' White Cotton Drawers, trimmed with lace and tucks, open or closed styles, all sizes sale price . . . . . 39c

Drawers at 50c Ladies' White Cotton Drawers, lace and embroidery and tucks, regular 65c., Sale price . . . . . 50c

Drawers at \$3.00 to 75c Ladies' White Cotton Drawers, daintily trimmed with lace and fine Swiss edging, open and closed styles, sale price \$3.00 to \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00 and . . . . . 75c

Drawers at 29c Ladies' White Cotton Drawers, good quality, lace trimmed, open and closed styles, worth 40c., Sale price . . . . . 29c

### Children's Cotton Underskirts, Drawers and Nightgowns at Sale Prices

Children's Cotton Drawers, 29c Children's Cotton Drawers, umbrella and tight knee styles, sizes 2 to 14 years, regular 35 and 40c., sale price . . . . . 29c Children's Cotton Drawers, lace and embroidery trimmed, sale price \$1.75c., 50c., and . . . . . 40c Infants' Slips, fine Nainsook, slightly soiled in handling, regular \$1.50 and \$2.00, Sale price . . . . . 98c

Children's Princess Underskirts and Slips These come in many styles, all nicely trimmed with lace and embroidery, sizes 2 to 16 years, Sale price \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00, 75c., and . . . . . 50c

Children's Night Gowns Children's Cotton Night Gowns, sizes 2 to 16 years, slip over and high neck styles, sale price \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c. and . . . . . 50c

### Ladies' Nightgowns AT SALE PRICES

Ladies' White Cotton Night Gowns, lace trimmed, slip over style, regular 85c., Sale price . . . . . 69c

Night Gowns, 79c Ladies' White Cotton Night Gowns, slip over and high neck styles, lace and embroidery trimmed, regular 85c and 90c., 79c Sale price . . . . . 79c

Night Gowns, 98c Ladies' Night Gowns, in fine quality cotton, also in crepe, lace and embroidery trimmed, slip over and high neck styles, regular \$1.25 and \$1.35, sale price, each . . . . . 98c

Ladies' Night Gowns, \$10.00 to \$1.50 Ladies' Night Gowns, dainty embroidery and lace trimmed, best quality cotton and nainsook, all sizes \$10, \$8.00, \$7.00, \$5.00, to \$2.25, \$1.75 and . . . \$1.50

Ladies' Night Gowns, \$1.39 Ladies' Night Gowns, made of good quality Nainsook, slip over and V neck styles, nicely trimmed regular \$1.50 and \$1.39, sale price . . . . . \$1.39

### Ladies' Combinations AT SALE PRICES

Ladies' Combinations, envelope styles, embroidery and lace trimmed, all sizes, regular \$1.19 \$1.50, sale price . . . . . \$1.19

Combinations, \$1.50 Ladies' Cotton Combination Corset Cover Drawers, also envelope style, trimmed with lace and embroidery, sale price . . . . . \$1.50

Ladies' Combinations at \$4.00 to \$1.75 Ladies' Cotton Combinations, made of fine Nainsook, lace and embroidery trimmed, sale price at \$4.00 to \$2.00 and . . . . . \$1.75

## J. M. Young & Co. Annual Sale of Whitewear

### SWEDEN PROTESTS.

Stockholm, Sweden, Feb. 22.—via London.—The Swedish minister at Berlin has been directed to file a protest against the sinking of the Swedish motor ship Hugo Hamilton. Nothing has been learned regarding the fate of the crew.

The Hugo Hamilton was on the way from Valparaiso with 4,000 tons of salt petre, consigned to the Swedish Farmers Association, which was greatly needed on account of the scarcity of fertilizer in Sweden. She carried a crew of more than 30. Several days ago the Swedish government asked Berlin for particulars regarding the sinking.

### MORE AMERICANS IMPRISONED

Washington, Feb. 22.—Sinking by a German submarine of the Swedish Steamer Skyland, which had five Americans aboard, after the crew had been given ten minutes to take to their boats, was reported by Consul-General Hirst at Barcelona, Spain, in a message to-day to the State department. No one was injured and the crew landed safely at Tarragona, Spain.

Lew Meredith, aged 70, of Los Angeles, Cal., is the proud father of twins. The Anglians have supplied 46 per cent of the enlistments from Montreal district.

### COURIER AGENTS

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### GERARD AT MADRID.

Madrid, Feb. 22.—via London.—James W. Gerard, former American ambassador at Berlin, and his party arrived here this morning on their way to the United States. They were met at the station by representatives of the foreign office.

### INSPECTION OF THE 215th

Was Conducted in the City This Morning by Gen. Logie

General Logie, O. C. Military Division number two, was in the city this morning and conducted a thorough inspection of the 215th battalion. His visit has been expected for about two weeks and has been postponed from time to time on account of the extreme cold weather that has been prevailing, and for various other reasons. However he arrived this morning at ten o'clock, and found the battalion drawn up in close order in Agricultural Park. The unit was given a gruelling examination, comprising battalion and company drill, and were put through manoeuvres in extended order, all the work being done entirely to the satisfaction of the officers of the unit.

