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DEATH OF GEORGE BROWN

On Tuesday night of last week at 8 o'clock, an aged resident of Athens in the person of Mr. George Brown died at his home just west of the village on the Delta road.

Junetown

Mrs. Wm. Patterson, Fairfield East is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Norris Ferguson.

Miss Gertrude Young, R. N., of Athens, who has been attending Mrs. Francis Fortune for the past three weeks, returned to her home on Thursday.

Mr. Zachus Purvis and Miss Helen Purvis, were recent visitors at Mr. Walter Purvis.

Mrs. Joel Bigford, was called to Brockville on Sunday by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Vincent Booth, who is a patient at the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital.

Miss Edna Green, Kilkenny Street, who has been spending the past month with her aunt, Mrs. Francis Fortune, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. Norris Ferguson and Miss Irene and Mrs. Wm. Patterson, were visiting Mrs. M. Greer, Tilley, on Monday.

Mrs. Eliza McCrimmon, who has been here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Purvis, left on Friday for Apple Hill to visit relatives.

Mr. A. B. Ferguson, Mr. R. K. Ferguson, and Mr. J. D. Bigford, spent Thursday last in Brockville.

Master Stuart Tennant, Caintown, was visiting at Mr. Jas. Purvis' Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Leland G. Warren and sons Donald and Russell, of Brockville, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Scott spent Sunday at Mr. P. Smith's, Escott.

Mrs. Walter Stinson, Detroit, Mich. is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Egbert Avery.

Mrs. Thos. Franklin, Mrs. G. Taylor and Mr. Harry Franklin motored to Brockville on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. Thos. Franklin, at the General Hospital.

Mrs. George Taylor and children Miss Bety and Master Hilliard, of Winnipeg, who have been spending the past four months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Franklin, are leaving for home to-morrow.

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WEEKLY BULLETIN

We advise all our graduates earning wages to buy VICTORY BONDS. Miss Geraldine McIntosh is supplying clerical work at The James Smart Manfg. Co.

W. Pelton has accepted a position on the office staff of the Canada Carriage Co.

Miss Rita Payea, of Merrickville, who came to College here last year has accepted a good position as stenographer for a Montreal firm at a salary of \$60.00 per month.

Miss Nellie Tweedly is doing supply work in the local office of Canada Forgings Limited.

Misses Eva Moore, Blanche Whiting and Pearl Acheson have passed our 80 word per minute shorthand test this week and Miss Myrtle Hotton has passed the 100 word test.

New Year Term will open Jan. 2, 1918. We advocate getting in a month's study before Christmas where it is possible.

Night School Mondays and Thursdays.

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The Old Curiosity Shop
Is a Mysterious Spot
In a City of Romance

EVERY great city has its romance of history. A romance so romantic that it has commonly ceased to have any connection with history. In Verona, for instance, is there not Juliet's house, though why not Capulet's, it would take a wise man to say. Then, in Cologne, in the church of the Seven Thousand Virgins, there is preserved the water pot from Cana in Galilee.

The Old Curiosity Shop has only a reflected glory anyhow. The feet of London have swept for a couple of centuries or more through Dick Turpin's passage, generations of Londoners have tucked their napkins over their knees under the tables of the Cheshire Cheese, but Little Nell was never more than the substance of the Old Curiosity Shop.

It is a curious thing, the more you think about it, how little is known about the Old Curiosity Shop, of course, by this is meant the Simon Pure. Bleak House we know, Dickens's Hall we know, and so we do the Blacking Factory hard by Charing Cross.

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It is not, however, until the last chapter of the book is reached, and for that matter, the last two paragraphs, that he finally disposes, by the most direct reference, of all past, present, and future aspirants to the honor.

That is just about all we know or are ever likely to know about the Old Curiosity Shop.

The trade name "kodak" was coined in 1888.

MRS. E. N. SMITH DEAD

The death took place at Greenbush, on Wednesday, of Mrs. Clara Smith, wife of E. N. Smith, reeve of Elizabethtown. Her maiden name was Clara Pritchard.

The funeral took place on Friday from her home to Greenbush church where Rev. C. Baldwin conducted the service, assisted by Rev. C. J. Curtis of Newboro.

The pall-bearers were: Thos. Smith, W. Jelly, J. Hewitt, W. Tack-abbey, Wm. Connel.

Among relatives from a distance were: her brothers, Norman Pritchard, of Stanstead, Quebec; and Chas. Pritchard, of New York.

Voters' Registration Board.

The Voters' Registration Boards, which will hear appeals from the decisions of the enumerators in connection with the voters' lists, have been announced, and for Leeds and Grenville it is composed of County Judge J. K. Dowsley, Junior Judge E. J. Reynolds, Local Registrar A. E. Baker, Sheriff J. A. McCrimmon, Clerk of the Peace M. M. Brown.

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Paid for Beverages.

At Westport a resident of that village was fined \$14.00 for intoxication on complaint of Inspector Taber.

There was a large market in the county town Saturday morning with an abundance of seasonable products offered—at high prices. Potatoes sold at \$1.25 to \$1.30 a bushel; butter, 50c; eggs, 50 to 60c; chickens, \$1 each and up; beets, 30c basket; parsnips 50c a basket; carrots 35c a basket; onions \$1.25 to \$1.60 a bushel; apples 50c a basket.

Charleston

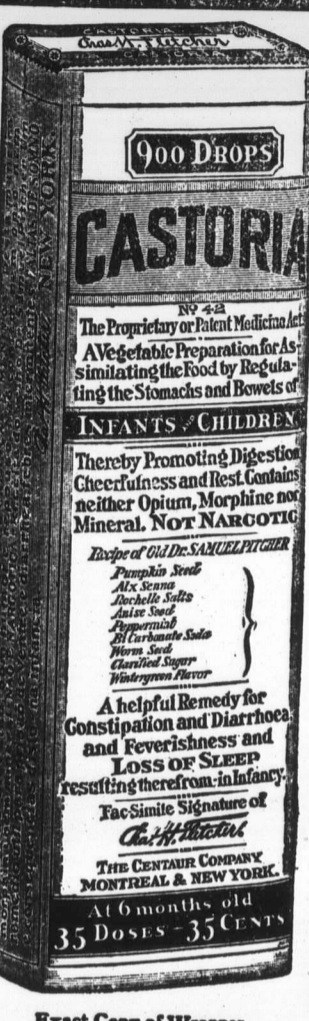
The Pentecostal people went across the lake on Sunday to attend an all-day meeting.

Miss Katie Halladay went to Toronto on Tuesday.

R. Steacy and sons, Warburton, and Miss Harriet Green, Lansdowne, were visitors here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Berney and son, Eloida, were visitors at T. Hefferman's on Sunday.

Our school was closed for a couple of days last week on account of the teacher's illness.



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10 year Bonds due December 1st, 1927
20 year Bonds due December 1st, 1937

Surrender of Bonds

Holders of Dominion of Canada Debenture Stock, due October 1st, 1919, and bonds of the three preceding Dominion of Canada War Loan Issues, have the privilege of surrendering their bonds in part payment for subscriptions to bonds of this issue, under the following conditions:

Issue Price Par

Free from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.
Payment to be made as follows:
10% on December 1st, 1917
20% on January 2nd, 1918
30% on February 1st, 1918
30% on March 1st, 1918
30% on April 1st, 1918
20% on May 1st, 1918
A full half year's interest will be paid on 1st June, 1918.

The Bonds therefore give a net interest yield to the investor of about:
5.61% on the 20 year Bonds
5.68% on the 10 year Bonds
5.81% on the 5 year Bonds

All payments are to be made to a Chartered Bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture, and the allotment to cancellation. Subscriptions accompanied by a deposit of 10% of the amount subscribed, must be forwarded through the medium of a Chartered Bank. Any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank will forward subscriptions and issue provisional receipts. Subscriptions may be paid in full on January 2nd, 1918, or on any instalment due date thereafter under discount at the rate of 5 1/2% per annum. Under this provision payments of the balance of subscriptions may be made as follows:

If paid on January 2nd, 1918, at the rate of 89.10795 per \$100.
If paid on February 1st, 1918, at the rate of 79.46929 per \$100.
If paid on March 1st, 1918, at the rate of 69.72774 per \$100.
If paid on April 1st, 1918, at the rate of 59.90959 per \$100.

Forms of application may be obtained from any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank, or from any Victory Loan Committee, or member thereof. The books of the Loan will be kept at the Department of Finance, Ottawa. Applications will be made in due course for the listing of this issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges. Subscription Lists will close on or before December 1st, 1917. DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA, November 12th, 1917.