Other Notes. Captain Raymond Tyrwhitt has been appointed to the position of acting adjutant. Lieut. J. R. Gundy accompanied by Sergt. H. S. McCreary, and Corps. J. M. Campbell, A. Hutcheon, and

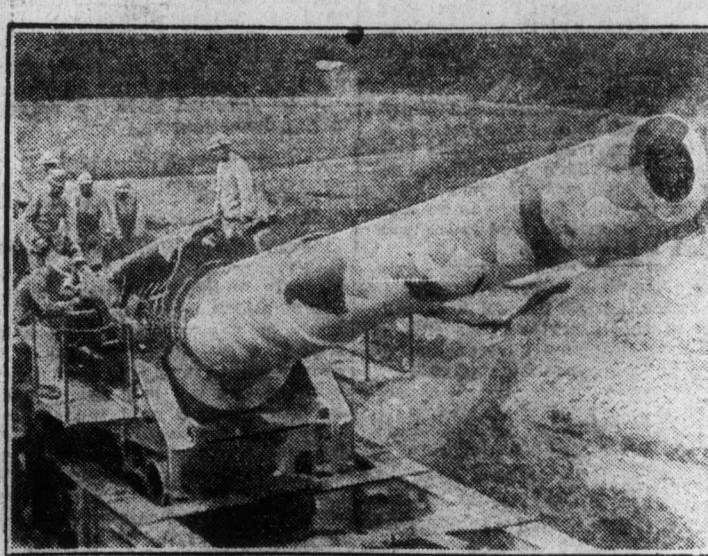
A. J. Armitage has been detailed to attend a course in bayonet fighting and physical training at Exhibition Camp, Toronto. Act. Corp. J. B. Anderson has attended the district school of trench warfare and has been successful in passing the required examination.

### NO FURTHER FIRES

New Britain, Conn., Feb. 22.—Although two companies of the National Guard were on patrol duty this morning, the excitement created by seven incendiary fires last night had ended. All these fires were within an area of a few street blocks. Police officials are unable to determine the manner in which the fires were set, but do not believe in the fire bug theory. A number of suspects arrested are still detained. Firemen and equipment from four other places gave protective duty. One fire destroyed a barn in the rear of the New Britain Herald plant. The newspaper staff fought this. The total losses are about \$50,000.

### NIGHT CALM.

Paris, Feb. 22.—"The night was calm over the whole front," says today's official announcement. "Our artillery, caught by its fire, dispersed a German detachment which was making a sortie near Bethincourt on the left bank of the Meuse."



One of the big guns mounted on trains, used as moving fortresses by the French troops, on the front line. These armored trains are shown in action in the six-reel film, "War as it Really is," which comes to the Rex Theatre under the auspices of The Courier next week.

FARMER TO HANG. Camrose, has been sentenced to be hanged May 18th for the murder of thews Kehi, a farmer living near H. Allay, an Austrian pedlar.

### Auction Sale

Of Farm Stock and Implements W. J. Bragg, Auctioneer, has received instructions from Robert to sell by Public Auction at farm, one mile east of Canisville the Onondaga Road, better known as the James Foulton Farm, on

FRIDAY NEXT, FEB. 23rd commencing at 1:30 p.m. sharp following:

Horses—1 bay horse, 12 years old, one colt coming 2 years.

Cattle—2 Heads 1 cow, 5 years old, due in May. 1 cow, 8 years supposed to be in calf.

Implement—One new one horse wagon and box with pole, 1 rack, 1 Venty plow, 1 cock cultivator, 1 disk harrow, Cock make, 1 horse rake, Frost and make, 1 McCormick binder, 1 McCormick mower, 1 cutter, 1 se harrow.

Fodder—About twenty ton hay.

Harness—1 set, double harness set buggy harness, etc.

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ROBERT LAKE W. J. BRAGG Prop. Auctioneer

ADMINISTRATORS SALE OF FARM STOCK, REAL ESTATE AND CHATELAINS

The undersigned has been authorized by the administrator of the late Henry Morris Sheldahl, to hold public auction at his farm, Lord's Lane, in the township of Brantford, on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27th commencing at one o'clock sharp the following:

Horses—4 Bay mare, rising years old, a good driver, bay and a brown, a pair of blocks, excellent pair of workers; bay rising 9 years, a grand horse, al purpose. Cattle—Four good cows, grade Durhams, are in condition, 3 cows supposed coming in soon, 1 farrow cow.

try—25 chickens and 1 rooster. Harness—Two sets of heavy harness, 3 sets of single harness set of light double harness, odd lars, halters, bridles, etc. O About 25 bus of seed oats. Implements—Massey-Harris binder, er, roller, spring tooth cultivator George cultivator, 2 sets iron rows, wooden set of harrows, hay rake, 2 walking plows, drill, 2 scuffers, 2 sets of sleighs, 1 nearly new; 1 one-market wagons, 1 nearly new cutters, extra good; 2 lumber ons, 1 nearly new; wagon box, rack, 2 hay racks, 3 buggies, 1 ly new; root pulper, fanning hay fork, pulleys and ropes; good ropes; wheel barrow, shovels, chains, cutter pole and good ladders. Furniture—Two room suites, toilets sets, spy mattresses, bedclothes, woolen sis, antique chest of drawers, pets, pictures and chairs, a clock and other clocks; steel coal heater and stoves. Every in the furniture line usually found in a well equipped farm house.

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